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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

SUBJECT: Label Amendment Submission of 10/26/93 in Response to PR Notice 93-7

> EPA Reg. No. 4816-496 PYRENONE FLEXI-DUST

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, successfully REMOVES THE PRODUCT FROM THE SCOPE of PR Notice 93-7 once the comments (if any) on the attached sheet are addressed. Other than the alterations (if any) listed on the attached sheet, no further alterations to the labeling are necessary to reflect the requirements of the Worker Protection Standard.

Since your amendment proposes to delete uses directly and/or to delete uses implicitly through the use of exclusionary statements, the Agency will publish in the Federal Register a notice of receipt of your amendment to delete uses, as required by section 6(f)(1) of FIFRA. The Agency will defer action for 90 days from the date of the Federal Register notice to give affected minor users an opportunity to try to persuade you to retain the uses(s). When the comment period has expired, the Agency will approve the amendment unless you have withdrawn it, and stamp the amended labeling "accepted." Your stampedaccepted labeling will then be sent to you.

As described in Supplement A of PR Notice 93-11 (self-verification option), you may sell and distribute product bearing the submitted labeling before you receive a copy of your stamped-accepted labeling. Note that your registration is not amended until the comment period required by section 6(f)(1) of FIFRA has expired and the Agency has approved the amendment. Therefore, you may withdraw your proposed amendment at any time during the comment period and until you receive your stamped-accepted labeling.

Sincerely

James Tompkins, Deputy Chief Registration Support Branch Registration Division (7505W)

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FLEXI-DUST

- * Pyrenone® Provides Quick Insect Control
- * Controls Cockroaches, Crickets and Fruit Flies
- * For use in Residences, Institutions, Food Plants, Canneries and On Stored Seed and Grain
- * Protects Stored Grain and Seed from Insect Infestation

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Pyrethrins	0.10%
*Piperonyl Butoxide, Technical	1.00%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	<u>98.90%</u>
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^{*}Equivalent to min. 0.8% (butylcarbityl) (6-propylpiperonyl) ether and 0.2% related compounds.

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if indicated. Give nothing by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF IN EYES: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention !! irritation persists.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash skin with soap and water.

See Side Habis for Additional Precautional Statements

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fundicide, and Rudestielde Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Avoid breathing dust and contact by skin and eyes.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

FOR CONTAINERS LARGER THAN 5 POUNDS:

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

STORAGE AND SPILL PROCEDURES: Store upright in original container at room temperature. Avoid exposure to moisture. In case of spill or leakage, sweep up and dispose of according to local and state chemical waste guidelines.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide, spray mixture or rinse water that cannot be used according to label instructions must be disposed of at or by an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to icosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by State and local authorities. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, dispose of in the same manner.

FOR CONTAINERS 5 POUNDS AND SMALLER:

STORAGE: Store in original container in an area inaccessible to children and pets and away from heat and sunlight. Avoid exposure to moisture.

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container in several layers of newspaper and put in trash.

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FOR CONTROL OF COCKROACHES, CRICKETS, SILVERFISH, FIREBRATS AND CENTIPEDES

Using conventional dusting equipment, apply this product at 2 ounces per 100 square feet to all indoor areas where these pests may crawl or hide. Apply in cracks and crevices and hidden surfaces around, under and behind baseboards, cabinets, refrigerators, stoves, sinks, doors, pipes, windows, electrical fittings, electrical equipment and other possible harborages. Repeat application as required.

FRUIT FLY CONTROL OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

To control fruit flies on apples, blackberries, boysenberries, currants, dewberries, grapes, loganberries, peaches, pears, plums, prunes, melons and tomatoes, apply as a post-harvest application. Dust fruits and vegetables immediately after picking while in containers in the field. Remove crops from field as soon as they are picked and have been dusted. Do not hold picked crops in the field overnight. If the crops are held at the processing plants more than 20 hours, a repeat application should be made. Dust lightly but thoroughly.

STORED GRAIN PROTECTANT

For use on corn, barley, rice, rye, buckwheat, birdseed, and other seeds in storage.

This product kills accessible stages of many grain insects, particularly rice weevils and granary weevils, and protects against many insects in the bran bug group, including flour beetles and grain beetles. One treatment is usually adequate for a full storage season.

Treated grains require only normal cleaning before processing for human food and may be fed to livestock without hazard. Shelled corn may require cleaning if subject to inspection for grading purposes.

Whole grains and seeds to be treated should be in condition for normal storage. Treatment should be applied when grain goes into storage and before serious infestation has developed.

HOW MUCH TO APPLY: Application on grains and seeds should be made at the rate of 80 to 100 pounds per 1000 bushels (13 ounces to 1 pound per 10 bushels). The dust should be sufficiently well mixed with the whole grain seeds to assure even distribution. It can be applied to a moving stream of grain in the usual or typical conveyor. Small lots of grain or seeds can be treated by hand with a shovel or other suitable equipment.

On ear corn this insecticide should be applied at the same rate specified above and should be sufficiently well mixed with the corn to assure even distribution. One method is by dusting the protectant over alternate shallow layers of the corn.

NOTICE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.