

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Ms Leslie Oliver Agent for Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc C/O Mandava Associates, LLC 6860 N Dallas Parkway, Suite 200, Plano, TX 75034

JUN 4 2009

Subject: Label Notification(s) for Pesticide Registration Notice 2007-4 and 2008-1

Dear Registrant:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application(s) for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 and 2008-1 dated January 14, 2009 for:

# EPA Registration 7401-23 Ferti-Lome Crabgrass, Nutgrass & Dallis Grass Killer

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for applicability under PRN 2007-4 and 2008-1 and finds that the label change(s) requested falls within the scope of PRN-2007-4 and 2008-1. The label has been date-stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on nonrefillable containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by non-notification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at 703-305-6249 or Banza Diapao of my staff at 703-305-7269.

Sincerely,

Linda Arrington

Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader Registration Division (7505P)

Office of Pesticide Programs



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4. Company/Product (Name) ferti-lome Crabgrass, Nutgrass & Dallis Grass Killer				PM# 25				None	Restricted	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code)  Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.  230 N. FM 87  Bonham, Texas 75418  Check if this is a new address			6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to:  EPA Reg. No.  Product Name  JUN 0 4 2009							
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Amendment - Explain below.  Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated  X Notification - Explain below.			·	Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated "Me Too" Application.  Other - Explain below.						
Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)  Notification of label change relative to PR Notices 2008-1 and 2007-4. This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notices 2008-1 and 2007-4 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CPR 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146 and 156.156. No other changes have been made to the labeling or the Confidential Statement of Formula for this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to wilfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if the amended label is not consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146 and 156.156, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.										
	Section - III									
1. Material This Product V	/iii Be Packaged in:									
Child-Resistant Packaging Yes*  X No Certification must	Unit Packaging Yes X No If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.	No. per container	Water Soluble Packaging  Yes  No  If "Yes"  No. per Package wgt  Containe			r	2. Type of Container  Metal  Heatic Glass Paper Other (Specify)			
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Name Madhu Mandava			1				1	No. (Inc 72,265-79	lude Area Code)	
Certification  I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and completa.  I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.  6. Date Application Received  Received  (Stamped)					ved					
2. Signeture  M. Murule  4. Typod Name			3. Title Agent for Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.							
4. Typed Name Madhu Mandava			5. Date April 30, 2009							

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January 14, 2009

Mr. Jim Tompkins US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs Registration Division (7504P) Ariel Rios Building 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20460

SUBJECT: EPA Registration Number: 7401-23; ferti-lome Crabgrass, Nutgrass & Dallis Grass Killer; Notification Per PR Notices 2008-1 and 2007-4

Dear Mr. Tompkins:

On behalf of Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. (VPG), we are submitting notification for change in Storage and Disposal Statements per PR Notice 2007-4 and Environmental Hazards Statements per PR Notice 2008-1 for ferti-lome Crabgrass, Nutgrass & Dallis Grass Killer; (EPA Registration Number: 7401-23).

Enclosed with this submission, please find the following:

- 1) Application for Pesticide Registration Notification
- 2) Two amended labels clearly marked
- 3) One original label

Please update the agency records in consideration of this notification.

If you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact me at (972) 265-7925.

Sincerely,

Leslie Oliver

Agent for Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.

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# 7401-23 Ferti-lome Crabgrass, Nutgrass & Dallis Grass Killer

Attachment for Section II of form 8570-1

"Notification of label change per PR Notice 2007-4. This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notice 2007-4 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CFR §§ 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156. No other changes have been made to the labeling or the Confidential Statement of Formula for this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if the amended label is not consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR §§ 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA."

"Notification of label change relative to PR Notice 2008-1. This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notice 2008-1 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CFR 156.10, 40 CFR 156.80 and 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or the confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the guidance of PR Notice 2008-1 and the requirements of 40 CFR 156.10, 40 CFR 156.80 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA."

