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Mr. Eliot I. Harrison, Agent Catalytic Generators, Inc. 122 C Street, N.W., Suite 740 Washington, DC 20001

Subject: Ethy-Gen II EPA Reg. No. 37433-1 Application for amendment dated July 27, 1998

Dear Mr. Harrison,

Your application to amend the subject label to reflect a change in formulation, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable with the following comments.

In order to bring your label in line with current standards, please make the following changes to the Statements of Practical Treatment:

**If Swallowed**: Call 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.

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

If in Eyes: Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention

If on Skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention.

Please make the above changes and submit five (5) copies of the final printed label prior to shipment. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,

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# ETHY-GEN<sup>®</sup> II CONCENTRATE

ONLY FOR USE WITH A CATALYTIC GENERATOR TO PRODUCE ETHYLENE TO ACCELERATE RIPENING OF:

Avocados, Bananas, Citrus Fruit, Melons, Papayas, Pears, Tomatoes and Tobacco

# ACTIVE INGREDIENT

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Ethanol	90%
INERT INGREDIENTS	10%
TOTAL	00.00%

# WARNING

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN NOT INTENDED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION FLAMMABLE KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT AND FLAME

# STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If Swallowed: Induce vomiting by touching the back of the threa: with finger or blunt object. Get medical attention immediately.

If Inhaled: Remove from exposure and get medical attention immediately.

If in Eyes: Flush with water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.

If on Skin: Intigate immediately with water. See side panel for additional Precautionary Statements.

# Mfg. By: CATALYTIC GENERATORS, INC.

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Net Contents - 64 Ounces - Two (2) U.S. Quarts

Keep away from heat and flame.

# STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. STORAGE-Store in dry locked storage area, at temperatures below 125 F.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL-Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or 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.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Avocados, Bananas, Citrus Fruit, Melons, Papayas, Pears and Tomatoes.

Use in a Cutalytic Generator the first 24 hours of ripening period. One (1) quart used as directed in 4,000 to 10,000 cubic feet ripening room produces ethylene concentrations varying from 4 to 1,200 P.P.M. over a period 12-48 hours. One (1) pint used as directed in 1,000 to 6,000 cubic feet ripening room produces ethylene concentrations varying from 5 to 500 P.P.M. over a period of 6-24 hours.

### **TOBACCO (FLUE-CURED)**

Use in a Catalytic Generator immediately after filling curing system. Two (2) quarts used as directed in 1,500 to 2,500 cubic feet curing system produces ethylene concentrations varying from 15 to 300 P.P.M. over a period of 12-24 hours. Use additional two (2) quarts of ETHY-GEN®II as required.

#### USE PRECAUTIONS

Anyone using this product in any other type curing system or room size should contact us prior to use. The ripening room or curing system should be reationably air-tight, all vents and doors closed, cracks or holes in walls and doors should be repaired or covered over. Do not use in enclosures less than 1,000 cubic feet.

#### WARRANTY

Seller's liability for breach of warranty, express or implied, in connection with the sale or lease of this product shall be limited to repairs or replacement at seller's expense of the defective product, and in no case shall seller be liable for incidental or consequential damages.

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Use of any other product other than ETHY-GENSII CONCENTRATE may damage the catalytic generator supplied by Catalytic Generators. Inc. Also, use of other products in the generator may produce harmful by-products.

#### NOTE

Degreening citrus requires 1 to 5 P.P.M. of ethylene. Excess may cause damage.

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