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Mr. Daniel Paradiso, Jr.
The Andersons
d/b/a Parker Fertilizer Co.
201 W. Fourth St.
Sylacauga, AL 35150

Dear Mr. Paradiso:

Subject: VERTAGREEN LAWN FOOD W/ CRABGRASS CONTROL
CONTAINS TEAM
EPA Reg. No. 8660-149
Your letter dated May 22, 1992

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records.

1. Please provide an new Confidential Statement of Formula for your product. Your CSF is on an old and unacceptable form (does not show upper and lower certified limits). Your CSF signed Aug., 1987 lists EPA Reg. No. 1471-77 and 1471-71 for the sources of bahan. These products has since been transferred to EPA Reg. No. 62719-102, and 62719-100, respectively. Your CSF lists EPA Reg. No. 1471-70 as a source. This product has been transferred to EPA Reg. No. 62719-99.

Sincerely yours,

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Robert J. Taylor
Product Manager, 25
Fungicide-Herbicide Branch
Registration Division (H7505C)

Enclosure
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(FRONT PANEL)

VERTAGREEN

LAWN FOOD

WITH

CRABGRASS CONTROL

Contains TEAM[™] for Crabgrass Control

19-4-6

ACCEPTED
Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 8660-149

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

N-butyl-N-ethyl-a,a,a,-trifluoro-2,6-dinitro-p-toluidine	0.90%
Trifluralin: alpha,alpha,alpha-trifluoro-2,6-dinitro-N, N-dipropyl-p-toluidine	0.45%

INERT INGREDIENTS:	<u>98.65%</u>
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Total	100.00%
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Contains 27 lbs. Benefin and Trifluralin per ton.

*TEAM[™] is the Registered Trademark for DowElanco Products Company. Benefin plus Trifluralin

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg white, gelatin solution, or, if these are not available, large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol.

IF INHALED: If breathing difficulty occurs, move individual to fresh air and get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

IF IN EYES: Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Call a physician.

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONS

NET WEIGHT 13 LBS.

TREATS UP TO 5,100 SQ.FT.

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GUARANTEED ANALYSIS

Total Nitrogen (N)	19.00%
Available Phosphoric Acid (P ₂ O ₅)	4.00%
Soluble Potash (K ₂ O)	6.00%

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Causes eye irritation. Do not get in eyes. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid breathing dust and contact with skin or clothing. Use eye protection and protective clothing such as coveralls, a long-sleeved shirt and impermeable gloves when handling this product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Do not allow children or pets on lawn until 1/2 inch of water has been applied to lawn and the water has dried (or, if wet conditions persist, until 24 hours have passed).

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs or marshes). Drift or runoff from treatment areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring aquatic sites. Do not contaminate water by disposing of equipment washwaters.

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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.

Vertagreen with Team[™] is a selective preemergence herbicide and fertilizer combination for the control of crabgrass and most other annual weed grasses on lawns in established: Bluegrass (perennial), Ryegrass (perennial), Fescue, Bahiagrass, Bermudagrass, Centipedegrass, St. Augustinegrass, Zoysiagrass.

Vertagreen with Team[™], when applied as directed, controls the following: Annual Bluegrass (Poa annua), Smooth Crabgrass, Hairy Crabgrass, Goosegrass (Silvergrass), Barnyardgrass (Watergrass), Green Foxtail, Yellow Foxtail.

Crabgrass, Foxtails, and Barnyardgrass: Apply the contents of this bag over 5,100 sq. ft. in the spring, one to two weeks prior to crabgrass germination.

Goosegrass: Normally germinates 4-6 weeks after crabgrass. Apply the contents of this bag on 5,100 sq. ft. in late spring or early summer, with a second application 45 days later.

Poa annua: Apply contents of this bag in 5,100 sq. ft. in late summer or early fall and again in late winter or early spring. A second application may be needed 45 days after the initial treatment. In areas of heavy infestation of annual bluegrass, its elimination will temporarily result in thin turfgrass areas. Proper fertilization, irrigation and reseeding will encourage existing turfgrass to fill in areas previously filled by Annual Bluegrass.

RESEEDING

Reseeding should be delayed at least 6 weeks after treating with Vertagreen Lawn Food with Team[™] Crabgrass Control.

USE PRECAUTIONS

Apply Vertagreen Lawn Food with Crabgrass Control to lawns prior to the germination of annual weed grasses, since Team[™] will not control established weeds. This product may thin established Annual Bluegrass (Poa annua) turfs and fine-leaved fescues. Do not apply in the spring to lawns planted the previous fall. In Bermudagrass lawns that have been overseeded with winter grasses, a spring application of this product may thin overseeded grasses. Do not use on Dichondra. Do not use on newly sprigged areas of Bermudagrass, St. Augustinegrass, or Centipedegrass until these turfs are well established.

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SUGGESTED SPREADER SETTINGS

<u>SPREADER</u>	(25 lbs./1000 sq. ft.) <u>RECOMMENDED SETTING</u>
Cyclone Broadcast	2 1/2 - 3 1/2
Central Drop	5 - 5 1/2
Central Broadcast	1 3/4 - 2
Precision Drop	4
Precision Broadcast	2 - 3
Scotts Drop	4
Scotts Broadcast	C - D 1/2
Ortho Drop	4 - 4 1/2
Ortho Broadcast	1/2

Note: The above suggested spreader settings are only approximate. Age and condition of spreader can cause wide variation. Be sure to calibrate your spreader with each application. Close spreader when filling, stopping or turning. DO NOT HAND SPREAD.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**FOR HOMEOWNER USE ONLY:**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Keep container closed and away from food, feedstuffs and domestic water supplies. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse bag. Discard bag in trash.

FOR PROFESSIONAL/COMMERCIAL USE ONLY:

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Keep container closed and away from food, feedstuffs and domestic water supplies. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate, is a violation of Federal Law and may contaminate groundwater. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instruction, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for Guidance. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State or local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

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WARRANTY STATEMENT

MANUFACTURER warrants that this product (1) conforms to the ingredient statement on the label and (2) is reasonably fit for the purposes set forth in the Directions for Use. EXCEPT AS SO WARRANTED, THE PRODUCT IS SOLD AS IS. MANUFACTURER MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED.

The manufacturer's directions regarding use of this product are based upon tests believed to be reliable. All statements made concerning this product apply only when used as directed, under normal use conditions. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY. Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixture with other chemicals not specifically recommended and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of the manufacturer. Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this product.

Manufactured by:

PARKER FERTILIZER CO.
201 4TH STREET
SYLACAUGA, AL 35150

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