Signature Oliver

Agent for Voluntary Purchaing Groups, Inc. Title

April 23, 2009 Date

### [FRONT LABEL PANEL]

### [FOR BEST RESULTS, USE IN HOT SUNNY WEATHER]

### ferti-lome®

### Crabgrass, Nutgrass & Dallis Grass Killer

- Kills Crabgrass, Dallis Grass, Johnson Grass, Sandbur, Nutgrass, Bur Clover, Chickweed, Barnyard Grass and Certain Other Nuisance Grasses in Bermuda, Bluegrass and Zoysia Grass Lawns.
- 4 Teaspoons Make 1 Gallon of Spray
- 1 Pint Covers 3,000 Sq. Ft.

### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

*Monosodium a	13.2%				
<b>INERT INGRE</b>	EDIENTS	:			86.8%
TOTAL:		100.	00%		
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<sup>\*</sup>Total arsenic (as elemental) all in water soluble form......6.1%

### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

### **CAUTION**

See Back/Side Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

Net	Contents	•

<sup>\*\* 1.2</sup> lb MSMA/Gallon

### [BACK/SIDE LABEL PANEL]

	FIRST AID
_	abel with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for act 1-800-222-1222 or 1-800-900-4044 for emergency medical treatment
If swallowed	Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.
	<ul> <li>Have a person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
If on skin or clothing	Take off contaminated clothing.
,	<ul> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> </ul>
	• Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If inhaled	Move person to fresh air.
	<ul> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give</li> </ul>
	artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.
	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Keep children and pets off treated area until this material has been washed into the soil. Wear protective clothing when handling or applying this product, including long pants, long-sleeved shirt and impermeable gloves and boots.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

To protect the environment, do not allow pesticide to enter or run off into storm drains, drainage ditches, gutters or surface waters. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area. Rinsing application equipment over the treated area will help avoid run off to water bodies or drainage systems.

### [BACK/SIDE LABEL PANEL]

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

### 1. WHAT IS THIS PACKAGE FOR?

This is a newer and more effective selection post-emergence weed killer developed to kill Crabgrass, Dallis Grass, Johnson Grass, Sandbur (Sandspur) Nutgrass, Chickweed, Bur Clover, Barnyard Grass, Water Grass, Goose Grass, Nutsedge, Ragweed, Foxtail and Puncture Vine.

### 2. HOW DO YOU USE IT?

Be sure soil is moist before treatments. During dry spells, water thoroughly before making applications. Normal rainfall following application will not adversely affect results. Resume keeping soil moist day after application, especially during hot, dry weather.

**LAWNS:** Best results are obtained on young, actively growing weeds at temperatures above 70°F. Mix 4 teaspoons in 1 gallon of water and apply to 100 sq. ft. (or 1 pint in 30 gallons of water applied to 3000 sq. ft.). Spray thoroughly to wet all undesirable weeds. Use twice the above specified rate if temperature remains below 70°F. as in spring and fall. Two treatments are needed at 5 to 7 day intervals.

Do not apply with hose-end applicators.

To control new growth later in season, repeat as necessary. Lawn may be reseeded when crabgrass is dead. Do not over-spray in spots. New turf should not be treated until after the third mowing.

**NOTE:** Do not use on St. Augustine, Carpet, Centipede, Bahia or Dichondra grass lawns.

### 3. HERE ARE THE RESULTS YOU SHOULD EXPECT!

Lawns free of Crabgrass, Dallis Grass and other listed weeds may be obtained with this effective and economical weed killer.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in original container. Keep in an area inaccessible to children and pets.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: If Empty: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

# [BACK/SIDE PANEL]

Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this material not in strict accordance with directions given herewith.

# Released For Shipment By:

VOLUNTARY PURCHASING GROUPS, INC. P.O. BOX 460 BONHAM, TEXAS 75418

> EPA Reg. No. 7401-23 EPA Est. No. 7401-TX-1

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