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Subject: Spruce-Ups
 EPA Reg. No. 5813-58
 Revised Label

The labeling for the product referred to above submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable subject to the comments listed below. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

1. In your Directions For Use section under the Disinfecting directions delete "or bacteria" in the phrase "Kills many bathroom and kitchen germs -or bacteria..."
2. On the front panel of your label in the paragraph "There are many uses for Spruce Ups and here are a few:... delete "almost any hard surface". This statement is too broad and must be qualified.
3. In your precautionary statements delete "Avoid (prolonged) contact with skin." If you want to add this phrase to this label then you would also need to require the use of gloves when using this product which may not be practical nor warranted depending on the results of a skin irritation study. The term "prolonged" would have to be better defined.
4. The "Use Outside the Home or Public Places" section must be deleted. In order to add those sites to your label you must specify the hard non-porous surfaces that the product can be used on. If you apply in the future to add those sites back to this label then the following statement must also be added to the label "Do not use this product on surfaces that will come in contact with food". Alternatively you can require a potable water rinse if you do not qualify and list the hard surfaces where the product can be used. We would assume that would include use on food contact surfaces. This would mean that you would have to delete the statements in your use directions: No rinse required. Let air dry.

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5. Under "Disinfecting Claims" the following claims are unacceptable and must be deleted..
- a. Cleans and (&) kills 99.9% of bacteria -and/or-(household) germs.
 - b. (The product are) the quick and easy way to clean and kill bacteria -and/or-(household) germs every time you wipe off a (household) surfaces. That's because they wipe away dirt and kill 99.9% of germs and bacteria with a bleach-free formula that is safe for surfaces.
 - c. This bleach-free formula (tion) clean dirt and kill 99.9% of bacteria (including ..."
 - d. After use, just throw the wipe(s) and germs-and/or-bacteria away.
 - e. Disinfects without spreading germs -and/or-bacteria away.

The use of the term "germs" for this product is not acceptable. In order to use the term "bacteria" you must list the specific bacteria that this product will control. The term bacteria is otherwise too broad.

6. The term (New) is allowed on a label for a 6 month period.

7. Under General Claims delete the following
- a. Safe for (colored) surfaces
 - b. Safe for most surfaces.

If you have any questions concerning this letter please contact me at (703) 308-6233.

Sincerely,



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Product Manager 31
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The convenient way to keep your
home looking "just cleaned"

FROM Pine
-Sol®

Spruce-Ups™

MOIST HOUSEHOLD WIPES

Pretreated with a special formula to clean, disinfect, and deodorize.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

See back panel for additional precautionary statements.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

n-Alkyl (C14, 60%; C16, 30%; C12, 5%; C18, 5%)	0.145%
Dimethyl Benzyl Ammonium Chloride	0.145%
n-Alkyl (C12, 68%; C14, 32%) Dimethyl Ethylbenzyl	0.145%
Ammonium Chloride	0.145%
OTHER INGREDIENTS**	99.710%

**Includes detergents and other cleaning agents

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FROM Pine
-Sol®

Spruce-Ups™

Moist Household Cleaning Wipes

Cleans, disinfects and deodorizes
in one easy step!

SPRUCE UPS offer you a fast and easy way to keep your entire home looking "just cleaned" between regular cleanings.

SPRUCE UPS are premoistened with a special cleaning formula to handle daily clean-ups without bottles, sponges, or buckets.

SPRUCE UPS clean, disinfect and deodorize surfaces in one easy step! Just wipe the surface and toss away the dirty wipe. No need to rinse.

There are many uses for **SPRUCE UPS** and here are a few:

- bathroom surfaces
- the inside of a car
- public restrooms
- almost any hard surface
- kitchen surfaces
- kids' playroom or family den
- window blinds

TO OPEN PACKAGE: Lift flap on lid. Remove lid by lifting upward. Insert corner of center sheet through flap opening on lid. Do not push finger through opening. Replace lid and pull sheet out at an angle. The next sheet pops up automatically. When finished, reseal by closing lid flap to retain moisture.

