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Subject: Notification of Change to the Warranty Statement per PR Notice 1998-10
Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate
EPA Registration No. 42697-1

Dear Mr. Mongiovi:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 dated October 26, 2009 for the product Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate.

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10. The label submitted with the application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-5967.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Gaines
Wildlife Biologist
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (7505P)
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Subject: Notification of Change to Storage and Disposal per PR Notice 2007-4
Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate
EPA Registration No. 42697-1

Dear Mr. Mongiovi:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application(s) for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 dated October 26, 2009 for:

EPA Registration No. 42697-1 Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for applicability under PRN 2007-4 and finds that the label change requested falls within the scope of PRN-2007-4. The label has been date-stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.


Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on nonrefillable containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by non-notification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at 703-305-5967.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jennifer Gaines".

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	United States Environmental Protection Agency Washington, DC 20460	<input type="checkbox"/> Registration <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Notification	OPP Identifier Number
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Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 42697-1	2. EPA Product Manager Adam Heyward	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate	PM# 34	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Safer, Inc. a wholly owned subsidiary of Woodstream Corporation 69 North Locust Street Lititz PA 17543-0327 <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. NOTIFICATION FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(I), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">NOV 18 2009</div> EPA Reg. No. _____ Product Name _____	

Section - II

<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____	<input type="checkbox"/> "Me Too" Application
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Explain below

Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For Section I and Section II.)

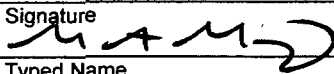
Notification of Label Action Per PR-Notice 2007-4: Please reference the attached explanation
 Notification of label change per PR Notice 2007-4. This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notice 2007-4 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CFR 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156. No other changes have been made to the labeling or the Confidential Statement of Formula for this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if the amended label is not consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.

Revision of Warranty Statements (Updated As Per EPA Warranty Statement Guidance Document Dated October 17, 2006): Please reference attached explanation
 This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR NOTICE 98-10 and EPA Regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or the confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 USC Sec. 1001 to willfully make false statements to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR NOTICE 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.

Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
*Certification must be submitted		If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt. No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt. No. per container	<input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Paper <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Label <input type="checkbox"/> Container	4. Size(s) Retail Container 8oz, 16oz, 32oz, 128oz		5. Location of Label Directions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On Label <input type="checkbox"/> On labeling accompanying product		
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input type="checkbox"/> Stenciled					

Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)			
Name Chad Mateer	Title Regulatory Affairs Manager	Telephone No. (include Area Code) 717-625-2125 x426	
Certification I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.			6. Date Application Received (Stamped)
2. Signature 		3. Title Product Compliance Specialist	
4. Typed Name Mark Mongiovi		4. Date 10-26-09	



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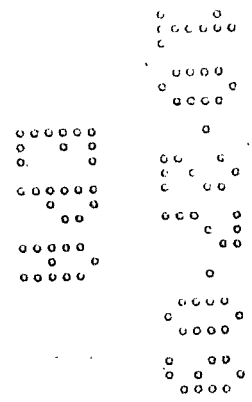
ATTN: Notification Division
SUBJECT: Safer, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Woodstream Corporation
***Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate* (EPA Reg. No. 42697-1)**
Notification of Label Action Per PR-Notice 2007-4
Revision of Warranty Statements as Per EPA Warranty Statement Guide

Enclosed please find a Notification of Label Action Per PR-Notice 2007-4 and Revised Warranty Statements as per EPA Warranty Statement Guide for the subject product. Also enclosed please find a copy of our revised master label with changes highlighted and a clean copy for your records.

If you have any questions and/or need any additional information, please call me at (717) 626 -2125 ext: 219 or email mmongiovi@woodstream.com.

