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Ms. Halina Caravello  
 Baker Performance Chemicals, Inc.  
 5920 Essex Lane  
 Houston, Texas 77027

Dear Ms. Caravello:

Subject: Amendment; Label Revisions  
 Fungicide H Herbicide  
 EPA Registration Number 10707-9  
 Your Submission Dated March 4, 1990

The labeling referred to above submitted March 4, 1990 in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provided you:

- change "This material should only be applied in accordance..." under the Direction for Use, to read "This material must be applied in accordance..."

A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling incorporating this change and amendments.

Please note that a second review has been completed (see enclosed review) from the Ecological Effects Branch. This review notes the need for ecotoxicology data to fill the imposed 1989 requirements.

Sincerely yours,

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*Joanne L. Miller*

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Acting Product Manager (23)

SYMBOL	47505C				Fungicide-Herbicide Branch	
SURNAME	Robbins	5/3/90			Registry/Labeling Branch (H7505C)	
DATE	Enclosures					



**MAGNA**  
HERBICIDE  
DIVISION

EPA Reg. No. 10707-9  
EPA Est. 10707-CA-5

**CONTENTS UNDER PRESSURE**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	BY WEIGHT
Acrolein .....	92%
INERT INGREDIENTS .....	8%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>

This product contains the toxic inert ingredient hydroquinone. (MAGNACIDE H Herbicide contains 6.5 pounds of active ingredients per gallon.)

**DANGER**



**POISON**

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

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

**DANGER**

**EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE AND IRRITATING VAPOR AND LIQUID. POISONOUS BY INHALATION, SKIN CONTACT OR SWALLOWING. DO NOT BREATHE VAPOR. Corrosive. Causes eye and skin damage. DO NOT GET IN EYES OR SKIN OR ON CLOTHING. KEEP AWAY FROM FIRE, SPARKS AND HEATED SURFACES.**

Wear goggles and rubber gloves during handling. If spilled on clothing, gloves, or shoes, remove them immediately and wash thoroughly before reuse. Use with adequate ventilation. Keep available at all times a mask or pesticide respirator jointly approved by the Mine Safety and Health Administration and the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH).

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds. Fish, shrimp and crabs will be killed at application rates recommended. Do not apply where they are important resources. Do not apply to water drainage areas where runoff or flooding will contaminate ponds, lakes, streams, tidal marshes and estuaries. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Notify your State Fish and Game Agency before applying this product. Use only as specified.

**PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS**

**DANGER:** Acrolein, the active ingredient in MAGNACIDE H Herbicide is highly reactive chemically and readily forms polymers. If alkalis (such as ammonia and caustic) or strong acids are brought in contact with the MAGNACIDE H Herbicide in a closed system, the Herbicide can polymerize with sufficient violence to rupture container. Do not apply with equipment used for acids and alkalis. Contamination of MAGNACIDE H Herbicide with any foreign matter must be avoided.

A supply of sodium carbonate (soda ash) should be readily available for deactivating spilled MAGNACIDE H. All spills should be confined and deactivated before disposal. See the MAGNACIDE H Herbicide Application and Safety Manual for additional information.

**STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT**

**CALL A PHYSICIAN IMMEDIATELY IN ALL CASES OF SUSPECTED POISONING**

**IF IN EYES:** hold eyelids open and flush with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**IF ON SKIN:** wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention.

**IF SWALLOWED:** do not induce vomiting. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites, gelatin solution or if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol. Call a physician immediately. Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. Measures against circulatory shock, respiratory depression and convulsion may be needed. **NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON.**

**IF INHALED:** get victim into fresh air immediately and give artificial respiration if breathing has stopped.

**WARNING SIGNS AND** particularly irritating to eyes and respiratory tract. LD50 (oral, rat) is far below the minimum.

**TREATMENT:** Treat exposed persons symptomatically. Personal experience irritation of the eyes is advisable to keep persons from further exposure.

It is a violation of Federal law to use MAGNACIDE H Herbicide on algae in irrigation canals unless applied in accordance with the instructions of a certified applicator or under the direct supervision of one. Do not use where prohibited for 6 days after application.

Full tanks of acrolein should be properly grounded. No alkalis or oxidizing agents should be used. Baker Performance Chemicals, Incorporated.  
  
Pesticide wastes are highly toxic. Rinsate is a violation of the instructions, contact your representative at the time of purchase.

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uses which extend beyond those listed on this label.

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