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AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Ms. Kathie J. Tryson  
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Dear Ms. Tryson:

Subject: Amendment-add optional marketing claims and directions  
for use as a foaming contact termite killer (MRID  
46455805)  
Chemsico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A  
EPA Registration Number 9688-187  
Your submission dated July 31, 2006

The application referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable subject to the comments listed below: A copy of a stamped label is enclosed for your records.

The data submitted do not support the addition of dampwood and subterranean termites to the label. Additional data must be submitted to warrant the addition of these claims to the label. Therefore revise the label as follows:

1. Drywood termites may be included on the label, but should read as follows:

"For Drywood Termites treat infested areas, such as wood voids and tunnels [channels], in damaged wood.

Note: Drywood termites will be killed only if they come into contact with this product. Use of this product... pest control operator."

2. On page 3 under optional format- termite product change "... (exposed drywood, dampwood & subterranean)" to "... (exposed drywood)".

3. On page 3 under optional format- termite product change "[Chemsico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A is highly effective against above ground termite infestations.\*\* It can be sprayed indoors and outdoors on wooden surfaces. The foam expands to where insects live [and eventually dissipates]. Spray [the foaming aerosol] into hard to reach areas, such as voids and tunnels [channels] in damaged wood, along cracks, termite tunnels, and along crawl spaces and other wood surfaces anywhere insects hide.]" to " It can be sprayed indoors and outdoors on wooden surfaces. The foam expands to where insects live [and eventually dissipates]. Spray [the foaming aerosol] into hard to reach areas, such as voids and tunnels [channels] in damaged wood, along cracks, termite tunnels".

4. On page 3 under optional format- termite product change "For localized control only of above ground termite infestations." to "For localized kill only of above ground drywood termite infestations."

5. On page 3 under optional format- termite product change "For localized control only." to "For localized kill only."

6. On page 4 change "Treat infested areas and areas likely to be infested, such as wood surfaces, voids and tunnels [channels] in damaged wood, behind veneers, in structural voids, (between stud walls and spaces between wood and foundations), along cracks, and along crawl spaces. Termites† coming in contact with the product will be killed." to "Treat infested areas such as wood surfaces, voids and tunnels [channels] in damaged wood, behind veneers. Termites† coming in contact with the product will be killed."


7. On page 4 change "√ Eliminate sources of moisture for termites (any areas that remain moist inside and outside the home)√ Remove food sources (any direct wood to ground contact, including branches for trees and shrubs)" to read "√ Eliminate sources of moisture for termites (any areas that remain moist inside or outside the home)√ Remove food sources (any direct wood to ground contact, including branches of trees and shrubs)".

8. On page 4 change "'This [product] [treatment] will kill workers and/or winged reproductive forms of termites present at the time of application only. For active, structural infestations by subterranean termites this product can only be used to supplement application of a federally registered stand-alone termiticide. Application of this product will not provide structural protection, nor substitute for mechanical alteration, soil or foundation treatment with termiticide. This product is not to be used as sole protection against termites, as it will neither eliminate termite infestations nor provide protection against future infestations. A professional inspection is recommended." to "'This [product] [treatment] will kill drywood termite workers and/or reproductive directly contacted by pesticide during application only. Application of this product will not provide structural protection, nor substitute for

mechanical alteration, soil or foundation treatment with termiticide. This product is not to be used as sole protection against termites, as it will neither eliminate termite infestations nor provide protection against future infestations. For active, structural infestations by subterranean termites a professional inspection is recommended."

As submitted, MRID 46455805 may be upgraded to "fully acceptable" with the submission of additional information about the formulation tested and the raw data. This information should be submitted within 6 months of the date on the stamped approved label.

