

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, DC 20460

OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

April 15, 2016

Ms. Cristina Griffin Agent for KIK Pool Additives, Inc 12510 Prosperity Drive, Suite 160 Silver Springs, MD 20904

Subject: Amended Reregistration Label Product Name: Algy Bar 230 EPA Registration Number: 7616-57 Decision Number: 455729

Dear Ms. Griffin:

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all of the information submitted with your application to support the reregistration of the above referenced product in connection with the Busan 77 RED, and has concluded that your submission is acceptable. The label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA, as amended, is acceptable.

NOTE: This product is <u>not</u> yet being reregistered under section 4(g) of FIFRA.

Please note that the record for this product currently contains the Confidential Statements of Formulation (CSFs) listed below. Any previously dated CSFs are superseded.

- Basic CSF, dated 7/5/13
- Alternate CSF 1, dated 7/5/2013

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

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A copy of your label stamped "Accepted" is enclosed. Products shipped after 12 months from the date of this amendment or the next printing of the label, whichever occurs first, must bear the new revised label. Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended label constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Jacqueline Hardy by phone at (703) 308-6416, or via email at hardy.jacqueline@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Jacque Hardy

Jacqueline Hardy, Product Manager (34) Regulatory Management Branch II Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

Enclosure Stamped Label

# ALGY BAR 230

[Previously approved Alternate Brand Names:] Aqua Guard Green Algaecide Kem Tek Green Algaecide Kem-Tek Pool & Spa Care Green Algaecide



Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 7616-57

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

See back panel for [First Aid and] other precautions [or See [First Aid statement and] additional precautions on back panel] [the "See back panel..." may be omitted if all labeling is on the same panel, e.g., the kit box]

Net [Contents]: \_\_\_\_\_

[*The following may appear in any appropriate place on the label:*] Manufactured by [for]: KIK Pool Additives Inc. 5160 E. Airport Dr. Ontario, Calif. 91761

[Optional: Following may be included in addition to "Manufactured by [for]" address above: Distributed by [or Sold by] [or Marketed by] Insert additional company name and address]

EPA Reg. No. 7616-57 EPA Est. Nos.: 7616-CA-01

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#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION. Harmful if swallowed and absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

[For containers smaller than 5 gallons use the following:] ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish, aquatic invertebrates, and clams.

[In accordance with PR notice 95-1, use the following complete Environmental Hazards statement for containers 5 gallons and larger]

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is toxic to fish, aquatic invertebrates, and clams. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or other 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 local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

#### PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not mix with acids, ammonia, oxidizers, bleach or other household chemicals.

**FIRST AID:** Call a poison control center [(1-800-222-1222)] or doctor for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. **If swallowed**: Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. DO NOT induce vomiting unless told to do so by poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. **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. **If on Skin or Clothing:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. **If inhaled**: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. *[First Aid may be in table form]* 

[Optional Label Claims/location optional:] [Claims may be in upper or lower case] ABC Smart[er] [Pool Care] [System] Algaecide Algae Care Concentrated For Green & Mustard Algae For Prevention And Treatment Of [Mustard], [Green], [And] ["Black" Algae] For Spas and Hot Tubs For Winterizing Pool Helps Keep Pool Water Clear [Insert #] Step Pool Care System Non-Foaming Part Of The Kem Tek Pool Care System Part Of The Simply Smart[er] [Pool] [Care] [System] Step [insert #] Suitable for All Pools Suitable for Closing / Opening Pool Suitable for Spas and Hot Tubs Swim [After Use<sup>†</sup>] [In 15 Minutes<sup>†</sup>] [In Just 15 Minutes After Use<sup>†</sup>] Use To Open / Close Pool Use Weekly

<sup>†</sup>Pool may be used in 15 minutes after adding this product only when chlorine level is at or below 3 ppm.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

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

ALGY BAR 230 is used to control the growth of algae in swimming pools, exterior spas, whirlpools, hot tubs, decorative fountains and ponds that do not contain fish. For maximum effectiveness: Clean heavy growth of algae prior to using ALGY BAR 230 in pools, spas, whirlpools, hot tubs, decorative fountains, and ponds that do not contain fish.

#### [Use one or more of the following sets of directions]

**TO CLOSE POOL FOR WINTER:** Add 23.5 to 36.4 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 per 10,000 gallons. Operate the pump system 4-8 hours (minimum) after application.

**FOR POOLS HAVING JUST VISIBLE ALGAE GROWTH:** [*or* **TO OPEN** /**CLOSE POOL**] Add an initial dose of 23.5 to 36.4 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 per 10,000 gallons of water and remove settled algae debris by cleaning. For treatment of freshly cleaned and filled pool add initially 12.8 to 23.5 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 per 10,000 gallons of water. Add 4.3 to 8.6 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 per 10,000 gallons every 5 to 7 days after initial treatment for maintenance.

