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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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SUBJECT:

Label Notification(s) for Pesticide Registration Notice PRN 2007-4

Request Storage and disposal changes

EPA Reg. No. 34704-992

Application Dated February 10, 2009

## Dear Registrant:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 dated 2/10/09 for the product **MCP Ester 4 Herbicide**. The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 2007-4 and finds that the action(s) requested does not clearly fall within the scope of PRN 2007-4 and will require additional administrative review of the related files. A summary of our findings include:

The container disposal statements for greater than 55 gallons go beyond the scope of PRN 2007-4. Additional container statement must be reviewed as an amendment.

Therefore, the RD has determined that this action is denied and will be further processed as an amendment and our records have been updated accordingly. The label submitted with the application is considered proposed drafts and has been forwarded to Joanne Miller (PM 23) for further processing.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-6249 or Banza Djapao of my staff at 703-305-7269

Sincerely,

Linda Arrington

Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader Registration Division (7505P)

Office of Pesticide Programs

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Subject: MCP Ester 4 Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 34704-992); Notification

Enclosed, is the Loveland Products, Inc. (LPI) submission for a Notification of MCP Ester 4 Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 34704-992) per PR Notice 2007-4.

Please find the following enclosed:

- 1. Application for Registration (EPA Form 8570-1);
  - 2. 1 copy of the MCP Ester 4 Herbicide label

Vistie Raymond

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 970-347-1347 or kristie.raymond@uap.com.

Sincerely,

Kristie Raymond

Registration Specialist

**Enclosures** 



# MCP ESTER 4 HERBICIDE

#### A LOW VOLATILE FORMULATION

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:		
2-methyl-4-chlorophenoxyacetic acid, 2-ethylhexyl ester*	<i></i>	74.93%
INERT INGREDIENTS:**	<i>.</i>	25.07%
1	OTAL	100.00%

- \*Equivalent to 47.83% 2-methyl-4-chlorophenoxyacetic acid. Contains 4 pounds acid equivalent per gallon.

  \*\*Contains petroleum distillates.

## **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN** WARNING/AVISO

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detaile. (If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail).

#### **FIRST AID**

lf on skin	Take off contaminated clothing.
or clothing:	<ul> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> </ul>
	Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If swallowed:	Immediately call a poison control center or doctor.
	Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control
	center or doctor.
	Do not give any liquid to the person.
	Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If inhaled:	Move person to fresh air.
ļ	If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give
1	artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible.
i	Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
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.

#### FOR A MEDICAL EMERGENCY INVOLVING THIS PRODUCT CALL ANY TIME: 1-866-944-8565

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Contains petroleum distillates. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

See inside booklet for additional precautionary statements.

EPA REG. NO. 34704-992 EPA EST. NO. 37507-MT-001 NET CONTENTS 2 1/2 GALS. (9.46 L)

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## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS WARNING

May be fatal if absorbed through skin. Harmfull if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reaction in some individuals.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are barrier laminate, nitrile rubber, neoprene rubber, or viton. If you want more options, follow the instructions for category E on an EPA chemical resistance category selection chart.

#### Mixers, loaders, applicators, flaggers, and other handlers must wear:

- . Coveralls over short-sleeved shirt and short pants,
- · Chemical-resistant gloves,

Chemical-resistant nootwear plus socks,
 Chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposurity, OTIFICATION
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· Chemical-resistant apron when cleaning equipment, mixing · Protective evewear.

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Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

#### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS. Pilots must use an enclosed cockpit that meets the requirements listed in the WPS for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d)(6)].

#### **USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS**

Users should:

- · Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- · Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing.
- As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate. Drift and runoff may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. Runoff of this product will be reduced by avoiding applications when rainfall is forecasted to occur within 48 hours.

Groundwater Contamination: This chemical has properties and characteristics associated with chemicals detected in groundwater. The use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in groundwater contam-

Most cases of groundwater contamination involving phenoxy herbicides such as MCPA have been associated with mixing/loading and disposal sites. Caution should be exercised when handling MCPA pesticides at such sites to prevent contamination of groundwater supplies. Use of closed systems for mixing and transferring this pesticide will reduce the probability of spills. Placement of the mixing/loading equipment on an impervious pad to contain spills will help prevent groundwater contamination.

Cleaning of Equipment: When cleaning equipment, do not pour washwater on the ground; spray or drain over a large area away from wells and other water sources.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

#### **AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS**

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard: C

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours. ccccc

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Weiker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated such as plants, soil, or water is: 

- Coveralls
- . Shoes plus socks, and
- . Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material.

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

Susceptible weeds controlled are lambsquarters, marshelder, annual mustards, field pennycress, yellow rocket, cocklebur, shepherdspurse and many others. Less susceptible weeds

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partially controlled (may have more erratic results) are Canada thistle, dandelions, kochia, plantains, ragweed, sunflowers, pigweed, purslane, wild buckwheat, hempnettle, stinging nettle and many others.

Avoid use of small-diameter spray nozzles. Avoid spray drifts onto susceptible plants such as vegetables, flowers, tomatoes, beans, sugarbeets, sunflowers and other legumes. Coarse sprays are less likely to drift. Do not spray at all in the vicinity near susceptible plants to prevent any vapor drift.

#### SPRAY DRIFT MANAGEMENT

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator. The interaction of many equipment-and-weather-related factors determines the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the grower are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions

Apply only as a medium or coarser spray (ASAE standard 572) or a volume mean diameter of 300 microns or greater for spinning atomizer nozzles.

Apply only then the wind speed is 2-10 mph at the application site.

