UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY 6-5-2002

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June 5, 2002

John Ferentinos President Qualco Inc. 225 Passaic Street Passaic, NJ 07055

Subject: Klor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets EPA Registration No. 3525-89 Notification Per PR Notice 98-10

Dear Mr. Ferentinos:

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification of the revised first aid as per PR Notice 2001-1 and storage and disposal as per PR Notice 2001-6, submitted under provisions of FIFRA section 3(c) 9., Based on a review of the submitted material the following comments apply.

The revised First Aid and Storage and Disposal statements are acceptable and have been made a part of the file for this product.

Sincerely,

Wanda Y. Mitchell Product Reviewer-Team 32 **Regulatory Management Branch II** Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

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CLORINATING TABLETS FOR USE AS AN ALGAECIDE AND BACTERICIDE

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

	FIRST AID STATEMENT
IF SWALLOWED:	Call a poison control or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip glass of water if able to swallow. unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
IF IN EYES:	Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:	Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison contro ment advice.
IF INHALED:	Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, prefer possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
HOT LINE NUMBER:	Have the product container or label with you when calling the poison control center or doctor, or going for treatmen 973-473-1222 for further questions.
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:	Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

MADE ESPECIALLY FOR POOL SPECIALISTS

Net Weight: 25 lbs. (11.34 kg)

Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets is a concentrated chlorinating agent in a dry, easy-to-use form. Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets control the growth of algae and effectively kill many bacteria, thereby helping to keep the pool in sanitary condition. Use a clean, dry scoop to handle Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets. Four tablets weigh approximately 1 ounce.

READ PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS BEFORE USE! DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

INITIAL CHLORINATION: For new pools or spring start-up or superchlorination, add 8 Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets per 1,000 gallons of pool water to yield a 5 to 10 ppm (parts per million) available chlorine. After 2 hours, check the chlorine residual using a pool water test kit. If below 1.0 ppm, repeat dosage until 1-3 ppm is obtained. For best results, use a floating dispenser or add tablets to a surface skimmer. DO NOT THROW TABLETS DIRECTLY INTO POOL. DO NOT ALLOW TABLETS TO CONTACT STEEL OR PLASTIC POOL LINERS. Do not enter the pool until the chlorine residual is between 1.0 to 3.0 ppm.

POUTINE CHLORINATION: Add 10 Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets per 10,000 gallons of pool water through a floating dispenser or top water skimmer to yield an available chlorine residual of 0.6 to 1.0 ppm. Stabilized pools should maintain a chlorine residual of 1.0 to 1.5 ppm. Using a pool water test kit as a guide, maintain the pH of the pool at 7.2 to 7.6. If the pH is below 7.2, add pH Plus in accordance with label directions. If the pH is above 7.6, add pH Minus following label directions. The frequency of water treatment will depend upon temperature, bather load and amount of water flow. Check water at regular intervals using a pool water test kit, and maintain the chlorine residual at 1.0 to 1.5 ppm and the pH at 7.2 to 7.6.

SUPERCHLORINATION: Once a week, or if algae is present, superchlorinate the pool water by adding 8 Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets per 1,000 gallons of pool water. Thoroughly clean pool by scrubbing the surface of algae growth. Then vacuum and cycle through filter. Do not enter pool until the chlorine residual returns to 1.0 - 3.0 ppm.

WINTERIZING: While water is still clean and clear, add 3 Clor-Kare Chlorinating Tablets per 1,000 gallons of pool water to obtain a 3.0 ppm available chlorine by weight. Add while filter is still running, and allow to circulate. Then shut off filter, cover and close pool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

HOW TO DETERMINE POOL CAPACITY (IN US GALLONS)

RECTANGULAR OR SQUARE POOLS: Multiply length x width x average depth* x 7.5 = Gallons

CIRCULAR POOLS: Multiply diameter x diameter x average depth* x 5.9 = Gallons

OVAL POOLS: Multiply length x width x average depth* x 6.6 = Gallons *All dimensions are calculated in feet.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER: Keep Out Of Reach Of Children, HIGHLY CORROSIVE. Causes skin and eye damage. May be fatal if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or safety glasses and rubber gloves when handling this product. Irritating to nose and throat. Avoid breathing dust. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT. Mix only with water. Use clean, dry utensils. Do not add this product to any dispensing device containing remnants of any other product. Such use may cause a violent reaction leading to fire or explosion. Contamination with moisture, organic matter, or other chemicals may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases, and possible generation of fire and explosion. In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reseal container. Isolate container, if possible, in open air or well ventilated area. Flood with large volumes of water to dissolve all material before discarding container.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish and other aquatic organism. 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 Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

DO NOT CONTAMINATE WATER, FOOD OR FEED BY STORAGE OR DISPOSAL.

STORAGE: Keep product dry in tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat and open flame.

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 or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

E.P.A. Reg. No. 3525-89 E PPG25 Made & Printed in U.S.A.

E.P.A. Est. No. 3525-NJ-1 A. SPPG25A

Manufactured by:

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