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United States
Environmental Protection Agency
Washington, DC 20460

- Registration
- Amendment
- Other

OPP Identifier Number

Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 7401-26	2. EPA Product Manager Linda Arrington	3. Proposed Classification <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) ferti-lome Systemic Insecticide Granules	PM# Notification Team	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. P.O. Box 460 Bonham, TX 75418 <input type="checkbox"/> 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 _____	

Section - II

- Amendment - Explain below.
- Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____
- Notification - Explain below.
- Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
- "Me Too" Application.
- Other - Explain below.

NOTIFICATION
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Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)

Notification to add "additional front panel selling claims". This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-10 and EPA regulations at 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 terms of PR Notice 98-10 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.

Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Metal	<input type="checkbox"/> Plastic
* Certification must be submitted		If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.	No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt.	No. per container
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input type="checkbox"/> Label <input type="checkbox"/> Container		4. Size(s) Retail Container		5. Location of Label Directions	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input type="checkbox"/> Stenciled				<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)		
Name Marla K. Jackson	Title Agent for Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 972-939-8390
Certification I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.		8. Date Application Received (Stamped)
2. Signature 	3. Title Agent for Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.	
4. Typed Name Marla K. Jackson	5. Date 03/21/2003	

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[FRONT LABEL PANEL]

ferti•lome®

Systemic Insecticide Granules

[Optional proposed text appears in brackets - the final label may include some or all of the optional text]

[For Roses, Shrubs and Flowers]

[Ready-To-Use Granules]

[Controls Aphids, Lacebugs, Leafhoppers, Mites, Thrips on Roses and Shrubs Around the Home]

[For Use on Ornamental Shrubs Around The Home]

[For Use on Roses, Flowers, and Shrubs Around the Home]

[Ready-To-Use Granules For Roses, Shrubs, Flowers and Potted Plants]

[One Application Lasts 4 to 6 Weeks]

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ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Disulfoton: O,O-Diethyl S-2-(ethylthio) ethyl phosphorodithioate	2.00%
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INERT INGREDIENTS:	<u>98.00%</u>
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TOTAL:	100.00%
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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

See Back/Side Label Panel for Additional Precautionary language

Net Contents _____

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[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.

Do not contaminate feed or food. Keep children and pets away from treated area until product is worked and watered into soil and treated areas are completely dry.

1. WHAT IS THIS PACKAGE FOR?

This package of ferti•lome® Systemic Insecticide Granules protects plants such as Roses, Chrysanthemums, Azaleas, Pyracantha, Spires and Birch from damage by Aphids, Spider Mites, Thrips, Leaf Miners, Whiteflies, Lace Bugs and Leafhoppers. ferti•lome® Systemic Insecticide Granules enters a plant through its roots (systemic action) and is then moved to all parts of the plant through natural growth and sap flow. Working from inside of the plant, it controls the listed sucking type insects that feed on this plant.

2. HOW DO YOU USE IT?

Apply the ready-to-use granules uniformly (see Recommended Application) to the soil around the base of the plant. Mix the granules into the top soil, then water. The chemical, released from the granules, will reach into the root zone and be absorbed into the plant. The granules can also be scattered over planting beds and mixed into the top soil before sowing seed or setting bulbs or transplants. Additional applications of ferti•lome® Systemic Insecticide Granules can be made at 4 to 6 week intervals as needed to maintain insect control after the plants start to grow.

[BACK/SIDE LABEL PANEL CONT'D.]

RECOMMENDED APPLICATIONS

Plants	Insects	Amount to Use
<p>For Flowers: Ageratum, Calendula, Carnation, Chrysanthemum , Delphium, Petunia, and Other Flowers</p>	<p>To Control: Aphids (Plant Lice), Lace Bugs, Leafhoppers, Spider Mites, Thrips, Whiteflies</p>	<p>Before Planting: Apply 16 ounces evenly over 200 square feet (10' x 20') of bed area and work into the top 2 to 3 inches of soil. Sow seed or set plants and water thoroughly.</p> <p>Growing Plants: For Individual Plants: Apply one rounded teaspoonful around base of plant, work into soil and water thoroughly. For Flowers in a Row: Apply one rounded teaspoonful per foot of row in a narrow band near base of plants, work into top soil and water thoroughly. Repeat application at 4 to 6 weeks intervals if insects reappear. Potted Plants: Apply one rounded teaspoonful per 6 inch pot. Mix thoroughly into top soil and drench with water.</p>
<p>Shrubs, Azalea, Birch, Camellia, Euonymus, Pine, Rhododendron, Roses, Yew, and Other Shrubs</p>	<p>Aphids (Plant Lice), Holly & Birch Leaf Miner, Lace Bugs, Leafhoppers, Mimosa Webworm, Pine Tip Moth, Spider Mites, Thrips, Whiteflies</p>	<p>Apply 2 to 4 rounded tablespoons per foot of shrub height. Use the lower rate for shrubs up to 3 feet and the higher rate for shrubs from 3 to 6 feet in height. Distribute the required amount evenly from the base of shrub to the drip line on all sides of the plant. Work into the top 1 to 2 inches of soil and water thoroughly. Repeat application at 4 to 6 week intervals if required.</p>

3. **HERE ARE THE RESULTS YOU MAY EXPECT!**
 ferti•lome® Systemic Insecticide Granules controls the listed sucking type insects, thereby allowing flowers, shrubs, roses and ornamentals to grow vigorously to provide beautiful blooms, flowers and shrubs.

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[BACK/SIDE LABEL PANEL CONT'D.]

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Keep out of reach of children and pets. Store in original containers only. Store in cool, dry place and avoid excess heat.

DISPOSAL: **If empty:** Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WARNING: May be fatal if swallowed or inhaled. Do not breathe dust. Rapidly absorbed through the skin. Do not get on skin, in eyes or on clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not apply broadcast applications to lawns.

FIRST AID

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 or 1-800-900-4044 for emergency medical treatment information.

If swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call 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. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If on skin or clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take off contaminated clothing. • Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If in eyes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. • Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If inhaled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Move person to fresh air. • If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. • Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Disulfoton is an organophosphate insecticide. If symptoms of cholinesterase inhibition are present, atropine sulfate by injection is antidotal. 2-PAM is also antidotal and may be administered, but only in conjunction with atropine. Questions? 1-800-424-9300

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ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish, birds, and other wildlife. Keep out of lakes, streams, or ponds. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment, or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

Food utensils such as a teaspoon or measuring cup should not be used for food purposes after use with insecticide.

NOTE: Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this product not in strict accordance with directions given herewith. Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. warrants this product to conform to the chemical description on the label and for the purposes stated on the label. The limit of any liability incurred shall be the purchase price paid by the user or buyer.

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Notification Team

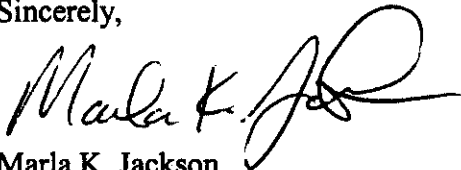
Subject: Registration Notification
ferti-lome® Systemic Insecticide Granules
EPA Reg. No. 7401-26

Dear Ms. Arrington:

This submission is being made on behalf of our client, Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. We are providing the attached notification to add "additional front panel selling claims". Please find one copy of product labeling with the changes underscored.

Should you have any questions or need additional information please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



Marla K. Jackson
Agent for Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.

attachment as noted

cc: Ms. Christina Brown - Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.