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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Mr. Levi Howell Regulatory Affairs Specialist ICL-IP America, Inc. 11636 Huntington Road Gallipolis Ferry, WV 25515

Subject: Notification per PRN 98-10 – Minor Administrative Label Changes

Product Name: Bromide Plus 46 EPA Registration Number: 8622-89 Application Date: March 29, 2016

Decision Number: 516664

Dear Mr. Howell:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 for the above referenced product. The Antimicrobials Division (AD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10.

The label submitted with the application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

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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If you have any questions, you may contact Killian Swift at 703-308-6346 or via email at Swift.Killian@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Demson Fuller, Product Manager 32 Regulatory Management Branch II Antimicrobials Division (7510P) Office of Pesticide Programs

{All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be intended on a final label.} {All text in braces {xxx} is administrative and will not appear on a final label.}

BROMIDE PLUS® 46

[A DISINFECTANT, SANITIZER, BACTERICIDE, SLIMICIDE, ALGAECIDE, AND MOLLUSK CONTROL AGENT FOR TREATING RECIRCULATING COOLING WATER SYSTEMS, ONCE-THROUGH COOLING WATER SYSTEMS, WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEMS, BREWERY PASTEURIZERS, AIR WASHERS, AND PULP AND PAPER MILL WATER.]

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Sodium Bromide	46%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	
TOTAL:	

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

FIRST AID	
If swallowed	 Call a 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	 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.
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.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT [Telephone No.] FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT INFORMATION.	
	NOTE TO PHYSICIAN Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric layage.

See [back] [side] panel[s] for additional precautionary statements [and first aid].

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

NOTIFICATION 8622-89

The applicant has certified that no changes, other than those reported to the Agency have been made to the labeling. The Agency acknowledges this notification by letter dated:

05/05/2016

HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. 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.

GENERAL PRECAUTIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

Do not smoke, drink, or eat when handling. Do not ship with foods, feeds, drugs, or clothing. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

{For containers having a capacity less than 50 lbs.}

[This product is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.]

{For containers having a capacity greater than or equal to 50 lbs.}

[This product is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of waste. 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 OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers (except when in use), acids, alkaline, and heavy metal salts.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read the entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

[RECIRCULATING COOLING WATER SYSTEMS, INCLUDING AIR WASHERS AND BREWERY PASTEURIZERS:

When used in conjunction with an oxidant, this product effectively controls algal, bacterial, and fungal slime and controls the settlement and growth of mollusks such as the zebra mussel (*Dreissena*) or the Asiatic clam (*Corbicula*) in commercial and industrial cooling towers; influent water systems such as flow-through filters, cooling ponds, canals, and lagoons, heat exchange water systems, air washers, pasteurizers, retort systems, and industrial water scrubbing systems.

DOSAGE RATES: Add this product to the system at a 0.125 to 2.0 sodium bromide/oxidant mole ratio. For example:

- 1) 2 to 32 pounds of chlorine gas (99.9%) per gallon of sodium bromide solution; or,
- 2) 1.6 to 26 gallons sodium hypochlorite (12.5% available chlorine) solution per gallon of sodium bromide solution.

Initial Dose: When the system is noticeably fouled, add 0.0002 to 0.020 gallons of this product per 1000 gallons of water contained in the system and oxidize with either gas chlorine (0.008 to 0.042 pounds gas chlorine per 1000 gallons of contained water), or sodium hypochlorite solution (0.007 to 0.034 gallons of 12.5% sodium hypochlorite solution per 1000 gallons of contained water).

Subsequent Dose: When microbial control is evident, add 0.0001 to 0.020 gallons of this product per 1000 gallons of water contained in the system and oxidize with either gas chlorine (0.004 to 0.042 pounds gas chlorine per 1000 gallons of contained volume), or sodium hypochlorite solution (0.003 to 0.034 gallons of 12.5% sodium hypochlorite solution per 1000 gallons of contained volume).]

