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## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF  
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

MAY 2 1997

Steven M. Hipp  
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Milwaukee, WI 53223

Dear Mr. Hipp:

SUBJECT: Application For Label Review  
EPA Registration No. 10088-35  
Your Application Dated January 10, 1997

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provided the following changes are made:

1. In the Statement Of Practical Treatment the statements "IF ON SKIN" and "IF IN EYES" should be revised to read as follows:

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.  
Get medical attention if irritation persists.

IF IN EYES: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. Please submit one (1) final copy of the reference label, incorporating the above changes, before releasing the product for shipment.

Sincerely yours,

Joanne I. Miller  
Product Manager (23)  
Fungicide-Herbicide Branch  
Registration Division (7505C)

Enclosure

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## CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL ▶	7505C						
SURNAME ▶	MCOOKE						
DATE ▶	May 2, 1997						

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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing spray mist. May cause skin damage. Use waterproof gloves and a face shield or goggles when handling concentrate. Repeated contact with skin or contact with open cuts or sores may increase the hazard associated with this product.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:**

This pesticide is toxic to wildlife. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes or washwater. Local conditions may affect the use of this product. Consult Agricultural Extension Service for specific recommendations on dosage and time of application and for control of other weeds. Check with state and local authorities for necessary application permits.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**REENTRY STATEMENTS:** Do not allow entry of maintenance personnel into treated areas with 24 hours after treatment unless protective clothing is worn.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment. Open dumping is prohibited. Store at temperatures above 32°F.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site, or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

# CONTACT HERBICIDE #1

**A CONTACT, NON-SELECTIVE VEGETATION  
KILLER FOR CONTROL OF BROADLEAF  
WEEDS AND GRASSES**

**ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

Diquat Dibromide (6,7-Dihydrodipyrido(1,2-a:2',1'-c) pyrazinedilium dibromide) .....	1.85%
INERT INGREDIENTS .....	98.15%
TOTAL .....	100.00%

Contains 0.083 Lbs. Diquat cation per gallon as 0.155 Lbs. salt per gallon.

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## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

**STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT**

**IF SWALLOWED:** Call a physician immediately. If conscious, drink one or two glasses of water. Induce vomiting by placing finger in back of throat. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**IF ON SKIN:** Remove clothing and immediately wash skin with soap and water.

**IF IN EYES:** Flush eyes with plenty of water and get medical attention.

See side panel for additional precautionary statements.

Sold By:

# SPECIMEN LABEL

## KILLS MOST ALL FORMS OF PLANT GROWTH WITHOUT DAMAGE TO THE SOIL

General vegetation control around buildings and other non-crop areas, ornamental gardens, walkways, patios, storage areas, beneath greenhouse benches, fence lines, golf courses, parkways, driveways, ditches, sand traps and similar areas where any type of vegetation is undesirable. Controls broadleaf weeds, brush and grasses. Kills most every type of plant life on contact - it kills through the leaves only. THIS PRODUCT IS INACTIVATED ON CONTACT WITH THE SOIL. Absorption and herbicidal action is usually quite rapid with effects visible in a few days.

General weed control in shrub areas: This product will not injure desirable plants as long as spray does not come into contact with leaves of these plants. If becomes inactivated on contact with soil and is not absorbed through roots. This herbicide is not residual and will not prevent seeds from sprouting or new growth from occurring.

Spot weed control in lawns and other areas: This product will kill undesirable grasses in lawns if these grasses are spot sprayed.

**GOLF COURSES, DRIVEWAYS, PATIOS, ORNAMENTAL GARDENS, WALKWAYS, FENCEROWS AND OTHER NON-CROP AREAS** including around commercial and manufacturing buildings, rights-of-way and storage yards for control of undesirable broadleaf weeds and grasses, including annual and perennial broadleaf weeds, chickweed, sedge, bermuda grass and other grasses.

Use 2-1/2 gallons of this product per 20 gallons of water (16 ounces per gallon of water). Apply as a directed spray to thoroughly wet the weeds. For best results, use a non-ionic surfactant in the spray mixture. Application may be made any time during the growing season. Repeat application as necessary. Do not water treated areas for 24 to 36 hours after application. Avoid spray contact with food crops or ornamental plants. Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

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**ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
In EPA Letter Dated**

MAY 2 1977

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

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