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Wal-Ben Industries, Inc.
270 Rocus Street
Springfield, MA 01104

Attention: Darlene Benoit

Gentlemen:

Subject: Blue Shield 2.5% Algaecide
EPA Registration No. 34743-10
Your Submission Dated February 9, 1988
EPA Received Date February 18, 1988

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), is acceptable provide that you make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling.

1. Delete the word "milk."
2. Delete the word "Sample" from your label.
3. Revise EPA Registration No. 34743-10-21268 to read EPA Registration No. 34743-10.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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CONCURRENCES

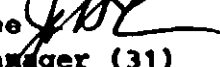
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A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Karen Leavy at (703) 557-3966.

Sincerely yours,

John H. Lee 
Product Manager (31)
Antimicrobial Program Branch
Registration Division (TS-767C)

Enclosure

SAMPLE

DIRECTIONS FOR USE IN SWIMMING POOLS:

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

Initial Dose: add 2 gallon 2.5% Algaecide to 25,000 gallons of pool water.

Maintenance Dose: add 2 quart 2.5% Algaecide to 25,000 gallons of pool water.

Initial dose is used when filling pool at beginning of swimming season. If pool has visible algae growth, treat with initial dose. Vacuum pool after 24 hours to remove algae debris. If visible algae are still present or reappear, repeat this treatment procedure as necessary. When pool is free of visible algae, use the recommended maintenance dose.

Maintenance dose should be added at 3-5 day intervals. If high temperatures prevail or pool has unusually heavy use, add maintenance dose more frequently.

If make-up water is added at the rate of more than 10% per week of pool capacity, add 2 quart of 2.5% Algaecide for each 5,000 gallons of fresh make-up water added per week.

When swimming season is over, add 2 gallon of 2.5% Algaecide to 25,000 gallons of water in treating water left in pool. This dose helps provide a measure of control of algae growth during the winter months. This treatment will also help the servicing of the pool before it is returned to use the following season.

When 2.5% Algaecide is used as directed, it will kill and prevent development of *Chlorella pyrenoidosa* (green), *Phormidium inundatum* and *Phormidium retzii* (blue-green algae), *Lyngbya versicolor* (blue-green) and other swimming pool algae.

2.5% Algaecide is compatible with most commonly used swimming pool chemicals, but should not be mixed with soap or other water-treating chemicals. 2.5% Algaecide works best when added by itself directly to pool water. 2.5% Algaecide at use dilution is non-corrosive to inanimate surfaces.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE IN OUTSIDE SPAS/ WHIRLPOOLS/ HOT TUB

Initial Dose: Add 5 1/2 ounces of 2.5% Algaecide per 5,000 gallons of water. Initial dose is used upon filling of Spa/Whirlpool/Hot Tub Bath.

Maintenance Dose: Add 2 1/2 ounces of 2.5% Algaecide per 5,000 gallons of water. Maintenance dose should be added at 3-5 days intervals. If high temperatures prevail or Spa/Whirlpool/Hot Tub Bath has unusually heavy use, add maintenance dose more frequently.

Drain and clean Spa/Whirlpool/Hot Tub Bath at least once a month or as needed depending on bather load.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated:

Blue Shield 2.5% Algaecide
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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as
amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.

34743-10

Concentrated Swimming Pool Algaecide Keeps Pool Water Clear
and Free of Visible Algae

Controls Algae Slime in both swimming pools and outside
Spa/Whirlpool/Hot tub baths

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

n-Alkyl (60% C₁₄, 30% C₁₆, 5% C₁₂, 5% C₁₈)

dimethyl benzyl

ammonium chlorides

n-Dialkyl (60% C₁₄, 30% C₁₆, 5% C₁₂, 5% C₁₈)

dimethyl benzyl

ammonium chloride

INERT INGREDIENTS

TOTAL 100.0%

EPA REG. No. 34743-10
EPA EST. No. 34743-MA-01

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
DANGER

See side panel for additional
precautionary statements.

Wal-Ben Industries, Inc.
516 Chicopee Street
Chicopee, Mass. 01013

NET CONTENTS

1 gallon
1/2 gallon
1 quart

PRECAUTIONS

Hazard to Human

Keep Out of Reach of Children and skin damage. Do not get in goggles or face shield and rub or fatal if swallowed. Avoid contact.

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In case of contact, immediately wash with water for at least 15 minutes. If and wash contaminated clothing promptly a large quantity of water. Avoid alcohol. Call a physician.

NOTE TO

Probable mucosal damage may occur. Measures against circulation and measures to support breathing may be needed. If persistent, consult the cautious intravenous injection drug.

ENVIRONMENT

This pesticide is toxic to effluent containing this product, estuaries, oceans, and this product is specifically in an NPDES permit. Do not use this product to sewer system the sewage treatment plant contact your State Water Board the EPA.

STORAGE AND

DO NOT CONTAMINATE WATER, FOR STORAGE OR DISPOSAL

STORAGE-Store in a dry place, 50°F or higher than 100°F.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL-Pesticide should be disposed of in accordance with the instructions contact your State Control Agency or the nearest EPA Regional Office.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL-Do not reuse empty container with then offer for reconditioning in a sanitary landfill, or State or local authorities disposed of in a sanitary landfill by local authorities, by burning of smoke.

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