UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Subject: Label Revision Amendment-Adding Soybean

(Pre-plant Only)

Clean Crop Low Vol. 6 Ester Weed Killer

EPA Registration Number 34704-125

Your amendment application submission dated

August 5, 1997

The Agency is conditionally approving an amendment to the registration of the above-referenced product under the authority of section 3(3)(7)(B) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide Act (FIFRA). This amendment allows use of the subject product on reduced or no-tillage soybeans (pre-plant only) with a maximum permissible level for residues of the herbicide in or on soybeans of 0.1 ppm. This amendment will expire automatically on December 31, 1998. In addition, during the period that this amendment is effective, it well be subject to the conditions listed below:

- 1) This conditional registration will expire automatically on December 31, 1998. Sale or distribution of the subject product bearing labeling for this use on reduced or notillage soybeans (pre-plant only) after December 31, 1998 well be illegal. The tolerance authorizing residues of the subject product will also expire on December 31, 1998. After that date, sale or distribution of food in interstate commerce containing any residue of the subject product will be a violation of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.
- Finally, if and when a permanent tolerance is established, 2) EPA will entertain an application to amend the registration of the subject product without any special limitations on the duration of the amendment.

A stamped copy of the labeling is enclosed for your records. Please submit one (1) copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Marcel Howard at (703)305-6784.

Sincerely yours,

Joanne I. Miller Product Manger (23) Herbicide Branch Registration Division (7505C)

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## SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING

(CONTAINS ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH MAY NOT APPEAR ON PACKAGE LABEL) with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated



# Low Vol 6

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

## **ESTER WEED KILLER**

EPA Reg. No. 34704-125

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

### SOYBEAN (Preplant only)- FOR USE IN CROP RESIDUE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

WEEDS	. RATE/ACRE	DIRECTIONS
Postemergence	½ to ¾ pint	Apply not less than 7 days prior to planting soybeans when weeds are small and actively growing. Use the higher rate on larger weeds and when perennials are present.
	⅔ to 1⅓ pints	Apply not less than 30 days prior to planting soybeans when weeds are actively growing.

In addition to those weeds found on the general weed list, this product will suppress or control the following broadleaf weeds frequently encountered in reduced tillage soybean production systems: bullnettle, smallflowered bittercress, Carolina geranium, small flowered buttercup, common and rough cinquefoil, red clover\*, horseweed or marestail, mousetail, wild mustard, field pennycress, cutleaf evening primrose, common purslane, speedwell, and Virginia copperleaf.

\*These weeds are only partially controlled.

Do not apply more than 1% pints of this product in one season prior to planting soybeans. After applying, plant soybean seed as deep as practical or at least 1½ to 2 inches deep. Adjust the planter press wheel, if necessary, to ensure that planted seed is completely covered.

Aerial Application: When applying aerially, use 2 or more gallons of total spray volume per acre.

Ground Application: With ground equipment, use 10 or more gallons of total spray volume per acre.

This product may be applied preplant to soybeans in tank mixtures with other herbicides that are registered for preplant soybean use.

Note: Unacceptable injury to soysbeans planted in fields previously treated with this product may occur. Whether or not soybean injury occurs and the extent of the injury will depend on weather and agromnomic factors such as the amount of weed vegetation and previous crop residue present that may be in effect between the time of applications and the emergence of the soybean plant.

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