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Ms. Mary Beth Endres Agent VOLUNTARY PURCHASING GROUPS, INC 2001 Diamond Ridge Drive Carollton, TX 75010-4509

SUBJECT:

Label Amendment

fert-lome Premergent Weed and Grass Control, EPA Reg. No. 7401-318

Your Application Dated September 27, 2001

The above mentioned amendment submitted in connection with registration under Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended is acceptable provided you make the required changes listed below:

- 1. Under the heading "Kills:" remove "many others" specify weeds for which you have efficacy data.
- 2. Under "Hazards to Humans" change "boots" to "waterproof boots".
- 3. Under "First Aid" delete "information" from the sentence "You may want to contact 911....".
- 4. Under "Environmental Hazard" change "water table (ground water) is close toe the surface..." to "water table is within 3 feet of the surface".

CONCURRENCES								
SYMBOL >	7505C				***************************************			
SURNAME >	MINOR, E.	}						
DATE -	Nov 1, 2001							

EPA Form 1320-1 (12-70)

A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit one(1) final printed copy for the above mentioned label before releasing the product for shipment. The amended labeling supersedes all previously accepted ones.

Sincerely,

James Tompkins

Product Manager, (25)

Herbicide Branch

Registration Division (7505C)

Enclosure

ferti•lome®

Premergent Weed & Grass Control

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

[For Use In Home Lawns]

[Kills 38 Weeds and Grasses]

[Killer 38 Weed and Grasses In Home Lawns]

[For St. Augustine, Dormant Bermuda Grass, and Centipede Grass]

[1 1/2 Tablespoon Covers 500 Sq. Ft.]

[3 Tablespoons Covers 1,000 Sq. Ft.]

4 ½ ozs. Covers 3,000 Sq. Ft.]

[8 ozs. Covers 5,540 Sq. Ft.]

[1 pint Covers 10,900 Sq. Ft.]

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Date

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

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Atrazine: 2-chloro-4-ethylamino-6-isopropylamino-s-triazine	40.8 %
Related Compounds	2.2%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	<u>57.0%</u>
TOTAL:	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

NET CONTENTS 1 PINT (16 F. Ozs.)

KILLS:

Henbit, Chickweed, Clover, Spurge, Crabgrass, Sandspur, Quackgrass, Pigweed, Yellow Nutsedge, Purslane, Knotweed, Thistle, Barnyard Grass, Lambsquarters, Wild Oats, Foxtail, Ragweed, Cudweed, Moneywort, Dichondra, Florida Betony, Witchweed, Morning Glory, Spurweed, Kochia, Annual Bluegrass, Narrowleaf Vetch, Swinecrest, Cranesbill, Nightshade, Velvetleaf, Smutgrass, and many others.

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

NOT FOR USE ON TURF BEING GROWN FOR SALE OR OTHER COMMERCIAL USE AS SOD, OR FOR COMMERCIAL SEED PRODUCT, OR FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES.

1. WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT FOR?

Use this product to effectively kill unsightly weeds in home lawns. See the front panel for a partial list of weeds controlled.

2. HOW DO YOU USE IT?

Mix with water and apply uniformly to the lawn. Apply with a pump-up or compressed air type sprayer or with a hose-end type sprayer. ferti•lome® Premergent weed & Grass Control will kill both emerged weeds and weeds from seeds. Rain or watering within 2 or 3 days of application may decrease the effectiveness on emerged weeds. However, for control of weeds from seeds, rainfall or watering is necessary within 7 to 10 days after treatment.

3. HERE ARE THE RESULTS YOU MAY EXPECT!

This very economical and easy-to-use product will effectively control annoying and unsightly problem weeds in home lawns.

ST. AUGUSTINE & CENTIPEDE GRASSES: ferti-lome® Premergent weed & Grass Control may be applied to established St. Augustine and Centipede grasses during both the dormant and the growing season. Best results are usually obtained in the early Spring or dormant periods when weeds are small or have not emerged.

DORMANT BERMUDA GRASS: Apply to Bermuda Grass during the dormant season. Applications to Bermuda Grass during the growing season will cause injury. Follow rates on table below.

DICHONDRA, MONEYWORT: The best control for these weeds can be obtained by making an application in early April followed with a second application in July. Do not apply to growing Bermuda Grass. Applications for Spurweed or Florida Betony generally will give control or suppression of the other weeds listed. However, as a general rule ferti-lome Prentergent weed & Grass Control will give best control when applied to young tender weeds or just prior to weed emergence.

FLORIDA BENTONYL: This weed emerges in the fall so an application in mid to late February would give the best control.

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SPURWEED: The best control of Spurweed can be obtained by applying spray when Spurweed has emerged (December and January).

RATE OF APPLICATION: Determine the total area to be sprayed and base rate of application on the chart below. Avoid overlapping spray pattern while treating. Shake contents well before mixing.

Area To Be Treated	Amount Of Product	Suggested Amount Of Water
500 sq. ft.	1 ½ tbs.	1 gal.
1,000 sq. ft.	3 tbs.	2 gal.
3,000 sq. ft.	4 ½ ozs.	6 gal.
5,450 sq. ft.	8 ozs.	10 gal.
10,900 sq. ft.	1 pint	20 gal.

Note: Do not apply within the active root zones of vegetables, or desirable ornamental plants such as Camellias, Azaleas, Boxwoods, etc. Do not plant any crop (flower or vegetable) to treated area for 18 months or injury may result.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Storage: Store in original container and place in locked storage area.

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

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. Do not breathe spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Users should wear long sleeve shirts, and long pants or equivalent, chemical resistant gloves, and boots. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Keep children and pets off the treated area until spray has dried. Food utensils such as teaspoons and measuring cups should not be used for food purposes after use with this product.

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FIRST AID				
If Swallowed	 Call poison control center or immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass fo 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 Inhaled	 Move victim 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. 			
If on Skin or Clothing	 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	 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. 			
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for help. You may also want to contact 911 for emergency medical treatment information.				

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: There is no specific antidote for atrazine. If this product is ingested, induce emesis or lavage stomach. The use of an aqueous slurry of activated charcoal may be considered.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Atrazine can travel (seep or leach) through soil and can enter ground water which maybe used as drinking water. Atrazine has been found in ground water. Users are advised not to apply Atrazine to sand and loamy soils where the water table (ground water) is close to the surface and where these soils are very permeable, i.e. well-drained. Your local agricultural agencies can provide further information on the type of soil in your area and the location of ground water.

This product is toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water. Runoff and drift from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organicism in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

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

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> EPA Reg. No. 7401-318 EPA Est. No. 7401-TX-1

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