Sincerely,

Mark Mongiovi
Product Compliance Specialist
Woodstream Corporation



Enclosures:
Notification of Label Action
Revised master label copy with changes highlighted
Clean copy of revised master label



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ATTACHMENT TO NOTIFICATION DATED 10-26-09

EPA Reg. No. 42697-1

NOTIFICATION OF LABEL ACTION PER PR-NOTICE 2007-4:

Storage & Disposal Statements

MASTER LABEL- BACK PANEL (Page 1 of 5)

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

~~Do not contaminate water, feed or feedstuffs by storage and disposal.~~

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store only in original container in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets. Do not store full or partial containers in direct sunlight. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL AND CONTAINER HANDLING: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **If Empty:** ~~Do not reuse this container.~~ Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If Partly Filled:** Call your local solid waste agency or (800)-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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Warranty Statements

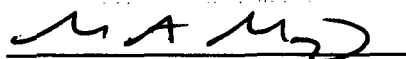
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~~Woodstream Corp. and its subsidiaries will not accept liability for damage or injury resulting from misuse. For information on this pesticide product (including health concerns, medical emergencies, or pesticide incidents) call the National Pesticide Information Center at 1-800-858-7378.~~

Note: Seller warrants that this product complies with the specifications expressed in this label. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller makes no other warranties, and disclaims all other warranties, express or implied, including but not limited to warranties of merchantability and fitness for the intended purpose. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller's liability or default, breach or failure under this label shall be limited to the amount of the purchase price. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller shall have no liability for consequential damages.

This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR NOTICE 98-10 and EPA Regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or the confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 USC Sec. 1001 to willfully make false statements to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR NOTICE 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.


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Product Compliance Specialist
Woodstream Corporation

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SAFER® INSECTICIDAL SOAP CONCENTRATE

[Additional Brand Names]

- Safer® Brand Insecticidal Soap Multi-Purpose Insect Killer Concentrate
- Safer® Brand Houseplant Insecticidal Soap Concentrate
- Safer® Brand Houseplant Insect Killing Soap Concentrate
- Safer® Brand Insect Killing Soap Concentrate
- Safer® Brand Insect Killer Concentrate
- Safer® Brand Multi-Purpose Insect Killing Soap Concentrate
- Safer® Brand Multi-Purpose Insect Killer Concentrate

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[Optional Marketing Claims]

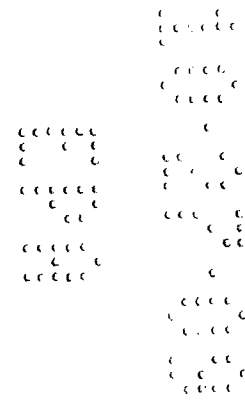
- Kills Aphids, Mealybugs, Mites, Whiteflies, and other listed pests (*see back panel*) on foliage plants, flowers, shrubs, trees, fruits, vegetables and nuts in and around homes and greenhouses.
- OMRI® Listed – Organic Materials Review Institute [logo]
- For Organic Production [logo]

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	BY WT.
Potassium Salts of Fatty Acids.....	49.52 %
OTHER INGREDIENTS:.....	<u>50.48 %</u>
TOTAL.....	100.00 %

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

See back panel for additional Precautionary Statements and First Aid



Net contents:

- 8 fl. oz.
- 16 fl. oz.
- 1 quart (32 fl. oz.)
- 1 gallon (128 fl. oz.)

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards To Humans and Domestic Animals

WARNING: Causes substantial, but temporary eye injury. Causes skin irritation. Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Do not get on skin, in eyes or on clothing. Wear goggles or safety glasses. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

FIRST AID

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.

If on skin or clothing:

- Take off contaminated clothing.
- Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If inhaled:

- Move person to fresh air.
- If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact the National Pesticide Information Center at 1-800-858-7378 for emergency medical treatment.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product may be hazardous to aquatic invertebrates. For terrestrial uses, do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of rinsate.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Flammable. Keep away from heat and open flame.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store only in original container in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets. Do not store full or partial containers in direct sunlight. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL AND CONTAINER HANDLING: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **If Empty:** Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If Partly Filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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For control of Adelgids, Aphids, Earwigs, Grasshoppers, Lacebugs, Mealybugs, Mites, Plant Bugs, Psyllids, Sawfly Larvae, Scales, Tent Caterpillars, Thrips, Whiteflies, Woolly Aphids, and other listed pests.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

This product can be applied with all types of hand or power sprayers. Read and carefully follow the instructions for the type of sprayer you use.

