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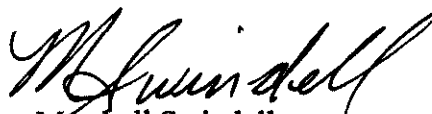
Attention: Paul R. Larson
Product Stewardship Manager

Subject: Tolcide MBT
EPA Registration No. 33677-1

This letter is in response to a telephone call with Marshall Swindell concerning a pesticide label that was erroneously accepted under Reregistration for Methylene bis (thiocyanate). The Agency acknowledged, after careful consideration, that the product label accepted on September 12, 2002 was the wrong label. We have enclosed the correct EPA accepted stamped label for your files. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,



Marshall Swindell
Product Manager 33
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Enclosure

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TOLCIDE[®] MBT

FOR FORMULATION OF INDUSTRIAL MICROBICIDES AND PRESERVATIVES

FIRST AID

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. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor *immediately* for treatment advice.

IF ON SKIN, take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor *immediately* for treatment.

IF INHALED, move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor *immediately* for further treatment.

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 by a Poison Control Center or doctor.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor.

Note to physician: Probably mucosal damage may contraindicate use of gastric gavage. Precautions for shock respiratory depression and convulsion may be needed.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER: Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. Fatal if inhaled. May be fatal if swallowed. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe dust. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Formulators and other handlers must wear: Long-sleeve shirt and long pants, shoes plus socks, protective eyewear (goggles or face shield), protective respiratory device, chemical-resistant apron, and chemical-resistant gloves. Wear a dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or NIOSH approved respirator with any N, R, P or HE filter. Users should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of the gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If there are no instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. If pesticide gets inside clothing, remove clothing immediately, wash thoroughly, and put on clean clothing. Carefully discard clothing or other absorbent materials that have been heavily contaminated with this product. Do not reuse them.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Methylene bis(thiocyanate) 99%
INERT INGREDIENTS: 1%
TOTAL: 100%

EPA Reg. No. 33677-1

EPA Est. 33677-EN-1

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

ACCEPTED DANGER

with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Date

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

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See Side Panels for Precautionary Statements

In case of emergency, call CHEMTREC at 1-800-424-9300

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ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product 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.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Reacts violently with strong bases and strong oxidizing agents. Will decompose slowly above 230 °F (110 °C) and rapidly above 401 °F (205 °C), releasing toxic gases. Avoid comminution (pulverization) and dusting.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

For formulatory use only.

Formulators are responsible for providing data to support registration of products formulated from this active ingredient. Formulators are responsible for retaining their own licences for any uses or formulations for this material covered by patents. This label is not to be taken as license to operate under or recommendation to infringe any patent.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Prohibitions: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Do not reuse container.

Pesticide Storage: Store this product in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, in tightly closed original containers, away from direct sunlight and heat to avoid deterioration. Keep away from energy sources, combustible organic materials, strong oxidizers, strong bases, and moisture. Storage temperature should be kept below 122 °F (50 °C).

Pesticide Disposal: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Container Disposal: Triple rinse (or equivalent) all containers and offer for recycling or reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

Spills: When handling or dealing with spills, wear protective eyewear, approved respiratory protection device, protective clothing, chemical-resistant gloves and boots. Sweep or shovel up dry spills, taking care to avoid creating a dust, and dispose of as described for pesticide disposal. If container contents are contaminated or decomposing, do not reseal container; isolate unsealed container in the open or in a well-ventilated area.

Note: Seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk and/or handling of this material, when such use and/or handling is contrary to label directions.

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