Additional requirements for aerial application:

The boom length must not exceed 75% of the wingspan or 90% or the rotor blade diameter.

Release spray at the lowest height consistent with efficacy and flight safety. Do not release spray at a height greater than 10 feet above the crop canopy.

When applications are made with a crosswind, the swath will be displaced downwind. The applicator must compensate for this displacement at the downwind edge of the application area by adjusting the path of the aircraft upwind.

Do not make applications into temperature inversions.

Additional requirements for ground boom application:
Do not apply with a nozzle height greater than 4 feet above the crop canopy.

#### **CROPS**

WHEAT, OATS, BARLEY: Use 1 pint per acre in 5 gallons of water by ground application or in 3-5 gallons of water by airplane application. Apply any time from emergence to boot stage of grain. Do not spray from boot to dough stage. Do not use on small grains interplanted with sweet clover unless injury to the legume can be tolerated. Use on grain underseeded with alfalfa only where specifically recommended by local agricultural experiment station and extension service weed specialists. For Canada thistle, use 1 1/3 pint per acre rate. Do not forage or graze meat animals on treated areas within seven days of slaughter. Do not apply more than 1-1/2 pints (3/4 lb. ae) of this product per acre per year.

**FLAX:** Use 1/2 pint per acre in 5 gallons of water by ground application or in 3-5 gallons of water by airplane application. Apply when weeds are up and when flax is 2 to 6 inches high and before it comes into bud. Treatment after early bud stage may result in severe damage. If Canada thistle is present, it may be necessary to go as high as 3/4 pint per acre. Some injury to flax may result. Do not apply more than 1/2 pint (1/4 lb. ae) of this product per acre per year.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PROHIBITIONS: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Do not store under conditions which might adversely affect the container or its ability to function properly.

STORAGE: Do not store below temperature of 0°F. If frozen, warm to 45°F. and redissolve before using by rolling or shaking the container. Store in safe manner. Store in original container only. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Reduce stacking height where local conditions can affect package strength. Personnel should use clothing and equipment consistent with good pesticide handling.

equipment consistent with good pesticide handling. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are toxic, Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate, is a violation of Federal law and may contaminate groundwater. 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 HANDLING:

Nonrefiliable container. Do not reuse this container to hold materials other than pesticides or dilute pesticides (rinsate), After emptying and cleaning, it may be allowable to temporarily hold rinsate or other pesticide-related materials in the container. Contact your state regulatory agency to determine allowable practices in your state. Once cleaned, some agricultural plastic pesticide containers can be taken to a container collection site or picked up for recycling. To find the nearest site, contact your chemical dealer or manufacturer, or contact The Agricultural Container Recycling Council (ACRC) at www.acrecycle.org. If not recycled, then puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying.

(For packages up to 5 gallons:) Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Pressure rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Hold

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container upside down over application equipment or mix tank or collect rinsate for later use or disposal. Insert pressure rinsing nozzle in the side of the container, and rinse at about 40 PSI for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. (For packages greater than 5 gallons or 50 lbs.) Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container ¼ full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Pressure rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Hold container upside down over application equipment or mix tank or collect rinsate for later use or disposal. Insert pressure rinsing nozzle in the side of the container, and rinse at about 40 PSI for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip.

(For square bottom caged totes greater than 55 gals.): Triple rinse or pressure rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container about 1/4 full with water, rinsing down all sides inside the container thoroughly. Recirculate water with the pump for 2 minutes. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times.

(For refillable containers:) Refill this container with pesticide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or mix tank. Fill the container about 10 percent full with water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with the pump for 2 minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times.

For help with any spill, leak, fire or exposure involving this material, call day or night CHEMTREC - 1-800-424-9300.

#### **CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY**

BEFORE BUYING OR USING THIS PRODUCT, read the entire Directions for Use and the following Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability. By buying or using this product, the buyer or user accepts the following Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability, which no employee or agent of LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC. or the seller is authorized to vary in any way.

Follow the Directions for Use of this product carefully. It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop or other plant injury, ineffectiveness, or other unintended consequences may result from such risks as weather or crop conditions, mixture with other chemicals not specifically identified in this product's label, or use of this product contrary to the label instructions, all of which are beyond the control of LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC. and the seller. The buyer or user of this product assumes all such inherent risks

Subject to the foregoing inherent risks, LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC. warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated in the Directions for Use when the product is used in strict accordance with such Directions for Use under normal conditions of use. EXCEPT AS WARRANTED IN THIS LABEL, THIS PRODUCT IS SOLD AS IS TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY APPLICABLE LAW. LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC. MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR ELIGIBILITY OF THIS PRODUCT FOR ANY PARTICULAR TRADE USAGE.

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TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY APPLICABLE LAW, THE BUYER'S OR USER'S EXCLUSIVE REMEDY FOR ANY INJURY, LOSS, OR DAMAGE RESULTING FROM THE HANDLING OR USE OF THIS PRODUCT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF BREACH OF WARRANTY OR CONTRACT, NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHER TCETC, SMALL BE LIMITED TO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING, AT THE ELECTION OF LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC. OR THE SELLER: DIRECT DAMAGES NOT EXCEEDING THE CURCHASE PRICE OF THE PRODUCT OR REPLACEMENT OF THE PRODUCT. TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY APPLICABLE LAW, LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC. AND THE GELLER: SHALL NOT BE LIABLE TO THE BUYER OR USER OF THIS PRODUCT FOR ANY CONSEGUENTIAL, SPECIAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES, OR DAMAGES IN THE NATURE OF A PENALTY.



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