Sincerely yours,



✓ George T. LaRocca  
Product Manager (13)  
Insecticide Branch  
Registration Division (7505C)

Enclosure

# CHEMSICO

## AEROSOL INSECTICIDE EL-A

[Unique] [ETOC] [Technology] [Killing System] • Kills in seconds • Kills [Bugs] Fast • Fast Killing • [Stops] [Kills] Bugs [Dead] in Their Tracks • Kills Quickly! • Dead on...Every Time! • Kills bugs you see, Kills bugs you don't see • [Kills] [controls] [roaches] [cockroaches] [ants] [carpenter ants] [crickets] [for up to [1, 2, 3 months] [4, 8, 12 weeks] • Kills on Contact [and] [plus] [Keeps [On] Killing] [for up to [3 months] [12 weeks]] • [Protects] [Continues to kill] up to three months • Keeps killing [controlling] ants (including carpenter ants) for up to 3 months [(12 weeks)] • Kills roaches and ants [including carpenter ants] in seconds • [Starts Killing in Seconds] [Keeps killing up to [1, 2, 3 months] [4, 8, 12 weeks] • Up to [1, 2, 3 month] [4, 8, 12 week] [Control] [Protection] [Killing Action] • Helps Protect Your Home from [Roaches] [[and] [&]] [Ants] • Also Kills brown dog ticks, fleas and spiders • \*Guaranteed to Work [or Your Money Back] • Water-based • No oily residue • Non-Staining • Unscented • No Mess • Leaves no odor • No lingering odor

Optional Phrases with Fragranced Formulas: [Clean] [Fresh] [Breeze] [Floral] Scent • [Country] [Garden] [Fresh] Scent • Fresh Floral [Scent] [Fragrance] [Spring Time Scent] • Lavender (Lavanda) • Citrus Scent • Fresh Pine Scent

COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
9688-187  
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0.025%  
0.010%  
99.965%

**Active Ingredients:**

Prallethrin.....0.025%  
Lambda-Cyhalothrin.....0.010%  
Other Ingredients\*.....99.965%

\*Contains petroleum distillates.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

**CAUTION** See back for additional precautionary statements

NET WT. 12 oz (340 g)

ETOC™ is a registered trademark of Sumitomo Chemical Company

### OPTIONAL MARKETING LANGUAGE

[Chemnico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A [also] stays on treated surfaces providing insect protection for up to [4,8,12] weeks [1,2,3 months].

[Chemnico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A [kills] [controls] ants (including carpenter ants), roaches, and crickets, for up to [1, 2, 3 months] [4, 8, 12 weeks]. It also kills brown dog ticks, fleas, spiders and other listed insects.]

[Chemnico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A] [with ETOC™] kills roaches [bugs] [insects] in two ways:

1. Kills [bugs fast] on contact
2. Keeps on killing [with residual action even after you spray], for up to 3 months [12 weeks]]

### 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. *For indoor residential use only.*

### HOW TO USE

**Shake well before using.** Spray surfaces until wet, moving the spray rapidly to prevent excessive wetting and waste of product. Point spray away from people, pets and plants. Do not use as a room spray.

Remove pets and cover aquariums before spraying. Do not allow the spray to contact food or food contacting surfaces. Thoroughly wash dishes, utensils and counter tops with soap and water if they are sprayed with this product.

### WHERE TO USE

Indoors as spot treatment for control of **Cockroaches, Ants, Carpenter Ants, Spiders, Crickets, Firebrats and Silverfish.** Direct spray into cracks and crevices in walls, dark corners of rooms, cabinets and closets, along and behind baseboards beneath and behind sinks, stoves, refrigerators and cabinets, around plumbing and other utility installations, around waste containers and wherever else these pests may find entrance. Residual activity lasts up to three months[12 weeks]. [Alternate: Kills returning insects for up to 12 weeks[3 months]].

**For control of Fleas and Brown Dog Ticks,** spray infested areas such as pet beds and resting quarters, nearby cracks and crevices, along and behind baseboards, window and door frames and localized areas of floor coverings where these pests may be present. Test inconspicuous sample of fabric or rug for staining before use. Old bedding of pets should be removed and cleaned or replaced with clean, fresh bedding after treatment of pet area. **Do not treat pets with this product.** To control the source of flea infestations, treat your pet with a product registered for animal application [such as . . .]. Also treat your yard with a product registered for yard application [such as . . .].

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**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

Store in cool, dry area away from heat or open flame. 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:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

**First Aid**

If **Swallowed**: 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 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.

Have the product container with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment.

