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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

MAY 22 2008

Dawn L. Walters
Regulatory Administrator
The Andersons Lawn Fertilizer Division Inc.
d/b/a Free Flow Fertilizer
P.O. Box 119
Maumee, OH 43537

Subject: Label Notifications for Pesticide Registration Notice 2007-4

Dear Ms. Walters:

The Agency is in receipt of your Applications for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 dated May 2, 2008 for:

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| EPA Registration 9198-157 | Andersons GC Fertilizer Plus 0.029% bifenthrin |
| EPA Registration 9198-156 | Andersons GC Fertilizer Plus 0.058% Bifenthrin |
| EPA Registration 9198-217 | Andersons Fertilizer w/0.039% Bifenthrin Insecticide |
| EPA Registration 9198-216 | Andersons 0.058% Granular Bifenthrin Insecticide |
| EPA Registration 9198-162 | Andersons 0.029% Granular Bifenthrin Insect Control Plus Fertilizer |
| EPA Registration 9198-161 | Andersons 0.058% Granular Bifenthrin Insect Control Plus Fertilizer |

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for applicability under PRN 2007-4 and finds that the label changes requested falls within the scope of PRN-2007-4. The label has been date-stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on nonrefillable containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by non-notification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at 703-305-6249 or Nicole Williams of my staff at 703-308-8893.

Sincerely,



Linda Arrington
Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader
Registration Division (7505P)
Office of Pesticide Programs

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Environmental Protection Agency
 Washington, DC 20460

Registration
 Amendment
 Other

OPP Identifier Number

Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 9198-217	2. EPA Product Manager LaRocca	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) The Andersons Fertilizer with 0.039% Bifenthrin Insecticide	PM# 13	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) The Andersons Lawn Fertilizer Division, Inc. d/b/a Free Flow Fertilizer PO Box 119 Maumee, OH 43537 <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3)(b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: NOTIFICATION EPA Reg. No. _____ Product Name MAV 2 2008	

Section - II

<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____	<input type="checkbox"/> "Me Too" Application.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Explain below.

Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)

Notification of Label change per PR Notice 2007-4.

This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notice 2007-4 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CFR 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, 156.156. No other changes have been made to the labeling or the Confidential Statement of Formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if the amended label is not consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, 156.156, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.

Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Metal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic Glass <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper Other (Specify) _____		
* Certification must be submitted		If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt. No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt. No. per container		
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input type="checkbox"/> Label <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Container		4. Size(s) Retail Container 10-50 lbs.		5. Location of Label Directions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On Label	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lithograph Paper glued <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stenciled			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Pocket		

Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)		
Name Dawn L. Walters	Title Regulatory Administrator	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 419-697-6790
<p align="center">Certification</p> <p>I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment both under applicable law.</p>		6. Date Application Received (Stamped)
2. Signature <i>Dawn Walters</i>	3. Title Regulatory Administrator	
4. Typed Name Dawn L. Walters	5. Date 5/5/08	

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Front Panel

The Andersons Fertilizer with 0.039% Bifenthrin Insecticide

This product is a unique combination of insecticide and fertilizer to control damaging insects while replenishing your lawn with essential nutrients. It is designed to control a variety of insects on residential lawns.

For homeowner use only.

Optional:

For lawns

Soil & Turf Insect Control Plus Fertilizer

Spring/summer application

Eliminates bugs while fertilizer your lawn

Controls the following ants, armyworms, billbugs (adult), ticks, chiggers, chinch bugs, crickets, fleas, millipedes, mole crickets, sod webworms (lawn moths) & others as listed on label

Provides your lawn with controlled-release nitrogen for extended feeding

Apply with a broadcast or drop spreader

Green Thumb quality pledge

Active Ingredients

Bifenthrin * 0.039%

Inert Ingredients 99.961%

Total 100.000%

Cis isomers 97% minimum, trans isomers 3% maximum

US Patent No. 4,238,505

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Net Weight XX.XX lbs. (XX.XX kg)

Covers XXXX Sq. Ft.

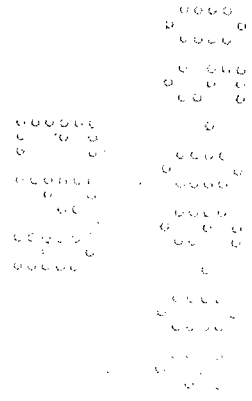
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EPA Est. 9198-OH-1M, 9198-OH-2B, 9198-AL-001A, 9198-PA-001P

Underlined letter is first letter used in run code on bag

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Back Panel

The Andersons Fertilizer with 0.039% Bifenthrin Insecticide

Net Weight XX.XX lbs. (XX.XX kg)
Covers XXXX Sq. Ft.

