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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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OFFICE OF  
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Ms. Cynthia Rohner  
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SEP 26 2003

Dear Ms. Rohner:

Subject: Amendment - Response to PR Notice 2001-1  
DRAX Granular Bait with Boric Acid & Nylar  
EPA Registration Number 9444-213  
Your submission dated August 25, 2003

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA section 3(c)(7)(a), is acceptable and a stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. When preparing the finished label, please note that through an apparent word processing error the If Swallowed advice contains a duplicate set of advice. Retain the first paragraph, i.e., from "Call a ..." to "...person". Delete the second paragraph, i.e., from "Immediately.." to "...person".

Sincerely,

Linda Arrington  
Acting Product Manager 10  
Insecticide Branch  
Registration Division (7505C)

**CB®** [For Reviewer: Optional - CB® logo]

**DRAX®**

ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dated  
SEP 26 2003

**GRANULAR BAIT with Boric Acid and Nylar®**

Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide  
Act, as amended, for the  
control of ants, cockroaches,  
crickets, mole crickets,  
and silverfish.  
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**A WEATHER RESISTANT BAIT FOR THE CONTROL OF ANTS,  
INCLUDING CARPENTER ANTS, COCKROACHES,  
CRICKETS, MOLE CRICKETS AND SILVERFISH**

**For Both Interior and Exterior Use**

For use in and Around Homes, Nursing Homes, Apartments,  
Garages, Public and Private Institutions, Schools, Hotels, Motels,  
Hospitals, Pet Stores, Zoos, Kennels, Factories, Vending Machines,  
Detention Facilities, Ships and Railcars, Non-Food Areas of  
Supermarkets, Grocery Stores, Restaurants, Warehouses,  
Food Processing Establishments and Food Handling Establishments.

<b>ACTIVE INGREDIENT</b>	
Orthoboric Acid .....	1.00%
*2-[1-Methyl-2-(4-phenoxyphenoxy) ethoxy] pyridine .....	0.25%
<b>INERT INGREDIENTS</b> .....	<b>98.75%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*Nylar® is a Registered Trademark of McLaughlin Gormley King.

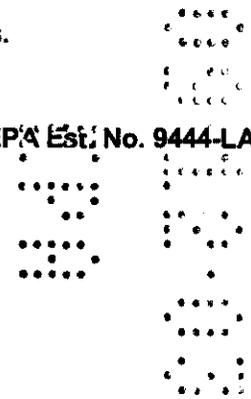
**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION**

See Back Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements.

EPA Reg. No. 9444-213

EPA Est. No. 9444-LA-1

**NET WEIGHT 5 lbs./2.27 kilos**



**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
Hazard to Humans & Domestic Animals**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

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**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 a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Immediately call a poison control center or doctor. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**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 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.

**HOT LINE NUMBER-** Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. For emergency information, call (985) 878-6751, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm CST. After 4:30pm call your poison control center. For product information call (203) 597-1812, Monday-Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm EST.

This product is a ready-to-use, weather resistant bait for the control of Ants, Cockroaches, Crickets, and Silverfish including: **ANTS:** Argentine, Carpenter, Fire, Thief, Pharaoh, Ghost, Little Black, Pavement, Odorous House and Crazy Ants. **COCKROACHES:** Asian, American, Brown, Brown Banded, Smokey Brown, German and Oriental Cockroaches. **CRICKETS:** Camel, House and Field Crickets.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

**FOR THE CONTROL OF ANTS, COCKROACHES AND CRICKETS ON LAWNS, ORNAMENTAL TURF, PLAYING FIELDS AND PARKS :** Use a mechanical spreader to apply bait evenly to affected area at the rate of 2 pounds per 1,000 square feet (3.2 ounces or 2/3 cup or 6 ready-to-use bait stations per 100 square feet) or 90 pounds per acre.

**EXTERIOR BAITING FOR THE CONTROL OF ANTS, INCLUDING CARPENTER ANTS AROUND HOMES AND OTHER STRUCTURES:** Treat exterior perimeter areas of structure in a band at least 2 to 4 feet wide at a rate of 6 ounces or 12 ready-to-use bait stations per 100 square feet. Also apply product in a 2 to 4 foot band around all trees, stumps, firewood piles and other locations where carpenter ants may nest. If the nest is located in a hollow tree or stump, apply 1/2 to 1 ounce of product directly into the cavity. Apply along ant trails and in areas where ant activity has been noted.

