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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (H7505C)
401 "M" St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg.
Number:

9444-131

Date of Issuance:

JUL 23 1996

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:
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 Reregistration

(under FIFEA as amended)

Term of Issuance:

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Name of Pesticide Product:

Drax Ant Kill Gel

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Waterbury Companies, Incorporated
P.O. Box 640/100 Calhoun Street
Independence, LA 70443

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

Based on your response to the Reregistration Eligibility Documents, EPA has reregistered the product listed above. With regards to labeling, you must make the labeling changes listed below:

1. Revise the Precautionary Statements to read:

"Harmful if swallowed. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling."

2. Revise the Statement of Practical Treatment to read:

If swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting.

If in Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

Signature of Approving Official:

RPK

Date:

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3. Move the following statement from the Precautionary Statements to the Directions for Use. "Do not use in edible product areas of food handling establishments, restaurants, or other areas while food is exposed".

4. Submit two copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 Enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

5. Enclosed is a copy of your label stamped "Accepted with Comments." This action is taken under the authority of section 4(g)(2)(C) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Registration under this section does not eliminate the need for control reassessment of pesticides. EPA may require submission of data at any time to maintain the registration of your product.

Sincerely,

RPK

Richard P. Keigwin, Jr.
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Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (7505c)

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DRAX[®]

ANT KIL GEL

For the control of
sugar feeding ants
including Pharaoh
ants

FOR USE IN Homes, Zoos, Nursing Homes,
Shops, Hospitals, Kennels, Grocery Stores,
Railcars, Restaurants, Mobile Homes,
Hotels, Motels, Schools, Offices,
Detention Facilities, Apartments and
Commercial Structures

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Orthoboric Acid	5.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS	95.0%
	<u>100.0%</u>

STORE IN A COOL PLACE

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONS

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NET WEIGHT 12 oz / 340 g

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. May cause eye irritation. Avoid eye contact. Do not use in edible product areas of food handling establishments, restaurants or other areas while food is exposed. Avoid contamination of food and foodstuffs.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT
Immediately contact physician or Poison Control Center if swallowed. If eye contact occurs, flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

INDOORS: Apply gel indoors in areas where ants are seen. Areas include behind the refrigerator, stove, around water pipes, in cracks and crevices around windowframes, baseboards and shelves. Renew as needed.

OUTDOORS: Where ants are seen entering the building, place small pea-sized baits along walkways, directly on ant nests and in cracks and crevices on window- and door-sills. Renew as needed.

Apply only in areas inaccessible to children and pets. DRAX[®] is a long-lasting gel designed to be used for the control of all sugar ants including Pharaoh ants. Drax Ant Kil Gel can also be dispensed with a syringe-type pistol.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **STORAGE:** Store in original container away from food and feedstuffs. Keep product in a locked storage area.

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse container. Wrap and place in trash collector.

Authorized for use under USDA Inspection and Grading Programs.

Manufactured by
**WATERBURY
COMPANIES, INC.**
P. O. Box 1812
Waterbury, CT 06722
Made in USA

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ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated

JUL 23 1996

Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide and Rodenticide Act
as amended, this pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.

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