

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

OCT 31 2003

Ms. Mary Flynn  
Hasa Inc.  
23119 Drayton Street  
Saugus, CA 91350

Subject: Hasa Hi-Temp Spa-Gard Chlorinating Sanitizer  
EPA Registration Number 10897-9  
Application Date: 9/10/03  
Receipt Date: 9/26/03

Dear Ms. Flynn:

The following amendment, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable with the conditions listed below:

- To update the "First Aid" statement in accordance with PR Notice 2001-1.

**Conditions**

- Revise the "Precautionary Statements" to read:

"Corrosive: Cause irreversible eye damage. May be fatal if inhaled. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe dust, vapor or spray mist. Wear goggles, face shield or safety glasses. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

- Under the directions for swimming pool/spa use include the statement "Re-entry into treated pools/spas is prohibited above levels of 3 ppm of chlorine".

- Revise the "First Aid" statement to read:

- If Swallowed**
- Call 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 the poison control center or doctor.
  - Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

CONCURRENCES

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- 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 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 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.

**Note to Physician:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

#### HOT LINE NUMBER

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-xxx-xxxx for emergency medical treatment information.

#### **General Comments**

A stamped copy of the accepted labeling is enclosed. Submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact Delores Williams at (703) 308-6372.

Sincerely,



Robert S. Brennis  
Product Manager 32  
Regulatory Management Branch II  
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

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**SPA-GARD**

Chlorinating Sanitizer

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Sodium Dichlor-S-Triazinetrione.....99.0%

**INERT INGREDIENTS:**.....1.0%

**TOTAL**.....100.0%

**ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
EPA Letter Dated:**

**OCT 31 2003**

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

10897-9

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

**DANGER**

**FIRST AID:**

**IF IN EYES:** Rinse with water, remove contact lenses (if applicable), and flood eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get prompt medical attention.

**IF SWALLOWED:**

Drink large amounts of water. DO NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately

**IF ON SKIN:** wash with plenty of soap and water. If irritation persists, get Medical attention.

**IF INHALED:** Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably, mouth-to-mouth. Get medical attention.

See Back Panel For Additional Precautionary Statements

Packaged by Hasa Inc.  
Saugus, California 91350

EPA Reg. No. 10897-9

EPA No. 10897-CA-1

NET WEIGHT 2 lb. (907.18 g)

Heat Tolerant Spa Products

READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS: Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals.

DANGER: Corrosive: Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns.

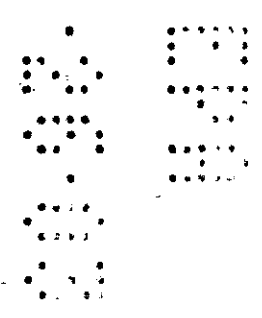
May be fatal if absorbed through skin. May be fatal if inhaled. Do not breathe dust or spray mists. Irritating to nose and throat. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield, protective clothing and rubber gloves when handling this product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and other aquatic organism. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and until the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT.

Mix only with water. Use clean dry utensils, Do not add this product to any dispensing device containing remnants of any other product. Such use may cause a violent reaction leading to fire and/or explosion. Contamination with moisture, organic matter or other chemicals may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible generation of fire and/or explosion. In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reseal container. If possible isolate container in open air or well ventilated area. Flood with large volumes of water if necessary.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL; 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 flame. In case of decomposition, isolate container (if possible) and flood area with large amount of water to dissolve all materials before discarding the container. Do not reuse container but place in trash collection. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage or disposal or cleaning of equipment.



## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

**START UP (with untreated water):** Add 4 teaspoons per 400 gallons, broadcast directly across water with filter and pump running. The next day check chlorine residual with a test kit. If the reading is between 1.5-3.0 ppm you may use the spa or hot tub. If the reading is below this level, repeat treatment until the 1.5-3.0 ppm residual is attained. Do not use until the required residual is reached.

**MAINTENANCE:** Add 1 tsp. daily or as needed. Use a test kit and adjust dosage if necessary.

**IN USE:** Check chlorine residual before starting spa heater and every 20-30 minutes during use. Add chemical whenever residual is 1.5 ppm or less at the rate of 1 tsp. per 400 gallons. Maintain pH between 7.2-7.6.

**SUPERCHLORINATION:** After heavy use, rain storms, dust storms, contamination, and at least every 7-10 days superchlorinate or shock the spa or hot tub. Superchlorination is the addition of several times the normal amount of chlorinating chemical to destroy combined chlorine residuals, perspiration, and other chemicals which may build up in the pool water. Do not use again until chlorine residual is back within the 1.5-3.0 range.

1 oz. will provide 2.0 ppm available per 400 gallons. 1 oz. equals 5 teaspoons.

