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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Alden Leeds
55 Jacobus Avenue
South Kearney, NJ 07032

Attention: Steve Epstein
Vice President

Gentlemen:

Subject: Ortex 8 oz Slow Dissolving Chlorinating Tablets
EPA Registration No. 7124-53
Your Amendment Application Dated June 5, 1989

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

1. Make the following revisions before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling.
 - a. Move the Practical Treatment section up above the Environmental Hazards.
 - b. Revise the ingestion statement to read:

If Swallowed: Promptly drink a large quantity of water. Do not induce vomiting. Avoid alcohol. Call a physician immediately.

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 label is enclosed for your records.

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We have amended our records to reflect the product name change to "Ortex 8 or Slow Dissolving Chlorinating Tablets," as indicated per telecon with Larry Epstein on September 18, 1989. It has been noted that a letter confirming this name change request will be forwarded to us for inclusion in this product file.

Sincerely yours,



Jeff Kempter
Product Manager (32)
Antimicrobial Program Branch
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Enclosure

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS
DANGER: Highly corrosive. Causes skin and eye damage. May be fatal if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling. Irritating to nose and throat. Avoid breathing dust. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This product is toxic to fish. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds, or public waters unless in accordance with an NPDES Permit. For guidance contact the Regional office of EPA.
PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT: Mix only with water. Use clean dry materials. Do not add this product to any dispensing device containing remnants of any other product. Such use may cause a violent reaction leading to a fire or explosion. Contamination with oxidizers, organic matter, or other chemicals may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases, and possible generation of fire and explosion.
PRACTICAL TREATMENT: (First Aid): If swallowed, lead head soaked in milk followed by olive oil. Call a physician immediately. If on skin: Wash off excess chemical and flush skin with cold water for at least 15 minutes. If irritates parrots, get medical attention. If in eyes: Flush with cold water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS
PLEASE READ BEFORE OPENING CONTAINER
PREVENTION OF PHYSICAL INJURY:
1. This product emits a powerful chlorine gas. Do not open container indoors.
-Hold away from face when opening to avoid breathing fumes.
2. This product is dangerous when not used properly.
IMPROPER USE MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS PERSONAL INJURY REQUIRING

