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Richey Industries, Inc. P.O. Box 928 Medina, OH 44258-0928

Attention: Alan G. Sprague

Vice President Operations

Gentlemen:

Subject: Sears Di-Chlor Concentrate Granular EPA Registration No. 6284-20 Your Amendment Application Dated June 24, 1988

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act is acceptable provided that you:

- Make the following revisions before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling.
 - a. Delete "General Classification."
 - b. Revise the front panel referral statement to read "See practical treatment and additional precautions on side panel."
 - c. Revise "This product is toxic to fish" to read "This pesticide is toxic to fish."
 - d. Move the Practical Treatment paragraph above the Environmental Hazards statements so that they are immediately below the human precautionary statements.
 - e. Under Maintenance Program, include instructions to test and maintain the water pH to between 7.2 to 7.6.
 - f. Include the company's street address on the label.

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2. Submit the final printed labeling for inclusion in the product file.

Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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

If you have any questions in this regard, please contact Ms. Ruth Douglas at (703) 557-3842.

Sincerely yours,

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Product Manager (32)

Antimicrobial Program Branch

Registration Division (TS-767C)

Enclosure

Sears
Bacteria and Algae Control

Di-Chlor Concentrate Granular

For Swimming Pools

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. 100% Soluble

. Quick Dissolving

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. Long Lasting

. Will Not Add Scale i

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ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Available Chlorine 63%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

See First Aid and Additional Precautions on Side Panel

NET WT. 5 LB. (2.25 kg)

EPA Reg. No. 6284-20

Precautionary Statements DANGER Hazards to Humans & Domestic Animals Keep Out Of Reach Of Children

Righly corrosive. Causes skin and eye damage. May be fatal if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. When handling, wear rubber gloves and goggles or face shield and use only thoroughly clean dry utensils. Irritating to nose and throat. Avoid breathing dust and fumes. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds, or public waterways unless in accordance with a NPDES permit. For guidance, contact the regional office of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS:

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT

dispensing device containing the remains 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, chlorine gas (and 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 with large volumes of water, if necessary.

PRACTICAL TREATMENT (FIRST AID)

IF SWALLOWED: Promptly drink large quantities of water. DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention. Avoid alcohol.

IF ON SKIN: Brush off excess chemical and flush skin with cold water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists get medical attention.

1F IN EYES: Flush with cold water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical OCT 3 I 1988 attention.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air. Get medical attention.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Keep this product dry in a tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat or open flame. 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 reuse empty container, but place in trash collection. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment.

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SEARS DI-CHLOR CONCENTRATE CRANULAR
Quick Dissolving-Long Lasting-Will Not Add Scale

Convenient and Effective Bacteria and Algae Control 100% Soluble

Quick dissolving, completely soluble Sears Di-Chlor Granular Concentrate takes the work out of pool care by providing a continuous and economical system of chlorine disinfection. For effective bacteria and algae control maintain an available chlorine level of 1 to 3 ppm as determined by Sears Chlorine Test Kit.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE General Classification

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

POOL START-UP -- INITIAL TREATMENT

When first filling your new pool or refilling with fresh water at any time:

- 1. Shock treat with Sears Di-Chlor Concentrate Granular as prescribed below, to destroy harmful bacteria.
- 2. Test pool water with Sears Test Kit and bring pH into 7.2-7.6 range. Add Sears Dry Acid to reduce pH or Soda Ash to increase ACCEPTED pH as prescribed on labels.

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- 3. Add Sears Water Conditioner as prescribed on label to protect chlorine against loss due to sunlight.

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- 4. Start maintenance program.

MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

Two ounces of Sears Di-Chlor Concentrate Granular will provide 1 ppm of available chlorine in 10,000 gallons of water. Add enough Sears Di-Chlor Concentrate Granular to maintain a chlorine reading of 1 to 3 ppm. Sears Di-Chlor Concentrate may be added directly to the surface of the pool water.

Test your pool water daily and make necessary adjustments with appropriate pool chemicals.

SHOCK TREAT

Shock your pool every two weeks, and after a rain or at the first eight of green or cloudy water. Extremes in temperature, swimmer loads, wind and dust can cause bectaria, algae and debris to accumulate in pool water and can require weekly shock treatment. To shock, add 20 ounces of Sears Di-Chlor Concentrate Granular per 10,000 gallons of pool water to bring chlorine level to a range of 10 ppm. Treat pool at night--do not allow swimmers to enter pool until chlorine level has dropped to 3 ppm.

Manufactured by Richey Industries, Inc., Medina, OH 44256 Sold by Sears, Roebuck and Co., Chicago, IL 60684 EPA Est. No. 6284-OH-2 EPA Reg. No. 6284-20