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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

AUG 13 2002

Anne Oxford
Manager, Regulatory Affairs
Albermarle Corporation
451 Florida Street
Baton Rouge, LA. 70801-1765

SUBJECT: May 16, 2002 Amendment
Sanibrom S Biocide Technical
EPA Registration 3377-34

Dear Ms. Oxford:

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), is conditionally acceptable. In summary, you have revised the First Aid statement in accordance with the recommendations of P.R. Notice 2001-1 and revised the Storage and Disposal instructions. You have also changed the heading "Technical or Chemical Hazards to "Physical or Chemical Hazards".

You must retain the original second, third, and fourth sentences under Storage and Disposal: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is violation of Federal Law. If these wastes can not be disposed of by use in accordance to label instructions, contact your Regional Office of EPA for guidance.

Two copies of the finished labeling must be submitted to the Agency for our files. A stamped copy of your conditionally accepted label is enclosed. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Tom Luminello of my staff at (703) 308-8075.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Brennis", is written over the "Sincerely yours," text.

Robert S. Brennis
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Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobial Division (7510-C)

Enclosures

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SANIBROM[®] S BIOCIDES TECHNICAL

MANUFACTURING-USE PRODUCT FOR FORMULATION/REPACKING USE AS A
DISINFECTANT, BACTERICIDE, FUNGICIDE, ALGICIDE, SLIMICIDE AND MOLLUSCICIDE
IN WATER TREATMENT, SWIMMING POOLS, HOT TUBS AND SPAS

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Sodium Bromide..... 98.0%

INERT INGREDIENTS:..... 2.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN WARNING

Prolonged eyes and skin contact may cause severe irritation.

FIRST AID

If on skin or clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If in eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If swallowed: Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

See side panel for additional precautionary statements.

EPA REG. NO. 3377-34
EPA EST. NO. 3377-FRA-1



451 Florida Street
Baton Rouge, LA 70801

In case of emergency endangering life or property involving this product,
call collect (225) 344-7174.

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMAN AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WARNING

May cause irritation. Prolonged contact may cause skin irritation. Do not get into eyes.

Harmful if swallowed or prolonged contact with skin. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Sanibrom S Biocide Technical is not flammable. Avoid contact with strong oxidizers (other than sodium hypochlorite and chlorine), acids, alkaloidal and heavy metal salts.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by the use, storage, or disposal of this product.

STORAGE: Store in a well ventilated, dry area. Product should be stored at 50° F or above.

Pesticide Disposal: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Disposal: [supersack] Completely empty supersack. Dispose of empty supersack in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

[plastic drum] Triple rinse or equivalent. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

WARRANTY

Seller makes no warranty expressed or implied concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Reformulated or repackaged product must be registered with EPA. The registrant must supply data required for this registration.

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