[ONCE-THROUGH COOLING WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEMS:

When used in conjunction with an oxidant, this product effectively controls algal, bacterial and fungal slime and controls the settlement and growth of mollusks such as the zebra mussel (*Dreissena*) or the Asiatic clam (*Corbicula*) in once-through fresh and sea water cooling systems, cooling ponds, canals, and lagoons and secondary and tertiary wastewater treatment systems.

DOSAGE RATES: Add this product to the system at a 0.125 to 2.0 sodium bromide/oxidant mole ratio. For example:

- 1) 2 to 32 pounds of chlorine gas (99.9%) per gallon of sodium bromide solution; or,
- 2) 1.6 to 26 gallons sodium hypochlorite (12.5% available chlorine) solution per gallon of sodium bromide solution.

Initial Dose: When the system is noticeably fouled, add 0.0006 to 0.04 gallons of this product per 1000 gallons of water contained in the system and oxidize with either gas chlorine (0.02 to 0.08 pounds gas chlorine per 1000 gallons of contained volume), or sodium hypochlorite solution (0.02 to 0.07 gallons of 12.5% sodium hypochlorite solution per 1000 gallons of contained volume).

Subsequent Dose: When microbial control is evident, add 0.0002 to 0.04 gallons of this product per 1000 gallons of water contained in the system and oxidize with either gas chlorine (0.008 to 0.08 pounds gas chlorine per 1000 gallons of contained volume), or sodium hypochlorite solution (0.007 to 0.07 gallons of 12.5% sodium hypochlorite solution per 1000 gallons of contained volume).]

IPULP AND PAPER MILLS:

When used in conjunction with an oxidant, this product effectively controls algal, bacterial, and fungal slime in pulp and paper mill fresh and sea water influent water systems; cooling water systems, wastewater treatment systems, service water systems, white water systems, non-potable water systems, and other process water.

DOSAGE RATES: Add this product to the system at a 0.125 to 2.0 sodium bromide/oxidant mole ratio. For example:

- 1) 2 to 32 pounds of chlorine gas (99.9%) per gallon of sodium bromide solution; or,
- 1.6 to 26 gallons sodium hypochlorite (12.5% available chlorine) solution per gallon of sodium bromide solution.

Add sufficient amount of mixed product/oxidant solution to achieve a residual bromine level of 0.5 to 5.0 parts per million. For 0.5 parts per million add 0.00047 gallons of product and 0.0018 gallons of(12.5%) bleach or 0.0019 pounds gas chlorine per 1,000 gallons of water treated.]

[Treatment levels of this product and oxidant can best be measured with test kits for either bromine or chlorine. Tests should be made immediately after drawing water samples from the system. Use test kits according to directions.

- 1) When a bromine test kit is used, results can be read directly as parts per million bromine.
- When a chlorine test kit is used, results can be expressed in terms of bromine by multiplying chlorine values by the conversion factor 2.25.

This product weighs 12.6 pounds/gallon at 70° F.]

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE

Store in a cool, well-ventilated area, in well-closed original containers.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

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

CONTAINER HANDLING

{Text for non-refillable containers}

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying.

{For non-refillable containers of 5 gallons or less} [Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.]

{For non-refillable containers greater than 5 gallons} [Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container ¼ full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times.]

{Text for refillable containers}

[Refillable container. Refill this container with sodium bromide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or mix tank. Fill the container about 10 percent full with water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with the pump for 2 minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times.]

SPILLS

When handling or dealing with spills, use goggles with side shields or face shield; and protective clothing, including chemical-resistant gloves and boots. Absorb on sand or vermiculite and place in closed container and dispose of as described for pesticide disposal. If containers are contaminated or decomposing, do not reseal. Isolate unsealed container in the open or a well-ventilated area; flood with large volumes of water if necessary.

[WARRANTY

Seller warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in accordance with label directions under normal conditions of use, but to the extent consistent with applicable law, neither this warranty nor any other warranty of MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, expressed or implied, extends to the use of this product contrary to label 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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[Material][Label] No. ______
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