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Date of Issuance:

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NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

Registration
 Reregistration

Term of Issuance:

UNCONDITIONAL

Name of Pesticide Product:

Qualis Boric Acid Powder 99%

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Qualis Inc.
4600 Park Ave.
Des Moines, IA 50321

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

Based on your response to the Reregistration Eligibility Document, EPA has reregistered the product listed above. With regards, to labeling, make the following label changes.

- Under the Precautionary Statements "Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals revise to read:

Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

- IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting.

Signature of Approving Official:

Marion Johnson

Date:

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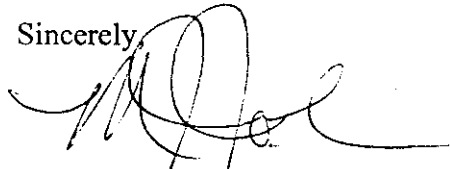
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration preferably mouth-to-mouth. Get medical attention.

IF IN EYES: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

- 3. Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.
- 4. Enclosed is a copy of your label stamped "Accepted with Comments." This action is taken under the authority of section 4(g)(2)(C) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Reregistration under this section does not eliminate the need for control reassessment of pesticides. EPA may require submission of data at any time to maintain the registration of your product.

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

Sincerely,



Marion Johnson
Product Manager 03
Insecticide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)

enclosure

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS
CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. May cause eye irritation.
Avoid eye contact. Wash thoroughly after handling.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

To control cockroaches, ants and silverfish, apply liberally, scattering under and behind refrigerator, stove, sink, dishwasher, washing machine and dryer, tubs, into openings around drains, sewers, manholes, water pipes and electrical conduits, in cracks and crevices along baseboards and in corners of cabinets, cupboards, and closets. Remove all lower drawers in kitchen and bathroom cabinets, bedroom dressers and chests of drawers, then scatter liberally in drawer wells.

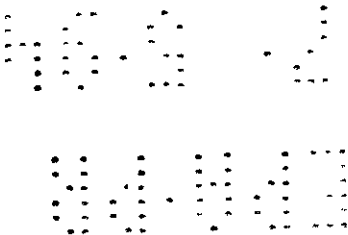
Reapply as necessary. Any powder visible after application must be brushed into cracks and crevices or removed. Apply only in areas inaccessible to children and pets. Avoid contamination of food and foodstuffs.

Directions for Applying in New Construction to Control Cockroaches-When treating large areas, such as wall voids, soffit and subcabinet voids in new and existing construction, dust liberally using dusting application equipment.

Directions for Applying as a Mop Solution to Control Cockroaches-Add 1 cup per gallon of water of powder to each gallon of rinse water. Apply to floor areas only. Make only enough for each application.

Directions for Applying in Sewers to Control Cockroaches-Apply 1 lb. per sewer manhole of product in sewer using dusting application equipment.

This product may be used in homes, restaurants, and other food and food handling establishments, markets, schools, warehouses, factories, offices, hotels, motels, hospitals, nursing homes, garages, grocery stores, apartment buildings, new construction, industrial plants, theatres, ships, boats, trains, trucks, yachts, camps, mobile homes, buses, zoos, kennels, military bases, libraries, utilities and sewers.



QUALIS BORIC ACID
POWDER 99%

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:	
Boric Acid Powder.....	99.0% ✓
INERT INGREDIENTS.....	1.0% ✓
TOTAL	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

Immediately contact Physician or Poison Control Center if swallowed. If eye contact occurs, flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

See Side or Back Panel For Additional Cautions

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Des Moines, IA 50321

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Directions For Use Continued

CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT

FOOD AND FEED HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS-Places other than private residence in which exposed food or feed is held processed, prepared or served.

FOOD AREA APPLICATION LIMITED TO CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT ONLY-Includes areas for receiving, storage, packing (canning, bottling, wrapping, boxing) preparing edible waste storage and enclosed processing systems such as mills, dairies, bakeries, restaurants or anywhere food or feed is stored, processed, prepared or served. Serving areas (when food is exposed and facility is in operation) also would be considered a food area.

Apply in small amounts directly into cracks and crevices using a bulbous duster or other suitable equipment capable of applying insecticide directly into cracks and crevices, in points between different elements of construction, between equipment and floors, openings leading to voids and hollow spaces in walls, equipment legs and bases, conduits, motor housing and electrical switch boxes where cockroaches hide.

Care should be taken to avoid depositing the product onto exposed food and feed processing, preparation and serving surfaces or introducing the material into the air. Avoid contamination of food or feed processing surfaces.

APPLICATIONS OF THIS PRODUCT IN THE FOOD AND FEED AREAS OF FOOD HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS, OTHER THAN AS A CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT, ARE NOT PERMITTED.

SERVING AREAS-Facilities where prepared foods are served, such as dining rooms, but excluding areas where foods may be prepared or held.

Apply as a spot treatment to selective surfaces such as baseboards under elements of construction into cracks and crevices. Avoid treating surfaces likely to be contacted by food. (Do not apply when facility is in operation or foods are exposed)

NON-FOOD AREAS-Includes garbage rooms, lavatories, floor drains (to sewer entries and vestibules), offices, locker rooms, machine rooms, boiler rooms, garages, mop closets and storage (after canning or bottling) Apply to baseboard areas, around water pipes, surfaces behind and beneath sinks, lockers, tables, pallets and similar areas where insects hide or through which they may enter.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store in a cool dry place. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide spray mixture or rinse water that cannot be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to applicable Federal, state, or local procedures.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty bag by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of bags in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by State and local authorities.

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