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Dr. Craig Kleppe Product Registration Manager **BASF** Corporation 26 Davis Dr. Research Triangle Park, NC 27709-3528

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Subject:

Amendment

OptillTM Powered By Kixor Herbicide

EPA Reg. No.: 7969-280

Dear Dr. Kleppe,

The Agency has received your application, dated January 19, 2011, to add a supplemental label for use in English (garden, green) peas in New York to the registration described above. This supplemental labeling, submitted under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, is acceptable, and will expire on October 6, 2013. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

If you have any questions, please contact Kathryn Montague (703-305-1243 or montague.kathryn@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungiolde, and Rodenticide Act,

as amended, for the pesticide

7969-280_{17-80%}

registered under

Herbicide





For use in English (garden, green) peas in New York

This supplemental label expires October 6, 2013.

Active Ingredients:

saflufenacil: N'-[2-chloro-4-fluoro-5-(3-methyl-2,6-dioxo-4-(trifluoromethyl)-3,

Other Ingredients:

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6-dihydro-1(2H)-pyrimidinyl)benzoyl]-N-isopropyl-N-methylsulfamide······· imazethapyr: (±)-2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5oxo-1*H*-imidazol-2-vl]-5-ethyl-3-pyridinecarboxylic acid

Contains 0.178 pound active ingredient saflufenacil and 0.502 pound acid equivalent imazethapyr per pound formulated as a water-dispersible granule (WG).

EPA Reg. No. 7969-280

Directions For Use

Refer to the OpTill™ herbicide main label, EPA Reg. No. 7969-280, for complete Directions For Use and all applicable restrictions and precautions. When following the instructions on this supplemental label, the user must have this label and the entire OpTill container label in possession at the time of pesticide application.

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

English (Garden, Green) Peas

OpTill may be applied preplant, preplant incorporated, or preemergence in English peas for weed control (refer to the OpTill main container label for list of weeds controlled).

OpTill may be tank mixed with other herbicides such as glyphosate for burndown of additional grasses or broadleaf weeds. Refer to the tank mix product labels to confirm that the respective tank mix products are registered for use on English peas. With burndown

applications, an adjuvant system (refer to Additives section on the OpTill main container label for details) is required for optimum burndown activity.

Before applying OpTill to English peas, verify the selectivity of OpTill on your variety with your seed company (supplier) to help avoid potential injury to sensitive varieties.

Application Timing and Rate

Preplant Application. Apply OpTill up to 30 days before planting. Unpredictable residual weed control may result with applications greater than 14 days before planting.

Preplant Incorporated Application. Apply OpTill up to 1 week before planting. DO NOT incorporate deeper than 3 inches.

Preemergence Application. Apply OpTill immediately after or up to 3 days after planting but prior to crop emergence. DO NOT apply when legumes have reached the cracking stage or after emergence or severe crop injury will occur.

Apply OpTill at 1.5 ozs/A preplant burndown, preplant incorporated, or preemergence. A sequential application of Sharpen™ herbicide may be made with a minimum of 30 days between applications.

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Crop-specific Restrictions and Limitations

- DO NOT make more than one application of OpTill™ herbicide per cropping season.
- DO NOT apply when English peas have reached the cracking stage or after emergence or severe crop injury will occur.
- DO NOT apply more than a maximum cumulative amount of 0.045 lb ai/A of saflufenacil per cropping season in English peas from all product sources.
- DO NOT apply more than a maximum cumulative amount of 0.047 lb ae/A of imazethapyr per cropping season in English peas from all product sources.
- DO NOT apply OpTill with other products containing Group 14/Group E herbicides (such as sulfentrazone or flumioxazin) as a tank mix or sequential application within 30 days of planting because crop injury may result.
- Refer to Rotational Crop Restrictions, Crop Rotation, and Emergency Replanting Intervals section on the OpTill main container label for crop rotation intervals.
- English pea forage and hay may be fed or grazed 65 days or more after application.
- Reduced crop growth, quality, yield and/or delayed maturity may result from OpTill application to English peas.
- Since delayed maturity may result from an OpTill application, timing of harvest may need to be adjusted accordingly.
- DO NOT apply OpTill if English pea planting is to be delayed and chance of frost prior to maturity is likely.
- Plant English peas at least 1/2-inch deep to reduce risk of crop injury from OpTill application.
- DO NOT apply OpTill if cold and/or wet conditions are present or predicted to occur within 1 week of application.
- OpTill is not for sale, distribution, or use in Long Island and Nassau and Suffolk counties in New York State.

Tank Mixtures

OpTill may be tank mixed or applied sequentially with one or more of, but not limited to, the following herbicide products:

- Prowl® H₂O herbicide
- Sharpen™ herbicide
- glyphosate (e.g. Roundup®herbicide)

Conditions of Sale and Warranty

The **Directions For Use** of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on field use and tests. The directions are believed to be reliable and must be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or use of the product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling, all of which are beyond the control of BASF CORPORATION ("BASF") or the Seller. To the extent consistent with applicable law, all such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer.

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