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16 MAR 1992

Mr. Thomas J. Schmit
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Conway, AR 72032

Dear Mr. Schmit:

Subject: Revised Labeling
Wasp and Hornet Killer
EPA Reg. No. 38664-5
Submission dated February 24, 1992

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable subject to the comments listed below. One copy of the finished labeling must be submitted prior to releasing the product for shipment.

In accordance with the Sumithrin Registration Standard, revise the label declaration for sumithrin to read: "3-phenoxybenzyl-(1RS, 3RS; 1RS; 3SR)-2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylprop-1-enyl)cyclopropanecarboxylate".

The Environmental Hazard statement that appeared on the approved label of February 16, 1988 should be put back on the label.

As new labels are prepared, delete the term "other isomers" from the label ingredients declaration. Unless otherwise substantiated, these isomers should be considered inert. If the "other isomers" are determined to be active, they should be incorporated in the declaration for the active ingredient and not distinguished as "related compounds" or "other isomers".

You should be advised that 1,1,1, trichloroethane has been identified as a Class I substance under Title VI of the Clean Air Act, 1990 amendments. Based upon this Act, Congress has implemented provisions to protect the stratospheric ozone layer from deterioration. Many currently registered products as well

as new applications for registration will ultimately be affected by this Act. Any questions concerning this issue are welcomed by the Agency.

Sincerely,

RFM
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P.S. Since this product is labeled strictly for outdoor use, you should delete statements such as --"Provide adequate ventilation of area to be treated"-- that may imply otherwise.

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**WASP AND HORNET
KILLER**

FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Tetramethrin:

[1-(Cyclohexene-1,2-dicarboximido)methyl-2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylpropenyl) cyclopropanecarboxylate 0.200%
* 3-Phenoxybenzyl [d-cis and trans* *] 2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylpropenyl) cyclopropanecarboxylate 0.120%
Other isomers 0.005%
INERT INGREDIENTS 99.675%

* d-(cis,trans) phenotrin

** cis/trans isomer ratio: max. 25% (+ or -) cis, min. 75% (+ or -) trans

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**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CAUTION**

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF IN EYES: Flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

IF SWALLOWED: Call physician or poison control center immediately

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if indicated. Obtain medical attention.

See back panel for additional precautionary statements.

NET WEIGHT: 1 lb. (16 ounces)(454 grams)

Manufactured by

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: May be harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid breathing of spray mist. Provide adequate ventilation of area to be treated. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid contamination of food, utensils and food preparation areas. Remove pets, birds and cover fish aquariums before spraying.

PHYSICAL HAZARDS: EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE. Do not use or store near fire, sparks or heated surfaces. Turn off pilot lights in gas appliances and unplug or turn off electrical equipment in the use area. After airing out phase is completed, relight pilot lights and reconnect electrical current. Do not smoke in the use area. Contents under pressure. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Exposure to temperatures above 130° F may cause bursting. Incineration of container may cause explosion.

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

FOR CONTROL OF WASPS AND HORNETS: Apply late in the evening when insects are at rest. Aim valve opening at nest and depress button, soaking the nest with spray. Repeat as necessary. Avoid wetting vegetation with spray, as it will be damaged. Do not use as a space spray.

OTHER USES—OUTDOORS ONLY: For the control of ants, clover mites, crickets, earwigs, fleas, millipedes, sowbugs and brown dog ticks: Spray infested areas thoroughly, including the outside surfaces of screen frames, doors, window frames, foundations, patios or other places where insects may enter or harbour. For ants, spray hills and runways. Repeat as necessary. Do not spray vegetation. Do not use as a space spray.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store in a cool area away from heat or open flame.

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container in newspaper and put into trash.

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