**FOR THE CONTROL OF ANTS, COCKROACHES, CRICKETS, AND SILVERFISH IN AND AROUND HOMES, HOTELS, APARTMENT BUILDINGS, STORES AND RESTAURANTS (NON-FOOD AREAS) WAREHOUSES AND SEWERS:** For interior applications. Apply at a rate of 4 pounds per 1,000 square feet (6 ounces or 1.25 cups or 12 ready-to-use bait stations per 100 square feet) of surface area. Spread evenly in crawl spaces, attics, drop ceilings and cellars with dirt or gravel floors. In attics, be sure to apply in eaves and access drains. In warehouses, factories, garages and basements, concentrate application along walls and baseboards. Concentrate application in areas where insect activity is most prevalent. Apply in inaccessible areas such as cracks and crevices where insects may hide. Reapply as necessary. Apply in pits of elevator, dumbwaiter and trash chute shafts. Apply under and behind pallets and boxes in storerooms. Bait may also be placed in removable trays in areas accessible to insects but away from children and pets. Always record the location and number of bait stations. In sewers, apply along ledges and around manhole entrances. Treat exterior perimeter building walls in a band approximately 2 feet wide and scatter bait in flower beds, leaf litter, wood piles, trash cans and refuse areas.

**For treating new construction:** Apply in wall voids and other areas where insects may hide.

**FOR PERIMETER TREATMENTS:** Spread bait at a rate of 6 ounces or 1.25 cups or 12 ready-to-use bait stations per 100 square feet in a band at least 2 feet wide around foundations, patios, driveways, sidewalks, entrances to homes and buildings or other areas where insects are present. Apply around landscape, floodlights, street lamps or other exterior fixtures and scatter bait in flower beds, leaf litter, wood piles, trash cans and refuse areas. Reapply as necessary.

**For treating ant mounds:** Apply 1/2 to 1 ounce (1-2 ready-to-use bait stations) of this product around all ant mounds. Supplement by broadcast application in immediate area and along ant trails and in areas where ant activity has been noted.

**TO CONTROL ANTS, COCKROACHES, CRICKETS AND SILVERFISH IN:** Non-food areas of handling establishments, homes, restaurants, markets, schools, warehouses, factories, detention facilities, offices, hotels, motels, hospitals, nursing homes, garages, grocery stores, apartment buildings, new construction, industrial plants, theaters, ships, boats, trains, trucks, yachts, camps, mobile homes, buses, pet stores, zoos, kennels, military bases, utilities and sewers: Do not use in food/feed areas of food/feed handling establishments, restaurants or other areas where food is commercially prepared or processed. Do not use in serving areas while food/feed is exposed or facility is in operation. Serving areas are areas where prepared food/feed are served such as dining rooms but excluding areas where foods may be prepared or held. In the home all food processing surfaces and utensils should be covered during treatment or thoroughly washed before use. Non-food/non-feed areas are areas such as garbage rooms, lavatories, floor drains, sewers, entries and vestibules, offices, locker rooms, machine room, boiler rooms, garages, mop closets and storage (after canning or bottling). Apply only in areas inaccessible to children and pets. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Apply liberally, scattering/dusting under and behind refrigerator, cooler, stove, sink, dishwasher, washing machine and dryer, tubs; counters; into openings around drains, water pipes and electrical conduits; and in cracks and crevices along baseboards. It is recommended that bait be placed in removable trays and/or ready-to-use bait stations. Always record the number and location of bait stations. This product is designed to be used as a residual treatment in an Integrated Pest Management program incorporating good sanitation practices.

This product may be applied in appropriate areas with a power duster. Consult equipment manufacturer for recommended settings.

**WARRANTY LIMITATIONS AND DISCLAIMER**

Because of varying conditions affecting use and application, manufacturer warns buyer that these may impair or vary the results or effects of the use of this product. Neither the manufacturer nor seller shall be liable in respect to any injury or damage suffered by reason of the use of this product for a purpose not indicated by the label or when used contrary to the directions or instructions hereon nor with respect to breach of any warranty not expressly specified herein. Buyer accepts this material subject to these terms and assumes all risk of usage and handling except when used or handled in accordance with this label.

**STORAGE & DISPOSAL**

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

**STORAGE:** Store in dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

**DISPOSAL: If empty:** Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency or 1800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

Manufactured by  
**WATERBURY  
COMPANIES, INC.**

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