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RE:

Label amendment dated December 13, 2006

Product Name: Halogene-G

EPA Registration Number: 8622-29

Dear Mr. Katsigras:

The Agency has reviewed your submission submitted in accordance with continuing registration under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, and determined the action to be acceptable.

In summary, your submission in support of the Pulp and Papermill process water use for bacterial slime is acceptable. A copy of your stamped label is enclosed.

If you have questions concerning this letter, please contact Tom Luminello by telephone, (703) 308-8075, or by e-mail at luminello.tom@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Antimicrobials Division (7510-P)

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

CORROSIVE

CAUSES IRREVERSIBLE EYE DAMAGE AND SKIN BURNS EYE CONTACT MAY CAUSE LOSS OF VISION IRRITATING TO NOSE AND THROAT MAY BE FATAL IF INHALED HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN OR SWALLOWED

Do not breathe dust or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Wear googles with side-shields, face shield, or safety glasses; protective clothing and rubber gloves. Wear a dust mist mask or pesticide respirator approved by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.

WIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

is product is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. 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 (NPOES) 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.

CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL HAZARDS

Strong exidizer, mix with water only. Reaction with combustible organic materials, bases, moisture or with oxidizers may generate heat, hazardous gases and, possibly, fire or explosion. Do not add to dispensers or other equipment that is not dry and clean of any chemical remnants. Does not burn, but will decompose, from about 320°F (160°C), releasing toxic cases. Avoid comminution and dusting.

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED WHEN NOT IN USE

WARRANTY

mants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated theil when used in accordance with label directions under normal conditions of use, but neither this ity nor any other warranty of MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, as or implied, extends to the use of this product contrary to tabel instructions, or under abnormal conditions, or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to Seller, and Buyer assumes the risk of any such use.

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EPA Reg. No. 8622-29

EPA Est. No. 15298-IS-1

NET CONTENTS: ____LBS (KGS).

HALOGENE G

BROMO-CHLORO-DIMETHYLHYDANTOIN

A MICROBIOCIDAL BACTERICIDE, FUNGICIDE, ALGAECIDE AND SLIMICIDE. FOR TREATING INDUSTRIAL RECIRCULATING COOLING WATER AND ONCE-THROUGH COOLING WATER SYSTEMS. AIR CONDITIONER CONDENSATE. PULP AND PAPER MILL WATER SYSTEMS for bacterial silme (only).

AC	TIVE INGREDIENT:	Bromochloro-5,5-dimethylhydantoln	98%
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		TOTAL	100%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER CORROSIVE AND STRONG OXIDIZER

FIRST AID			
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.		
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 inhaled	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.		
If swallowed	Call poison control center, or doctor immediately for		

· 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

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT 1-800-420-9236 FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT INFORMATION.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

"Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

See side panels for additional precautionary statements.

USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING DO NOT SMOKE DRINK, OR EAT WHEN HANDLING.

with COMMENTS in LPA Letter Dated:

Under the Pederal Services

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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.

INDUSTRIAL RECIRCULATING COOLING WATER SYSTEMS

Used effectively at treatments recommended to achieve exposures to one part per million (ppm) of 'active' residual bromine to control algal, bacterial and fungal slimes in industrial cooling towers; influent water systems, e.g., flow-through filters, and tagoons, etc.; heat-exchange water systems; industrial water scrubbing systems; brewery and canning pasteurizers and industrial air-wastling systems equipped with a mist eliminator. Treatment rates

Initial treatment: When noliceably fouled, add 2-8 lbs./10,000 gallons of water contained in the system. Repeal initial treatment until one ppm of 'active' residual bromine is established for at least 4 hours.

Subsequent treatment: When microbial control is evident, add 1-3 lbs/10,000 gallons of water contained in the system. Recent as needed to maintain one porn of 'active' residual browing for at least 4

ONCE-THROUGH INDUSTRIAL COOLING WATER SYSTEMS

Used for the control of algal, bacterial and fungal slimes, by adding to the system inlet, or before any other contaminated area in the system, in once-through and closed-cycle fresh and sea water cooling systems; cooling ponds; canals; and lagoons.

Treatment rates

Initial treatment: When noticeably fouled, add 2-6 lbs/10,000 gallons of water contained in the system, Repeat initial treatment until one pom of 'active' residual bromine is established for at least 4 hours.

Subsequent treatment: When microbial control is evident, add 1-3 lbs/10,000 gallons of water contained in the system. Repeat as needed to maintain one ppm of 'active' residual bromine for at least 4

AIR CONDITIONER CONDENSATE

Place 0.85 ounces [24 grams] in condensate line dispenser. Check once every six months or as required. The presense of gramules will very depending upon almospheric conditions and indoor air temperature

PULP AND PAPER MILL WATER SYSTEMS

This product is intended for use as a slimicide for the process water used in the manufacture of paper and peperboard products that do not contact food. Treat water at critical areas in the system process where mixing of the product with influent will be uniform. The frequency and duration of the treatment will depend upon the severity of the problem. Badly fouled process systems must be cleaned before initial treatment. [Note: Either one or both of the following treatment methods may be included on the label.]

Treatment by system volume

When a system is noliceably fouled: add 0.098 to 0.98 pounds of HALOGENE G to 1,000 gallons or 12 to 120 port of water in the system. When biological control is evident: add 0.098 to 0.74 pounds of HALOGENE G to 1,000 gallons or 12 to 90 ppm of water in the system.

Treatment by residual method

Add sufficient HALOGENE G to maintain a measured residual up to 5 ppm as bromine. Once biological control is evident, the use of HALOGENE G normally can be reduced to something less than 1 ppm as bromine.

[Optional Statement]

An alternative mathed of calculating the appropriate level of HALOGENE G is to estimate the paper mill's delly production, then add, over a 24-hour period, up to 586 grams (1.27 pounds) of HALOGENE G per dry ton of paper produced over a 24-hour period. Test for bromine to verify the level of 5 porn is not being exceeded.

DO NOT SHIP WITH FOODS, FEEDS, DRUGS, OR CLOTHING.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

STORAGE: Store in a dark, cool [below 86°F (30°C)], dry, well-ventilated area, in well-closed original ntainers, away from energy sources, combustible organic materials, oxidizers, strong bases and moisture PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous, improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these westes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL

Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

When handling or dealing with spills, use impact-resistant goggles with side-shields, or face shield; bodycovering clothes, including impervious rubber or plastic gloves and boots; use a dust respirator if dusting occurs. Sweep up dry spills and dispose of as described for pesticide disposal. If drum contents are contaminated or decomposing, do not reseal container; isolate unsealed drum in the open or in a wellventilated area; flood with large volumes of water if necessary.

IN CASE OF FIRE: Do not use ammonium phosphate extinguisher near water and HALOGENE G. Hazardous reactions may occur.