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Reason to Issue: To revise ingredients statement to show aromatic petroleum distillates as an inert ingredient.

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RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE

For retail sale to and use only by Certified Applicators or persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's certification.

BOLSTAR® 6

Emulsifiable Insecticide

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

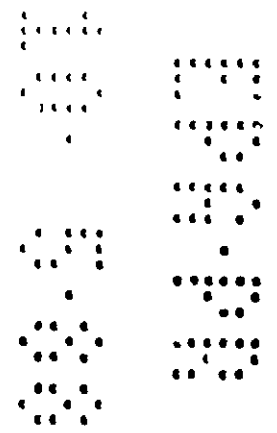
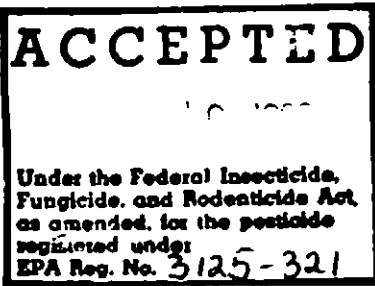
O-Ethyl O-[4-(methylthio)phenyl]
S-propyl phosphorodithioate 64%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 36%
100%

(This product contains aromatic petroleum distillates.)

Contains 6 lbs. O-Ethyl
O-[4-(methylthio)phenyl]
S-propyl phosphorodithioate
per gallon.

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SECTION II Amendment Information (Cont'd)

In explanation, although Mobay has not claimed pesticidal activity for aromatic petroleum distillate, and, in fact, shows aromatic petroleum distillate simply as a solvent in the "purpose in formulation" column of the Confidential Statement of Formula for this product, in the past the Agency required aromatic petroleum distillate to be listed as an active ingredient. However, in recent guidance documents (for example, the azinphos-methyl and fenthion guidance documents), the Agency has stated "Solvents or diluents currently declared as active ingredients in the ingredients statement must be included in the total of inert ingredients. The Agency does not have data indicating that these solvents are insecticidal."

Consequently, the ingredient statement on the enclosed draft labeling has been revised to reflect the Agency's current position. Specifically, the draft labeling no longer lists 15% aromatic petroleum distillate as an active ingredient, and the total percentage of inert ingredients has been revised to reflect 15% aromatic petroleum distillate as an inert.

As the enclosed labeling does not list aromatic petroleum distillate as an active ingredient, the following statement has been added below the ingredient statement:

(This product contains aromatic petroleum distillates.)

This statement was added in accordance with the proposed (Federal Register Vol. 49, No. 188 Wednesday September 26, 1984) 40 CFR 156.50 Inert Ingredient Labeling requirements for products containing more than 10% petroleum distillates.

In short, the enclosed draft labeling no longer lists aromatic petroleum distillate as an active ingredient, and the inert ingredient percentage total has been revised to include the 15% aromatic petroleum distillate as another inert ingredient.

Please note, the label change simply reflects the existing Confidential Statement of Formula for this product; the label modification does not require the review of any data.

As this submission is a result of the Agency's current reregistration directives, and as this amendment is a non-substantive change, it is not subject to a registration fee in accordance with EPA PR Notice 88-4.

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