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ATTN: Mr. Eric D. Smith,

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Subject:

Revised Labeling, Amendment to Add Optional Labeling Claims

Chemsico Insecticide K, EPA Registration No. 9688-114

Your Submission Dated January 30, 2007

Dear Mr. Smith:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable with the following provisions:

Labeling Claims section, page 1 of 2, comment(s):

 Delete the newly added labeling claims. These claims are misleading since they give the false impression that this product is derived solely from plants (botanicals) when, in fact, the product's active ingredients are a combination of botanicals and other chemicals. ¹

<u>Directions for Use section, page 1 of 2, comment(s)</u>:

2. Per the REDs for pyrethrins and piperonyl butoxide, delete the statement at the beginning of this section starting with "In food processing areas..." and replace it with the following:

"USE PRECAUTIONS

- Remove or cover exposed food and drinking water before application.
- Remove or cover dishes, utensils, food processing equipment and food preparation surfaces or wash them before use. ²
- Remove pets, birds and cover fish aquariums before spraying." 3
- 3. Replace the 2nd text grouping in the "FOR CRAWLING INSECTS" subsection with the following:

"Exposed stages of Confused Flour Beetles, Sawtoothed Grain Beetles, Red Flour Beetles, Rice Weevils, Granary Weevils and Grain Mites: Apply as a Crack & Crevice treatment in cracks, crevices, and around cartons or containers. Spray 30 seconds for each 100 square feet of surface. Disperse toward area suspected of harboring the greatest insect infestations. Disperse in all locations contacting as many insects as possible. Keep area closed for 45 - 60 minutes following treatment. Thoroughly ventilate treated areas before reoccupying. Repeat application as necessary."

¹ For more detailed information on labeling claims permitted by the Agency, please refer to PR Notice 98-10.

² For more detailed information, please refer to page 89 of 108 of the pyrethrins RED.

³ For more detailed information, please refer to page 101 of 108 of the pyrethrins RED.

Storage and Dir posal section, page 1 of 2, comment(s):

4. Replace the Storage and Disposal section with the following:

"STOFAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage: Keep this product dry in a tightly closed container, when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from heat or open flames.

Pesticide Disposal: Waste resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Disposal: Do not puncture or incinerate! If empty: Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions." ⁴

Precautionary Statements, Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals section, page 2 of 2, comment(s):

- 5. Replace the existing 3rd sentence with the following: "Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet."
- 6. Delete the existing 6th (last) sentence that starts with "Do not use near..."

Precautionary Statements, First Aid section, page 2 of 2, comment(s):

7. Replace the last statement in this section starting with "Have the product container..." with the following revised statement: "Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. For additional information, you may call 1-800-xxx-xxxx or the National Pesticide Information Center at 1-800-xxx-xxxx for emergency medical treatment information."

Chemsico should note that a notice of availability of EPA's reregistration eligibility decision (RED) document for products containing pyrethrins was published in the *Federal Register* on July 26, 2006 (Volume 71, Number 143, Pages 42387-42389). Further, EPA's RED for products containing piperonyl butoxide was published in the *Federal Register* on July 26, 2006 (Volume 71, Number 143, Pages 42385-42386). As a result, additional data and/or labeling changes may be required for products containing pyrethrins and piperonyl butoxide.

Please submit two (2) copies of the final printed labeling, incorporating the above changes, before releasing the product for shipment. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6 (e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing amended labeling constitutes accepting of these conditions. A stamped copy of the label is attached for your records. If you have any questions about this label review, please contact Carmen Rodia at (703) 306-0327 or via e-mail at *Rodia.Carmen@epa.gov*.

Sincerely yours,

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Attachment

⁴ For more detailed information, please refer to PR Notice 2001-6.

Chemsico Insecticide K

Kitchen Bug Killer • Use in kitchens and food preparation areas • Use to control bugs in your kitchen • Contains botanical insecticides • Kills Fast! • Kills Roaches, Ants, Spiders, Flies, Gnats and other common kitchen insects • Water-based • No unpleasant odor

Made with a botanical insecticide from the chrysanthemum flower • Made with a botanical insecticide • Made with a plant based ingredient • Kills with a plant based ingredient

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated
February 27, 2007
Under the Pederal insecticide.
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as arounded, for the pesticide regionard under EPA Reg. No.
9688-114

Keep Out of Reach of Children

CAUTION See back for additional precautionary statements.

NET WT. 15 OZ. (425 g)

Kills fast . . . roaches, ants, spiders, flies, gnats and other common kitchen insects.

STOP. READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USE.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

In food processing areas, all utensils, shelving etc. where foods will be handled should be covered or removed before treatment, or thoroughly washed with an offective cleaning compound followed by a potable water ripse prior to use.

SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING, Remove protective cap. Hold container uprigh and aim opening away from people. Push button down to spray. Remove nets, birds and cover fish aquariums before spraying. For indoor home use only.

FOR CRAWLING INSECTS

Roaches, Ants, Spiders, Waterbugs, Silverfish, Crickets, Centipedes and Sowbugs: Spray into hiding places such as cracks and crevices, behind sinks, cabinets, along baseboards and floors, around drains and plumbing, hitting insects with spray whenever possible. Repeat application as necessary.

Exposed stages of Confused Flour Beetles, Sawtoothed Grain Beetles, Red Flour Beetles, Rice Weevils, Granary Weevils and Grain Mites: Spray into cracks and crevices, around cartons or containers or other areas where these insects tend to congregate. Spray 30 seconds for each 100 square feet of surface Keep area closed for 45 - 60 minutes after treatment. Repeat application as necessary.

FOR FLYING INSECTS

Flies, Mosquitoes, Gnats, Wasps and Flying Moths: Close all doors and windows and spray room at the rate of 2 - 3 seconds per 1000 cubic feet. Direct spray to all parts of the room, especially windows and other light sources which attract these insect Keep can in constant motion. Repeat treatment as necessary.

Indian Meal Moths and Angoumois Grain Moths: Close doors and windows, direct spray into all parts of room especially around stored food product containers and darkened areas. Spray 7 - 10 seconds for each 1000 cubic feet of space. Keep area closed for 15 minutes following treatment. Repeat applications weekly or as needed.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Storage: Store in cool, dry area away from heat or open flame. **Disposal**: Do Not Puncture or Incinerate! **If empty**: Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled**: Call your local solid waste agency or [1-800-CLEANUP] for disposal instructions.





PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Hammful if swallowed or inhaled. Avoid breathing spray or contact with eyes or skin. Wash thoroughly after use. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Do not spray closer than 18 inches from plants. Do not use near fishbowls or aquatiums.

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FIRST AID

If Swallowed: Call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have a 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. 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 ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably 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.

Physical or Chemical Hazards

Contents under pressure. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Exposure to temperatures above 130 °F may cause bursting.

NOTICE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

Questions or comments? Call 1-800-332-5553

Contains NO CFC's or other ozone depleting substances. Federal regulations prohibit CFC propellants in aerosols.

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