**Note to Physician:** Contains petroleum distillates – vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

**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 temperature 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 [or visit our website at [www.spectrumbrands.com](http://www.spectrumbrands.com)]

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

[\*If you are not satisfied with this product for any reason send your written request for a refund to the address below, together with the dated store receipt showing the price you paid. Please allow 6-8 weeks for processing]

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**OPTIONAL FORMAT - SIMPLIFIED DIRECTIONS****Kills**

- Cockroaches [Roaches]
- Ants
- Carpenter Ants
- Crickets
- Spiders
- Firebrats
- Silverfish
- Fleas

**STOP. Read entire label before use.****DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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**HOW TO USE**

1. Shake well before each use.
2. Spray insects to kill on contact.
3. For long-lasting control, treat areas where insects are commonly found. Spray surfaces until wet, moving the spray rapidly to prevent excessive wetting and waste of product. [Alternate: Spray surfaces until wet, but avoid excessive wetting and waste of product.]
4. When treating for ants, spray around door and window frames. Also treat other entry points and trails. [Kills returning insects for up to 3 months.]

**NOTE:** Point spray away from people, pets and plants. Do not use as a room spray. Do not allow people or pets to contact treated surfaces until spray has dried. Remove pets and cover aquariums before spraying. Do not allow the spray to contact food or food contacting surfaces. Thoroughly wash dishes, utensils and counter tops with soap and water if they are sprayed with this product. Test inconspicuous sample of fabric or rug for staining before use.

**Use Chemsico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A as a spot treatment indoors**

- > Along & Behind Baseboards [graphic depicting use]
- > Around & Beneath Appliances [graphic depicting use]
- > Beneath & Behind Sinks [graphic depicting use]

**Other Areas Where Insects Are Often Found**

- > In cracks and crevices
- > In dark corners of rooms, cabinets and closets
- > Around pipes and plumbing
- > Around waste containers

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

Store in cool, dry area away from heat or open flame. 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**

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**First Aid**

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**OPTIONAL FORMAT – TERMITE PRODUCT**

For Residential Use Only

[Kills termites\* • Kills termites\* (exposed drywood, dampwood & subterranean) • Kills on contact • Kills fast • Fast killing • Includes an attachable [extension] tube for localized treatment of termites\* • Includes an attachable [extension] tube to reach termites\* • Use indoors and outdoors • Water-based • No oily residue • Non-staining • Unscented • Leaves no odor]

\*For localized control only of above ground termite infestations.

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**Optional Marketing Language & Directions for a Foaming Termite Product**


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**OPTIONAL MARKETING CLAIMS**

[Expanding foam kills termites\* on contact in their tunnels] • [Chemsico Aerosol Insecticide EL-A is highly effective against above ground termite infestations.\*\* It can be sprayed indoors and outdoors on wooden surfaces. The foam expands to where insects live [and eventually dissipates]. Spray [the foaming aerosol] into hard to reach areas, such as voids and tunnels [channels] in damaged wood, along cracks, termite tunnels, and along crawl spaces and other wood surfaces anywhere insects hide.]

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\*\*For localized control only.

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Do not allow people or pets to contact treated surfaces until dry.

**HOW TO USE**

*For spot treatment only.* All food preparation surfaces and utensils should be covered during treatment or thoroughly washed before use. Avoid contamination of food and drinking water. Remove pets and cover aquariums before spraying.

**SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING.** Tilt extension tube to a 90° angle with can. Point away from face. Apply evenly, avoid dripping and runoff. *[graphic icon]*

Treat infested areas and areas likely to be infested, such as wood surfaces, voids and tunnels [channels] in damaged wood, behind veneers, in structural voids, (between stud walls and spaces between wood and foundations), along cracks, and along crawl spaces. Termites<sup>†</sup> coming in contact with the product will be killed.

**TIPS TO REDUCE THE RISK OF TERMITES<sup>†</sup>**

In addition to using this product to spot treat for termites., there are some important steps you can take to reduce the risk of getting termites:

- ✓ Eliminate sources of moisture for termites (any areas that remain moist inside and outside the home)
- ✓ Remove food sources (any direct wood to ground contact, including branches for trees and shrubs)
- ✓ Apply a pre-treatment when building a new home
- ✓ Have a regular termite inspection

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