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Subject: Label Amendment – Changes Required by the Boric Acid
Interim Registration Review Decision
Product Name: BOR-X
EPA Registration Number: 3432-72
Received Date: May 31, 2022
Decision Number: 585047

Dear Kresti Lyddon,

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all of the information submitted with your application to support the Registration Review of the above referenced product in connection with the Boric Acid Interim Decision, and has concluded that your submission is acceptable.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. Pursuant to 40 CFR 156.10(a)(6) you must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 12 months from the date of this letter. After 12 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the Agency. See FIFRA section 2(p)(2). If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In

addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process, FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(B). Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, please contact Megan Snyderman by phone at 202-566-0639 or via email at snyderman.megan@epa.gov.

Sincerely,



Jake McFarley, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist
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Office of Pesticide Programs
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Enclosure: Accepted Label

ACCEPTED

Dec 06, 2023

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide
and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the
pesticide registered under
EPA Reg. No. 3432-72

BOR-X

Intended to reduce algae growth.
Improves the effectiveness of sanitizers.
Compatible with all pool chemicals.
FOR USE IN SWIMMING POOLS

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Sodium Tetraborate Pentahydrate 100%

EPA REG. NO. 3432-72
EPA EST. NO. 3432-PA-1

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

See additional precautionary statements on side panel

NET WT. 2 LBS.

Mfg. by: N. Jonas & Co., Inc. • Bensalem, PA 19020

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER. CORROSIVE: Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Harmful if swallowed. Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses.) Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

FIRST AID	
IF IN EYES:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•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:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Call a 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 a poison control center or doctor.•Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
IF ON SKIN OR ON CLOTHING:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•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 INHALED:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Move person to fresh air.•If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.•Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN	Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE: It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Initial Application:

1. While the filter is running, broadcast two pounds of this product per 1,000 gallons over the pool water surface. Divide the initial dose into two half doses and add each half dose to the pool 10 minutes apart. The initial application of this product will raise the pH of the pool, to regulate this pH change add 3/4 lbs. pH Down (Sodium Bisulfate) for each pound of this product. Dissolve the pH Down in a pail of water, one pound at a time. When fully dissolved add to the pool water.
2. Run the filter for approx. 4 hrs then test the pH. Adjust the pH, if needed, at this time. The pH must be maintained between 7.4 and 7.6. Correct water balance should be maintained, see your dealer for instruction.
3. Once each month test this product residual. It should be maintained at 30-50 ppm. Your professional dealer can test this for you. Only filter backwashing and splash-out will result in the loss of this product from the water.

WINTERIZATION: This product will also enhance your winterizing program. This product can be used with your regular winterizing kit. Test this product level to insure that it is at the recommended value. Your professional dealer can test this for you.

Before draining a treated [pool,] [spa,] or [hot tub] contact your local sanitary sewer and storm drain authorities and follow their discharge instructions. Do not discharge treated pool, spa, or hot tub water to any location that flows to a gutter, storm drain or natural water body unless discharge is allowed by state and local authorities.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in original container in a locked area, inaccessible to children and pets. Store in a cool, dry well-ventilated area.

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

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available. If Empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If Partly Filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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