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NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

\_\_\_\_ Registration
X Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:

Name of Pesticide Product:

Synergy Tabs

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

BioLab, Inc.

P.O. Box 300002

Lawrenceville, GA 30049

Note: Changes in labeling 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 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.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the 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 is somection 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.

Based on your response to the Reregistration Eligibility Document, EPA has reregistered the above name product subject to the comments recorded in the succeeding paragraph. This action is taken under the authority of section 4(g)(2)(C) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Reregistration under this section does not eliminate the need for continual reassessment of pesticide. EPA may require submission of data at any time to maintain the registration of your product.

Make the following labeling changes before you release the product the shipment:

1. Revise the "Precautionary Statement" to read:

DANGER: Fatal if inhaled. Corrosive. Causes skin burns. Causes irreversible eye damage. Harmful if absorbed though skin. Harmful if swallowed. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing tobacco, or using the toilet.

- 2. Under the "First Aid" statement add the statement "Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment".
- 3. The signal word "DANGER" must appear in bold letters and be centered on front panel underneath "Keep Out Of Reach Of Children".
- 4. Place the company "address" on the label.
- 5. Under the "Directions for Use" replace the word "CAUTION" with "NOTICE".

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• Submit one copy of the final printed labeling before releasing the product in channels of trade with the revised labeling.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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

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{All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be included on a final label.} {All text in braces {xxx} is administrative and will not appear on a final label.}

## SYNERGY TABS

ALGICIDE--SANITIZER--BACTERICIDE--FUNGICIDE EXCLUSIVELY DESIGNED FOR USE WITH THE SYNERGY SYSTEM SPECIFICALLY FORMULATED FOR USE IN AUTOMATIC AND FLOATING TYPE FEEDERS CONTAINS ATC-3 EROSION CONTROL AGENT

INCREASED SANITIZER EFFICIENCY ENHANCED SWIMMER COMFORT PATENTED TECHNOLOGY \*

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS EPA Letter Dated:

JAN 13 2004

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Trichloro-s-triazinetrione Disodium biborate pentahydrate **INERT INGREDIENTS:** 

TOTAL INGREDIENTS:

91.5%

5.0% 3.5%

100.0%

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

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

FIRST AID: 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 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 INHALED: 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 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.

[IN CASE OF MEDICAL EMERGENCY, CALL [1-303-623-5716] [1-877-800-5553] [telephone number supplied by supplemental registrant].]

Note to Physician: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

See back panel for additional precautionary statements.

MANUFACTURED BY:

EPA REG. NO. 5185-435

BIOLAB, INC.

DECATUR, GA

EPA EST. NO. 5185-GA-1

NET WEIGHT

This product is specifically formulated for use in automatic type feeders. It provides highly effective pool water sanitization and algae control when used in this manner. This combination of ingredients enhances the water quality to reduce potential eye and skin irritation. This product is formulated to dissolve more cleanly and uniformly in automatic feeders thereby reducing plugging, fouling, maintenance requirements and adjustments.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

Prior to using this product, the filter system should be properly cleaned and backwashed and the pool water pH adjusted to 7.2-7.6. It is recommended that the pool be superchlorinated to establish a chlorine residual of 2 ppm of free chlorine.

INITIAL APPLICATION: This product is specially designed for use in floaters and automatic type feeders except for bromine only type feeders (See Caution below). Prior to adding this product to the feeder, refer to the operating instructions provided by the manufacturer of the unit. Add to the feeder an initial supply of tablets (11 tablets per every 10,000 gallons of pool water). Close the feeder, making sure the lid is securely tightened. Adjust the feeder to the lowest setting according to the manufacturer's instructions. Approximately 3 to 4 days after adding the initial supply of tablets to the feeder, turn off the pump, open the feeder and observe the quantity of tablets remaining. If more than 1/2 of the tablets are gone contact your Synergy dealer for recommendations on how to reduce your feed rate. If at least 1/2 of the tablets remain in the feeder, turn pump back on and check the residual of sanitizer in the pool water using a Synerty test kit. Adjust the feeder to provide a sanitizer level within the ideal range of 1.0-1.5 ppm in the pool water.

ROUTINE MAINTENANCE: Test pool water regularly (at least weekly) and check feeder weekly, refilling as needed. Add additional product and adjust the feeder as needed to maintain an ideal sanitizer level of 1.0-1.5 ppm in the pool water. Regular use of a Synergy test kit is recommended to make certain adequate levels of sanitizer and proper pH are being maintained in the pool water.

CAUTION: Do not use this product in automatic brominators. Use of this product through a bromine type feeder could cause an adverse chemical reaction or explosion resulting in serious bodily injury, death or property damage.

Reentry into treated swimming pools is prohibited above levels of 3 ppm chlorine.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Keep this product dry in original tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat or open flame. Moisture may decompose this product and cause a violent reaction leading to fire and explosion. In case of decomposition, isolate container if possible and flood area with large amounts of water to dissolve all material before discarding this container. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage or disposal. CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Do not reuse container, but place in trash collection. Rinse thoroughly before discarding in trash.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS: DANGER: Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear protective clothing and rubber gloves. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT: Do not mix with other chemicals. Mix only with water. Never add water to product. Always add product to large quantities of 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 will start a chemical reaction and generate heat, hazardous gas, possible fire and explosion. In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reseal container. If possible, isolate container in open air or well ventilated area. Flood area with large volumes of water.

{Environmental hazards statement for end-use products in containers of less than 50 pounds (solid, dry weight).}

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

{Environmental hazards statement for end-use products in containers of equal to or greater than 50 pounds (solid, dry weight).}

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public 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 water treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

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

\* The SYNERGY SYSTEM is a patented method for treatment of swimming pools. Additional patents pending.