**SPAS, WHIRLPOOLS, HOT TUBS DECORATIVE FOUNTAINS AND PONDS HAVING JUST VISIBLE ALGAE GROWTH**: Require an initial dose of 2 to 4 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 per 1,000 gallons of water. For treatment of freshly cleaned and filled spas, whirlpools, hot tubs, decorative fountains or ponds add initially 1 to 2 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 per 1,000 gallons of water. Add 0.5 to 0.8 fluid ounces of ALGY BAR 230 every 5 to 7 days after initial treatment for maintenance. ALGY BAR 230 is compatible with those chemicals normally used to treat pools and spas and is effective at both acid and alkaline pH. ALGY BAR 230 can be used in pools and spas treated with chlorine chemicals and may reduce the amount of those chemicals normally required. However, do not mix ALGY BAR 230 with concentrated dry or liquid chlorine products.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Keep product in tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, wellventilated area away from heat or open flame. CONTAINER HANDLING: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. IF EMPTY: Place in trash [collection] 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.

[GRAPHICS]



[Brand name AQUA GUARD<sup>™</sup> or Kem Tek<sup>™</sup> or Kem-Tek Pool & Spa Care may be used] [optional]: **5-Step Pool Care System** 

SWIMMING POOL WINTERIZING KIT For Closing Pool for the Winter [Algaecide] – [Shock] – [Metal Out] [FREE POOL CARE ADVICE]

[1-800-SOS-POOL]

[this information may be on another panel] Net Contents:

- •\_\_\_\_ Qts [ or Gal] [insert ABN for 7616-57]
- Lbs. [insert ABN for 7616-78]
- •\_\_\_\_ Lbs. [insert ABN for other relevant EPA registered product]

• \_\_\_\_ Gal. Aqua Guard Metal Out [Non-EPA registered product; may substitute name for same product]

[Kit contents may be listed on another panel]

[Kit labeling front panel may include graphics, ingredient statements, and other information from EPA approved labels included in the kit] [Kit label name may vary]

[Note: Kit is to include EPA Reg. registered product labels fully visible on outside kit box as well as on the corresponding container inside the box.]

[Optional: Kit Label]

[The following may placed on front, side, or back panel of box and/or as an insert]

STEPS FOR USING WINTERIZING KIT:

- (1) Clean pool by skimming, brushing and vacuuming thoroughly.
- (2) Add Aqua Guard Metal Out [or similar brand name for non registered product] per dosage in directions for use.
- (3) Balance pool water. Adjust pH to 7.2-7.6. Adjust Alkalinity to 80-120ppm.
- (4) Shock (superchlorinate) pool. Follow [insert ABN for EPA Reg. No. 7616-78] dosage in directions for use.
- (5) Allow the chlorine level to drop below 5.0 ppm before adding algaecide and using pool cover.
- (6) When chlorine level reaches 3 ppm, add *[insert ABN for EPA Reg. No. 7616-57]* per dosage in directions for use.
- (7) Lower pool water level 12" 18" below the skimmer for mesh covers and 3" 6" below the tile for solid, floating covers.
- (8) Winterize the pool plumbing and equipment properly according to region weather and manufacturer's instructions.

[The following information may be used on the insert or panel containing this information, location optional]

### SWIMMING POOL WINTERIZING KIT

For Closing Pool for the Winter [Algaecide] – [Shock] – [Metal Out] [FREE POOL CARE ADVICE 1-800-SOS-POOL]

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[**Non EPA registered label:** for inclusion in kit with registered products; other brand name for a non registered product may be used.]

# AQUA GUARD™ METAL OUT

Eliminates and Prevents the Growth of Metal Stains, Discoloration and Scale Formation

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN / NO SE DEJE AL ALCANCE DE LOS NINOS CAUTION: IRRITANT / PRECAUCION: IRRITANTE See back panel for First Aid statement and other precautions

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detaile.

AQUA GUARD<sup>™</sup> METAL OUT eliminates and prevents the growth of metal stains, discolorations, and scale growth.

**DIRECTIONS:** To close pool for winter, add one (1) quart of Aqua Guard Metal Out per 10,000 gallons of water being treated, add eight (8) ounces per 10,000 gallons whenever fresh water is added. NOTE: This product is acidic, always add while the recirculation system is running into the outlet stream and away from the wall to assure maximum dispersion. If the pH of the water drops below the recommended range (becomes acidic), AQUA GUARD<sup>™</sup> METAL OUT should be added prior to correcting the pH.

**CONTAINS:** Polyphosphonic acid.

**PRECAUTIONS:** Irritant. Avoid contact with eye, skin, or clothing. Harmful if swallowed. Keep out of reach of children and pets.

#### FIRST AID:

**If swallowed**: Promptly drink large quantity of water if able to swallow. DO NOT induce vomiting. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Avoid alcohol. If symptoms occur call the Poison Control Center or a physician immediately. Get medical attention.

If in Eyes: Immediately flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**If on Skin:** Wash area with plenty of warm soapy water. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash clothing before reuse. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. For assistance call 1-800-767-7665.

**STORAGE AND HANDLING:** Store away from direct heat or sunlight. Rinse container thoroughly with water before recycling or disposal of empty container.

**NOTE:** Do not allow direct contact of this product on the following surfaces: vinyl, metallic, fiberglass, painted or colored plaster.

Net Contents: 1 Gallon

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