To open refill pack tear at serrated edge. Remove wipes and place in canister.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING.

CLEANING

Wipe surface with a wipe; let air dry. No need to rinse. These wipes will not harm most surfaces including acrylic, fiberglass and vinyl. Not recommended for use on unpainted wood or glass.

DISINFECTING

Kills many bathroom and kitchen germs -or- bacteria on hard non-porous surfaces. Wipe surface to be disinfected. Allow surface to remain wet for 10 minutes before use. Let surface dry. No need to rinse. For highly soiled surfaces, clean excess dirt first.

Not for personal cleansing.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to humans and domestic animals.

CAUTION: Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Avoid [prolonged] contact with skin. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

FIRST AID: If in eyes: Flush with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

STORAGE/DISPOSAL

Dispose of wipe in trash after use. Do not flush. Tightly close lid between uses to retain moisture. Do not reuse empty container.
-or- Refill only with this product. Wrap container and discard in trash.
-or- Offer empty container for recycling. If recycling is not available discard container in trash.

Package made from _____ % post-consumer recycled plastic.

If you have any questions or comments please call us toll free at: 1-800-227-1860.

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in EPA Letter Dated:
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Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as
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Use throughout the house on hard, non-porous surfaces:

Kitchens: [under] sinks, drain boards, cabinets, countertops, stove [tops], refrigerators, faucets, appliances, garbage cans, waste baskets, floors, walls, outside refrigerators, [outside] microwaves

Bathrooms: basins, toilet seats, toilet rim, [bath]tubs, showers, hampers, tiled walls, trash cans, countertops, faucets, walls, floors, [outside] toilets, toilet areas, glazed tiles

Homes -or- General use: telephones, doorknobs, pet areas, computer keyboards, desks, work benches, filing cabinets, cat litter boxes, patio furniture, light switch [panel], playpens, strollers, toys, high chair, diaper pails, outside of washers/dryers

[Use] Outside the Home -or- Public areas/places [on hard, non-porous surfaces]: public restrooms, locker rooms, offices, cars, car seats, schools, restaurants, gyms, public telephones

Garages, Basements, Storage areas, Laundry rooms

Disinfecting Claims

- [New] anti-bacterial -or- disinfecting [wipes] -or- [formula]
- Cleans and [&] kills 99.9% of bacteria -and/or- [household] germs
- [The product are] the quick and easy way to clean and kill bacteria -and/or- [household] germs every time you wipe off a [household] surface. That's because they wipe away dirt and kill 99.9% of germs and bacteria with a bleach-free formula that is safe for surfaces
- [The product are] the quick and easy way to clean and disinfect [household] surfaces [every day]
- This bleach-free formula[tion] cleans dirt and kills 99.9% of bacteria [including Staphylococcus Aureus (Staph) and Salmonella Choleraesuis (Salmonella)] -and/or- [household] germs
- After use, just throw the wipe[s] and germs -and/or- bacteria away
- Disinfects without spreading germs -and/or- bacteria
- Leaves hard, non-porous surfaces disinfected in 10 minutes
- Cleans -and/or- disinfects
- One step cleaning -and/or- disinfecting
- Disinfect -and/or- touch-up clean [anytime] -or- [every day]
- Moist with cleaners -and/or- disinfectants

General Claims

- Bleach-free [formula]
- Safe for [colored] surfaces
- Quick
- Easy
- Fast
- Convenient
- For use at home or in public areas -or- places
- Use [the product] -or- the wipes throughout the house [kitchen and bathroom] [and in public areas -or- places]
- Regular [wipe] [size]
- Large [wipe] [size]
- Safe for most surfaces
- For use while traveling
- Use [this product] throughout the house, kitchen and bathroom
- Not for use as a baby wipe
- Rain Clean [Scent] -or- Fresh [Scent] -or- Lemon Fresh [Scent] -or- Floral Fresh [Scent]
- Has [Leaves] a clean -and/or- light fresh/lemon/Rain Clean/floral scent -or- fragrance -or- smell

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For the use of this product, see the label and the instructions on the product.

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