



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Washington, D.C. 20460

PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

April 11, 2003

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Subject:

7618

EPA Registration No. 10932-18 Application Date: January 15, 2003 EPA Received Date: January 23, 2003

Dear Mr. Menke:

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:

Proposed Amendment

- Update First Aid Statements per PR Notice 2001-1
- Added "In Case of Emergency" to left panel
- Moved "Net Weight" to right panel and added "Lot Number"

Conditions

Revise the label as follows:

- Revise the Precautionary Statements by adding the statement "Wash thoroughly with 1. soap and water after handling."
- Revise the "If Swallowed" section of the First Aid Statements to read:

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If Swallowed

Call a 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 a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

3. Revise the "If on Skin or Clothing" of the First Aid Statements to read:

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.

4. Revise the ingredient statement by adding the statement "TOTAL.....100%" to be placed directly under and aligned with the inert ingredients statement.

General Comments

Please note that before creating new language for the First Aid Statements, you must provide written rationale why the proposed statements should be different from that of PR Notice 2001-1.

A stamped copy of the labeling accepted with conditions 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 me at 703-308-6422.

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing vapors. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish. 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 the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

WARRANTY

Seller's guarantee shall be limited to the terms of the label, and subject thereto. The buyer assumes any risk to persons or property arising out of use or handling and accepts the product on these conditions.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Endangering life or property involving this product, call CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300

7618

A SPECIALIZED FORMULATION OF ORGANIC SCALE AND CORROSION INHIBITORS CONTAINING A MICROBIOCIDE FOR USE IN CONTROLLING ALGAE, AND BACTERIA IN COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL RECIRCULATING WATER COOLING TOWERS AND INDUSTRIAL AIRWASHING SYSTEMS. THIS PRODUCT IS SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED AS A COMPLETE ALL-IN-ONE LIQUID TREATMENT PROGRAM.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Poly [oxyethylene (dimethyliminio) ethylene-	
(dimethyliminio) ethylene dichloride]	5%
INFRT INGREDIENTS:	95%

This product contains 0.43 lbs. of active ingredient per gallon and weighs 8.71 lbs. per gallon.

CAUTION

FIRST AID

If Swallowed:

- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- DO NOT induce vomiting.
- Rinse mouth with copious amounts of water then drink promptly a large glass of water.
- Avoid alcohol...

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 immediately for treatment advice.

If on Skin or Clothing

- Take off contaminated clothing.
- Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
- Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Have MSDS and, if available, the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or a doctor, or going for treatment.

SEE SIDE PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

7618 is used to control scale, corrosion, algae, and bacteria in recirculating commercial and industrial water cooling towers. Prior to its use, systems must be cleaned to remove algal growth, microbiological slime, and other deposits. An initial slug addition of 12 to 30 fluid ounces of 7618 per 1000 gallons of water to provide a concentration of 96 to 240 parts per million of 7618, based on the total weight of water in the system, is recommended. Repeat initial dosage until control is evident.

Subsequent slug additions of 3.0 to 30 fluid ounces of 7618 per 1000 gallons of water (24 to 240 parts per million of 7618) should be employed every 2 to 5 days, or as needed. The frequency of addition depends upon the relative amount of bleedoff and the severity of the microbiological problem. Slug additions should be made in the sump of water cooling towers.

CONTINUOUS FEED METHOD

INITIAL DOSE:

When the system is noticeably fouled, apply 12 to 30 fluid ounces of 7618 per 1000 gallons of water

used in the system.

SUBSEQUENT DOSE: When microbial control is

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evident, add 3.0 to 30 fluid

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