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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Subject:

Label Amendment Submission of 04/21/93 in Response to PR Notice 93-7

EPA Reg. No. 7001-330

CSC SLUG AND SNAIL BAIT

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is accepted subject to the comments reflected on the enclosed sheet. A copy of your proposed labeling stamped "ACCEPTED WITH COMMENTS" is enclosed.

WHAT THIS ACCEPTANCE MEANS:

Based on your certification, the Agency has accepted the labeling changes that are necessary to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) labeling requirements of 40 CFR part 156, subpart K, described in PR Notices 93-7 and 93-11. Any other labeling changes submitted in connection with this amendment application but not directly related to compliance with the WPS have not been reviewed or accepted by the Agency. If you wish to make such changes, you must submit a separate amendment application proposing them. If your product is currently suspended, the acceptance of this labeling amendment does not affect the suspension in any way.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NEXT:

By the next label printing make all the specified changes to your labeling. Send to EPA one (1) copy of the final printed labeling:

- BEFORE selling or distributing any product bearing the final printed labeling AND
- WITHIN one year from date of this acceptance.



Submit the final printed labeling via the U.S. Postal Service to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs (7505C)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

Hand or courier deliveries of final printed labeling may be made to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs
Room 266A, Crystal Mall 2
1921 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, VA 22202

Sincerely,

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

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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Office of Pesticide Programs Registration Division

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Comment for: EPA Reg Nr.7001-330 CSC SLUG AND SNAIL BAIT

The following specific comments pertain to your WPS labeling submission concerning the product cited above:

User Safety Recommendations must either be placed in a box or printed on the label in a contrasting color from surrounding text.

You may delete the respirator statement added to your proposed label. It is not required for your product.

The Agricultural Use Requirements section must be located in a clearly separate box on the product labeling -- with lines or other graphic indicators (such as contrasting color) to separate the section from the surrounding text.

You must retain from your original label any statements about entry restrictions that apply to the non-agricultural uses on your product. Create a Non-Agricultural Use Requirements box in the Directions For Use section of your labeling and add the statements: "The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses." Then add to the box the statements that are in brackets [] on your original label. Please refer to the instructions for creating a Non-Agricultural Use Requirements box starting on page 45 of Supplement Three to PR Notice 93-7 (Main Labeling Guidance).

Delete the crossed-out statements on your proposed label. They are redundant statements or phrases.

Correct the typographical errors circled on your proposed label.

SLUG and SNAIL BAIT

KILLS SLUGS AND SNAILS IN: HOME GARDENS, FRUIT AND VEGETABLE FARMS, GREENHOUSES AND ORCHARDS WHEN APPLIED TO SOIL AROUND PLANTS.

EPA Reg. No. 7001-330 EPA Est. No. 7001-CA-1

WARNING AVISO

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle. (If you do not understand the labe(s) find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

May be fatal if swallowed. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. This pesiticide may be fatal to dogs or other pets if caten. Keep pets out of treated areas.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

APPLICATORS AND OTHER HANDLERS MUST WEAR:

- . Coveralls over short-sleeved shirt and short pants
- . Waterproof gloves
- . Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks
- . Protective eyewear
- . Chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposure
- . Chemical-resistant apron when cleaning equipment, mixing, or loading
- . Dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C)

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Users should: (1) Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet; (2) Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing; (3) Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

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ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Follow directions and use with care. Dogs may be attracted to this bait. Do not apply directly to wet lands (swamps, bogs, marshes, and potholes). Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets.

DISPOSAL: (Homeowner) Do not reuse container. Wrap container and dispose of in trash. (Agricultural use) Completely empty bag into application equipment. Dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirement specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Workers Protection Standard.

Do not entry or allow entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours. PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil or water, is: Coveralls over short-sleeved shirt and short pants; waterproof gloves; chemical-resistant footwear plus socks; protective eyewear; chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposure.

Metaldehyde is specific against snails and slugs. It attracts them to the bait and then kills them. Spread bait in afternoon or night when 💪 ground is moist or wet for best results, as stugs and snails are most active on the soil surface then. Remove trash to reduce hiding and breeding places. Repeat applications usually are necessary as slugs and snails feed intermittently. Metaldehyde will not kill eggs

VEGETABLE CROPS: Field and garden uses on asparagus, beans, beets, blackeyed peas, broccoli, brussel sprouts, cabbage, cantaloupes, carrots, cauliflower, celery, collards, corn, cowpeas, cucumbers, eggplants, endive, garlic, horseradish, kale, kohlrabi, leeks, lettuce, melons, mustard greens, okra, onions, parsnips, peas, peppers, pimentoes, potatoes, purnpkins, radishes, rutabagas, salsity, shallots, spinach, squash (summer & winter), sweet potatoes, swiss chard, tomatoes, turnips, and watermelons: green-house use on cucumbers, lettuce, radishes, and tomatoes. Broadcast bait on the soil around vegetable crops. Avoid contamination of edible parts of the plants. Use 5 pounds of 10% bait per 1000 square feet. Repeat application at 2 week intervals if necessary.

BERRY PATCHES: (Blueberry, blackberry, dewberry, and raspberry bushes). Broadcast bait on the soil around the plants. Do not contaminate edible fruit. Use 16 pounds of 10% bait per acre. Repeat application if necessary.

STRAWBERRY BEDS: Broadcast bait on the soil surface in rows between the plants, or place several teaspoonfuls of bait in mounds around each plant. Do not contaminate edible fruit. Use 40 pounds of 10% bait per acre. Do not apply within 6 days of harvest.

BANANA PLANTINGS: Apply bait with a cyclone spreader or similar device evenly on the soil under the plants. Do not contaminate edible fruit. Use 48 pounds of 10% bait per acre. Repeat at 2 week intervals as necessary.

CITRUS OR AVOCADO ORCHARDS: Apply bait with a cyclone spreader or similar device eventy on the soil under the trees. Do not contaminate edible fruit. Use 15 pounds of 10% bait per acre. Repeat application as necessary.

ORNAMENTALS: Broadcast bait liberally and evenly on the soil around the plants. Avoid applying bait to open blooms of certain flowers such as Cataleya orchids. Repeat application as necessary.

NET WEIGHT POUNDS

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