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US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY OFFICE OF PESTICIDES PROGRAMS REGISTRATION DIVISION (TS-767) WASHINGTON, DC 20460	EPA REGISTRATION NO. 5042-32	DATE OF ISSUANCE SEP 21 1994
	TERM OF ISSUANCE Conditional	
	NAME OF PESTICIDE PRODUCT MCCA (GALPH) (GALPH) (GALPH)	

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE: ☒ REGISTRATION
☐ REREGISTRATION
(Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide,
and Rodenticide Act, as amended)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF REGISTRANT (Include ZIP code)

☐ Mr. Douglas Freeman
Rodent Control Outfitters, Inc.
640 Highway 99F
Harrisburg, OR 94446

☐ 547 3788 161
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NOTE: Changes in labeling formula differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above U.S. EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby Registered/Reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

A copy of the labeling accepted in connection with this Registration/Reregistration is returned herewith.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an indorsement or approval of this product by this Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

Dear Mr. Freeman:

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration of your product under FIFRA § 3(c)(5) or for reregistration under FIFRA § 4 when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data. You also must meet the product specific requirement for Storage Stability (Guideline No. 63-17) data as indicated below.
2. Make the changes listed below to the labeling submitted on May 17, 1994, before you release the product for shipment:
 - a. On the front panel, change "OR" to "OF" in the "IF SWALLOWED:" line of the "STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT." In the next sentence, change "has" to "have." Change last sentence of "IF SWALLOWED" paragraph to read

"Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person."

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☐ ATTACHMENT IS APPLICABLE

SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL **RAE** DATE **SEP 21 1994**

- b. In the "DANGER: Convulsive Poison" paragraph ("Page 2" of the proposed label), change the "Keep away from children . . . " sentence to read

"Keep bait away from children, pets and domestic animals, and from any places where bait might be mistaken for intreated grain."

- c. In the "USE RESTRICTIONS" section of the "DIRECTIONS FOR USE" ("Page 3"), either underline or italicize scientific names for all species of pocket gophers claimed to be controlled by this product.
- d. Add the phrase, "EPA Registration No. 5042-32" to the label before you release this product for shipment.
3. The proposed Confidential Statement of Formula (CSF) dated January 24, 1994, is acceptable.
4. All of the data submitted for the Guideline Series 61-1, 61-2, and 61-3 are acceptable.
5. The analytical method cited in MRID No. 424023-05 is acceptable.
6. Density data in report filed under the MRID Number 429707-01 pertain to oat-based baits. The formulation tested which had the composition most closely resembling that of this product had a mean bulk density of 0.432 g/mL.
7. The information that you have included with your letter of May 17, 1994, is nearly adequate to support this product. The remaining data gap is Storage Stability. A final report on Storage Stability is due on September 10, 1995. Quarterly reports on your progress toward meeting this requirement are due on December 10, 1994, March 10, 1995, and June 10, 1995.

Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 Enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

If the conditions outlined in this notice are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA § 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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A stamped copy of the labeling is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'RAF', is positioned above the typed name.

Robert A. Forrest
Product Manager 14
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch

Enclosures: 1) stamped label
2) A-79 Enclosure

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
by EPA on 09-01-94

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, this product is registered.

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(Front Panel)

RODENT CONTROL OUTFITTERS

OMEGA GOPHER GRAIN BAIT

GRAIN BAIT For POCKET GOPHERS

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Strychnine Alkaloid.....	0.50%
INERT INGREDIENTS:.....	99.50%
TOTAL	100.00%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

POISON (Red skull and crossbones)

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: CALL A PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER IMMEDIATELY. If less than ten (10) minutes has passed since poison was taken, give 1 to 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Have patient lie down in quiet, darkened room and keep patient warm and quiet. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if indicated.

IF ON SKIN: Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water.

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

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

Administer 100% OXYGEN by positive pressure to provide as much pulmonary gas exchange as possible, despite seizures.

Administer ANTICONSULSANT DRUGS intravenously to control convulsions.

NOTICE: It may be difficult or impossible to stop the seizure activity without stopping respiration. Be prepared to maintain pulmonary ventilation mechanically. Tracheotomy may be necessary if seizures are prolonged.

See other side panel for additional precautionary statements.

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NET CONTENTS : 6 oz., 24 oz. 15 lb., or 50 lb.

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Page 2 - Omega Gopher Grain Bait

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

DANGER: Convulsive Poison! Poisonous if swallowed. Do not breathe dust. Do not contaminate feed and foodstuffs. Keep away from children, pets and domestic animals and away from where may be mistaken for regular grain. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating and smoking. Clean clothing should be used daily.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish, birds, and other wildlife. Do not allow treated bait to be exposed above the ground. Clean up spilled bait immediately. Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds. Do not apply directly to water, or 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.

ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS

NOTICE: The killing of a member of an endangered species during strychnine baiting operations may result in a fine under the Endangered Species Act. Before baiting, the user is advised to contact the Regional U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Endangered Species Specialist) or the local Fish and Game Office for specific information on endangered species. Strychnine baits should not be used in the geographic ranges of the following species except under programs and procedures approved by the USEPA: California condor, San Joaquin kit fox, Aleutian Canada goose, Morrow Bay kangaroo rat, gray wolf and grizzly bear.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store excess materials in original labeled container in a cool, dry area. Do not stack containers more than three high. Rotate containers end to end at least once a month. Keep containers away from children, pets and domestic animals. Avoid contamination of other pesticides, fertilizers, food and feed.

DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty bag by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of bags in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by State and local authorities. If burned, stay out of smoke.

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

USE RESTRICTIONS

This product may be used only in manual, subterranean applications in terrestrial food crops, and terrestrial nonfood and forestry areas to control the following species of pocket gophers:

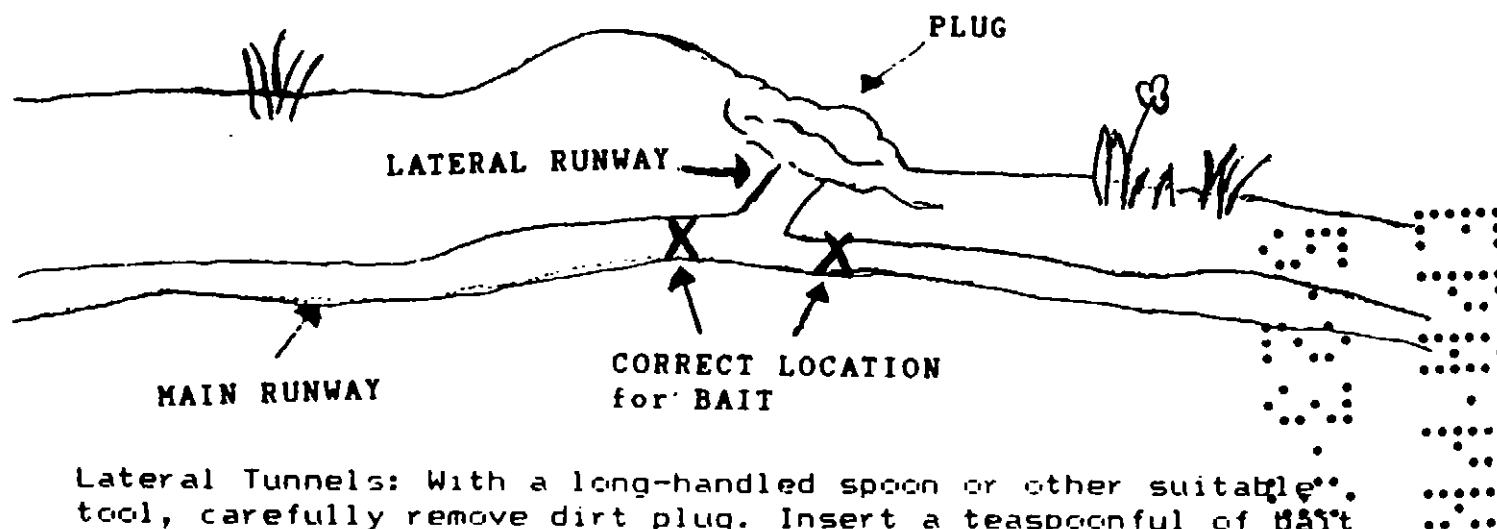
Northern (*Thomomys talpoides*); Southern (*Thomomys umbrinus*); Camas (*Thomomys bulbivorus*); Valley (*Thomomys bottae*); Mazama (*Thomomys mazama*); Plains (*Geomys bursarius*); Mountain (*Thomomys monticola*); Townsends' (*Thomomys townsendii*).

Bait must be deposited in pocket gophers' underground runways. Do not apply bait above ground. Do not apply this product by means of a burrow-builder machine. Do not apply this product over food or feed crops.

Do not expose baits in a manner which presents a likely hazard to pets, poultry and livestock.

BAITING

Burrowing pocket gophers throw out low, fan-shaped dirt mounds on either side of their main underground runways. Short lateral tunnels connect the mounds to the main runway. Except when a pocket gopher is throwing out dirt, its lateral tunnels are plugged with soil at the mound, often creating a horseshoe-shaped depression. Pocket gophers may be controlled by placing bait in the main runway, after gaining access by removing plugs in lateral tunnels or by probing soil to locate the main runway.



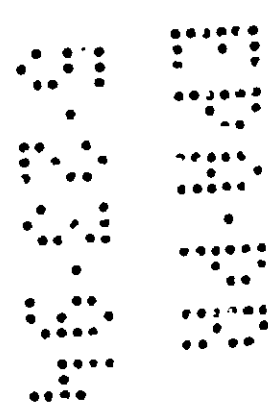
Lateral Tunnels: With a long-handled spoon or other suitable tool, carefully remove dirt plug. Insert a teaspoonful of bait at the junction of lateral tunnel and main runway. Reclose hole, taking care to exclude light and not to allow soil to cover bait.

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Probing: With a metal rod or other suitable implement, probe soil 6-8 inches around mound, starting from plug side, to locate main runway. When runway is entered, resistance on probe will decrease abruptly. Remove probe and insert a teaspoonful of bait through probe hole (enlarged if necessary). Cover opening with a rock, a clump of soil, or other object that will exclude light. Take care not to permit dirt to cover bait.

Make two to five bait sets per burrow system, depending upon its apparent size. Depending upon pocket gopher density, one pound of bait will treat one to eight acres.

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