Guaranteed Analysis

Total Nitrogen (N)	XX%
Available Phosphate (P ₂ O ₅)	XX%
Soluble Potash (K ₂ O)	XX%

Plant nutrients derived from:

For products being sold into states with metals regulations:

Information regarding the contents and levels of metals in this product is available on the internet at <http://www.regulatory-info-ap.com/>

For products being sold into Kentucky that do not provide at least 1 lb. of nitrogen per application (mandatory fertilizer statement):

A lawn will typically utilize 1 to 4 pounds of nitrogen per 1,000 square feet per growing season. When used as directed, this product will supplement your regular fertilizer program by providing X pounds of nitrogen at the X lbs. per 1,000 square feet product application rate. Please consult with our local extension office for questions regarding a regular fertilizer program.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas. Drift and run-off from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

FIRST AID	
If swallowed	Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a 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 contacts, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing. 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 mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for 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 1-800-757-8951 for emergency medical treatment information.	
Note to Physician: This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, milk cream and other digestible fats and oils may increase absorption and so should be avoided.	

Black Turfgrass Ataenius: Apply treatments during May and July to control both generations of adults. The May application should be made at the same time as the full bloom stage of Vanhoutte spiraea and the Horse chestnut. The July application should coincide with the blooming of Rose of Sharon.

Chinch Bugs: These bugs infest the base of the plant and are usually found in the thatch layer. Watering the treated area with up to 0.25 inches immediately after application will result in quicker control.

Flea Larvae: These larvae develop in the soil and shady areas. Irrigate the treated area with up to 0.5 inches of water immediately after application.

Imported Fire Ants: The best control will be reached by a combination of broadcast applications and mound drenching. When mound drenching, a product such as The Andersons 0.058% Granular Bifenthrin Insecticide must be used. Irrigation should be performed prior to application if the soil is not moist. For best results, apply in cool weather. The early morning or late evening hours should suffice.

Mole Cricket Adults: These adults can be difficult to control because of their extremely active stage in the early spring. Applications should be made as late in the day as possible and be watered up to 0.5 inches immediately after treatment. If the soil is not moist prior to application, it should be irrigated to ensure best control.

Mole Cricket Nymphs: Optimum control can be reached by treating young nymphs because they are more susceptible to the insecticide. Irrigate soil if it is not moist before application. Treatment should be made as late in the day as possible. Water the treated area with up to 0.5 inches directly after application.

Ticks: Do not make spot applications. Treat the entire area where ticks may occur. The higher application rate might be needed if heavy leaf litter or dense ground cover exists.

Deer Ticks: These ticks have a life cycle that ranges over a two year period and involves four life stages. Treatments should be applied in mid- to late-spring to control larvae and nymphs that are present on the soil.

American Dog Ticks: These ticks tend to gather along paths or roadways where humans are likely to be found.

SPREADER DIRECTIONS

Broadcast spreaders: For best results, apply in a circular path starting on the outside and working toward the center. A little overlap of product will ensure complete coverage.

Drop Spreaders: First, apply 2 border strips along the edge of each end of the lawn. Then apply product along the length of the lawn, overlapping slightly and shutting off the spreader before turning as you reach the edge of the border strips.

Important: It is important to follow the directions as indicated on this quality lawn care product as over-application may cause injury to the lawn. Measure the size of the area to be treated and do not over or under apply. Spreader settings are approximate. Differences may occur due to condition of spreader, speed at which applied, and roughness of area treated. Calibrate spreader prior to use according to the manufacturer's directions. Check frequently to be sure equipment is working properly and distributing uniformly. Close spreader when filling, stopping or turning. Do not hand spread.

Note: following will be a list of application spreaders and appropriate settings. This list will vary dependent on market of spreaders. (this note will not appear on final printed label).

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Spreader	3 lbs./1,000 sq. ft.	6 lbs./1,000 sq. ft.
aa	XX	XX
bb	XX	XX
cc	XX	XX

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Keep out of reach of children and animals. Store in original container only. Store in cool, dry place and avoid excess heat.

DISPOSAL:

If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available.

If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

IMPORTANT: READ BEFORE USE:

Read the entire Directions for Use and the Warranty Disclaimer and Limitation of Liability before using this product. If terms are not acceptable, return the unopened product container at once.

By using this product, user or Buyer accepts the following Warranty Disclaimer and Limitation of Liability:

WARRANTY DISCLAIMER and LIMITATION of LIABILITY:

Manufacturer warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in strict accordance with the directions. Manufacturer makes NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. Where permissible, it is Manufacturer's intent to LIMIT ANY LIABILITY FOR SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL ECONOMIC DAMAGES to refund of purchase price or replacement of product, at Buyer's choice. Manufacturer DISCLAIMS ANY LIABILITY FOR COMPENSATORY OR OTHER DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF ANY USE CONTRARY TO LABEL DIRECTIONS. Use contrary to label directions is not permitted.

LEGAL RIGHTS:

THIS LIMITED WARRANTY GIVES YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS; YOU MAY HAVE OTHER RIGHTS THAT VARY FROM STATE/JURISDICTION TO STATE/JURISDICTION. (RVnot050208)

Manufactured by:

The Andersons Lawn Fertilizer Division
d/b/a Free Flow Fertilizer
PO Box 119
Maumee, OH 43537

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Date Approved	11/17/03
Supersedes	New
Label Changes	Notification: container
Filename	9198-217
Label Code	RVnot050208