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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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GLB Pool & SPA
6120 West Douglas Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Attention: Marianne Radtke
Regulatory Affairs Manager

Subject: SPA 56 Chlorinating Concentrate Granular
EPA Registration Number 7364-80
Your Amendment Dated Dated October 14, 1997

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provided that you make the labeling change listed below before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling.

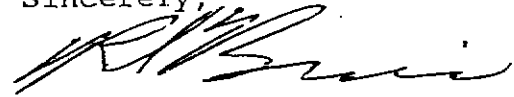
1. Revise the Environmental Hazards to read as follows:

"This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA".

A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Submit one copy of the final printed label before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended label.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact me at (703) 308-6264.

Sincerely,



Robert S. Brennis
Acting Product Manager (32)
Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7504C)

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with COMMENTS
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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as
amended for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.

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CHLORINATING CONCENTRATE GRANULAR

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Sodium Dichloro-s-Triazinetrione Dihydrate.....99%

INERT INGREDIENTS:.....1%

Available Chlorine.....55%

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
DANGER**

See other precautions and first aid on back panel.

Net Wt.: 2 LBS. (907 Grams)

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER: Highly corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Causes burns to skin. Irritating to nose and throat. May be fatal if swallowed. Will burn with the evolution of chlorine and equally toxic gases. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling. Avoid breathing dust or fumes. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

FIRST AID: IF SWALLOWED: Promptly drink one or two large glasses of water or milk. DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention. Avoid alcohol. **IF ON SKIN:** Immediately brush off excess chemical and flush with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash clothing before reuse. If irritation persists, call a physician. **IF IN EYES:** Flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention. **IF INHALED:** Remove person to fresh air. Call a physician. **NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARD: Strong oxidizing agent. Will burn with the evolution of chlorine and equally toxic gases. Contact with water slowly liberates irritating and hazardous chlorine-containing gases. Mix only with water. Use clean dry utensils. Do not add this product to any dispensing device containing remnants of any other product. Such use may cause a violent reaction leading to fire or explosion. Contamination with moisture, organic matter or other chemicals may start a reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible generation of fire and explosion. In case of fire, if possible isolate container in open air or well ventilated area. Flood with large volume of water. In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reuse container. **KEEP THIS AND ALL OTHER CHEMICALS OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN FOR THEIR SAFETY.**

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds, or public waters. For guidance contact the regional office of EPA.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

Keep product dry in 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 with large amounts of water to dissolve all material before discarding. Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container and put in trash. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

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

FOR CHLORINATING:

1. Add 1/4 oz. of this product per 500 gallons of water to the water prior to entering the spa. Wait 5 minutes then check chlorine residual. Residual chlorine must read between 2 to 3 ppm. If it does not, additional dosages of material should be added until it does. Once the chlorine residual is established in the 2 to 3 ppm range, the spa or hot tub may be entered.
2. Maintain. This product should be added daily or as necessary to maintain 2 to 3 ppm residual chlorine. Frequent checks should be made of residual chlorine using a reliable test kit. This product should be broadcast over the surface of the water and allowed at least 5 minutes mix time before sampling. Note: Heavy bather usage or the use of oils or lotions may increase the chlorine demand of the spa or hot tub resulting in the need for more frequent checks of chlorine residual.
3. Check pH: pH should be monitored with a reliable test kit and maintained at 7.2 to 7.8 range for clean, sparkling water. pH can be increased by adding a suitable agent such as sodium bisulphate or increased by adding a suitable agent such as sodium bicarbonate.

OR:

FOR SUPERCHLORINATING:

It is good practice to superchlorinate each 2 to 4 weeks. To superchlorinate add 1 oz. of this product for each 500 gallons of water. Thoroughly clean spa, vacuum and cycle through filter. Resume program when chlorine residual reads 2 to 3 ppm. It is good practice to superchlorinate each 2 to 4 weeks.

HOW TO CALCULATE SPA CAPACITY

Shape of Spa or Hot Tub	Gallons of Water (Dimensions in ft.)
Rectangular	Average depth x average width x 7.5
Circular	Diameter x diameter x average depth x 5.9
Oval with straight sides	Width x length x average depth x 6.7
Irregular	Consult spa or hot tub manufacturer

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