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Decision # 439 928

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Dear Mr. Schmit:

Subject: Labeling Amendment; Revised Directions for Use
Rozol Prairie Dog Bait
EPA Registration No. 7173-286
Label submitted via E-mail on August 20, 2010

The proposed labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, is acceptable. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit one copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

EPA notes that a June 5, 2009 petition has been filed by the World Wildlife Fund, raising questions about whether Rozol meets the standard for registration under FIFRA. The Agency is currently reviewing the questions raised in the petition. EPA is approving this amendment request because the Agency finds that, when compared to the terms of the existing Rozol registration, the amended registration poses less or the same risk to health and the environment and thus, when compared to the existing registration, the amended registration will not result in unreasonable adverse effects on the environment. EPA's grant of this amendment request does not mean that the Agency has resolved the issues raised in the petition or that the amended registration has been found to fully comply with all the requirements of FIFRA. The Agency is continuing to consider the issues raised in the petition, and will as part of that process determine whether the Rozol registration as amended fully complies with FIFRA, or whether additional changes to the terms and conditions of registration (or cancellation of the registration) are appropriate. Approval of this label amendment does not affect any of the modified conditions of registration listed in EPA's October 29, 2009 letter to you. Any unfilled conditions of registration listed in the letter are still applicable.

Sincerely yours,

John Hebert
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RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE
DUE TO HAZARD TO NONTARGET ORGANISMS
 For retail sale to and use only by Certified Applicators or persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's Certification.



PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
 Hazard to Humans and Domestic Animals
CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin because it may reduce the clotting ability of blood and cause bleeding. Keep away from children, domestic animals and pets. Do not get in eyes on skin or on clothing. All handlers (including applicators) must wear shoes plus socks, and gloves. Any person who retrieves carcasses or unused bait following application of this product must wear gloves.

USER SAFETY REQUIREMENTS: Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash hands thoroughly after applying bait and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet and change into clean clothing.

FIRST AID: Have label when obtaining treatment advice.
 If swallowed: Call a 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.
 If on skin: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with plenty of cool water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

TREATMENT FOR PET POISONING: If animal eats bait, call veterinarian at once.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN OR VETERINARIAN: Anticoagulant
Chlorophacinone: If swallowed, this material may reduce the clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding. For humans or dogs that have ingested this product and/or have obvious poisoning symptoms (bleeding or prolonged prothrombin times), give Vitamin K₁ intramuscularly or orally.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Dogs and other predatory and scavenging mammals and birds might be poisoned if they feed upon animals that have eaten this bait. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Runoff also may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas.

DANGERED SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS: NOTICE: It is a Federal offense to use any pesticide in a manner that results in the death of an endangered species. Use of this product may pose a hazard to endangered or threatened species. Do not use this product within prairie dog towns in the range of the black-footed ferret without first contacting endangered species specialists at a U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service office. Applicators may obtain information regarding the occurrence of endangered species and use limitations for this product by calling EPA's "Endangered Species Hotline" at 1-800-447-3813 to obtain an "Interim Measures" pamphlet for your county. You may also consult your local agricultural extension office or state pesticide lead agency to determine if there are any requirements for use of this product.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE
 It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
READ THIS LABEL and follow all use directions and precautions. Only use for sites, pests, and application methods specified on this label.
IMPORTANT: Do not expose children, pets, or other nontarget animals to rodenticides. To help prevent accidents:
 1. Store product not in use in a location out of reach of children and pets.
 2. Dispose of product container, unused, spoiled and unconsumed bait as specified on this label.
Use restrictions: This product may only be used as follows:
 1. **Sites/Pests:** Black-furred Prairie Dogs (*Cynomys ludovicianus*) on rangeland and adjacent noncrop areas.
 2. **States:** Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas and Wyoming.
 3. **Application Method:** Hand application of bait, at least 6 inches down prairie dog burrows. This product may only be used in underground applications. **Do not apply bait on or above ground level. Treat only active burrows.**
 4. **Treatment Period:** Apply between October 1 and March 15 of the following year, when animals will most readily take the grain bait.
 5. **Non-Applicators:** Do not allow children, pets, domestic animals or persons not involved in the application to be in the area where the product is being applied.
 6. **Grazing Restriction:** Do not allow livestock to graze in treated areas for 14 days after treatment and when no bait is found above ground.
Site Assessment: Before applying this product, identify active prairie dog burrows by visual observation. The openings of active burrows will generally be free of leaves, seeds, other debris or spider webs, and will show freshly turned earth, and have prairie dog feces nearby.
Application: Apply 1/4 cup (53 grams or nearly 2 ounces) of bait at least 6 inches down active prairie dog burrows. **Make sure no bait is left on the soil surface at the time of application.** Applicator must retrieve and dispose of any bait that is spilled above ground or placed less than 6 inches down the burrow entrance.
Follow-up: Prairie dogs that have eaten this bait will begin to die off in 4 to 5 days after they eat a lethal amount. The applicator must return to the site within 4 days after bait application, and at 1 to 2 day intervals, to collect and properly dispose of any bait or dead or dying prairie dogs found on the surface. All carcasses found above ground must be collected and disposed of properly. Continue to collect and dispose of dead or dying prairie dogs and search for nontarget animals for at least two weeks, but longer if carcasses are still being found at that time. Carcass collections should occur in late afternoon, near sundown, to reduce the potential of nocturnal animals finding carcasses and dying animals. Bury carcasses on site in holes dug at least 18 inches deep or in inactive burrows (no longer being used by prairie dogs or other species) to avoid nontarget animal scavenging. Burial includes covering and packing the hole or burrow with soil. If burial is not practical (due to frozen ground, etc) and other disposal methods are allowed by state and local authorities, collected carcasses may be disposed of by such other methods as insure that the carcasses are inaccessible to scavengers.
Reapplication: If prairie dog activity persists several weeks or months after the bait was applied, a second application may be made, by treating burrows in the same manner, time period and procedure as the first application. Follow all application, site assessment and follow-up directions and use restrictions as found above.
WARRANTY: To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions. (081910)

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL
 Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **Pesticide Storage:** Store only in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets. Keep containers closed and away from other chemicals. **Pesticide Disposal:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be placed in trash or delivered to an approved waste disposal facility. **Container Handling:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Dispose of empty container by placing in trash, at an approved waste disposal facility or by incineration or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

Active Ingredient: chlorophacinone 0.005%
 Inert Ingredients 99.995%
 Total 100.000%

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CAUTION: See side panel for additional precautionary statements.

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ACCEPTED WEIGHT:

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 7173-286

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