[Shake well.] For best results, use freshly mixed solution. [Mix one part concentrate with 50 parts water, or 2.5 fl. oz. per gallon unless otherwise noted.] Use soft water whenever possible.

NOTE: Do not use on new transplants, newly rooted cuttings or plants stressed by drought. Avoid application when temperature exceeds 90° F. Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate may be used up to and including day of harvest, and is useful as a component of Integrated Pest Management (IPM) programs.

Indoor Plants: [Mix one part concentrate with 50 parts water or 2.5 fl. oz. (5 Tbsp) of concentrate per gallon of water.] Apply when insects or signs of their damage appear. Take care to thoroughly wet all surfaces of infested foliage and branches. For **Aphids**, examine plants after two days and spray again if needed. For other pests, spray weekly [7 –10 day intervals] as needed up to three times. Do not make repeated sprays at short intervals without thoroughly rinsing foliage. For **Blossom Thrips** on African violets, spray to contact thrips on the blooms. **Root Mealybugs** and **Springtail** infestations can be reduced using a soil drench of one to two tablespoons of concentrate in a quart of tepid water applied monthly. **NOTE:** Do not use on Crown of Thorns and test other euphorbias for phytotoxicity before full-scale application. Do not use on dracaena, delicate ferns, dieffenbachia, ornamental ivies, palms or succulents without testing.

Flower and Bedding Plants Growing Outdoors and in Home Greenhouses, including foliage plants, roses and succulents. [Mix 2.5 fl. oz. (5 Tbsp) of concentrate per gallon of water.] Apply when insects appear. Take care to thoroughly wet all infested surfaces. A second application should be timed to control newly hatched young. Repeat weekly as needed up to three times. For **Earwigs** spray directly on insects after disturbing their hiding places. **NOTE:** Do not use on bleeding heart, gardenias, jade plant, lantana, lilies, or sweetpeas. Some varieties of azaleas, begonias, camellias, fuschias, gardenias and impatiens are soap sensitive [have shown sensitivity]. If wilting occurs within a few hours, rinse with clean water supply. Test on chrysanthemums for varietal sensitivity and do not apply to open blooms.

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Ornamental [Landscape] Trees and Shrubs: [Mix 2.5 fl. oz. (5 Tbsp) of concentrate per gallon of water.] To control the crawler stage of **Adelgids, Psyllids and Scales**, spray to wet bark surface when infestation warrants. For **Mites**, be sure to wet underside of leaves and needle sheaths. For **Tent Caterpillars**, mix [use] 4 fl. oz. [(8 tablespoons)] per gallon [of water] and spray directly on young larvae when congregated on outside of tent. **NOTE:** Do not apply to chestnut, Japanese maple, mountain ash or Colorado blue spruce. Do not apply to ornamentals stressed by drought or when tender new foliage is present. [Do not apply to evergreens during drought or when tender new foliage is present. Do not apply when temperature exceeds 90°F. Test on Arborvitae, Eugenia and Euonymus for varietal and drought sensitivity. Safer® Insecticidal Soap Concentrate may result in the temporary removal of the glaucous bloom from spruces.]

Vegetables Growing Outdoors and In Home Greenhouses: Mix one part concentrate to 50 parts water or 2.5 fl.oz. per gallon. [Mix 2.5 fl. oz. (5 Tbsp.) of concentrate per gallon of water.] Apply when insects [or **Mites**] first appear or when damage [first] occurs. Spray to wet all infested plant surfaces. [One gallon of spray covers approximately 850 sq. ft. of growing area.] Application rate will vary according to size and growth form of plants. For most pests, repeat application after several days to eliminate newly hatched individuals. Repeat at weekly to biweekly intervals up to three times. [Do not make more than 3 sequential applications over a two week period.] Use up to the day before harvest. [May be used up to day of harvest.] [Note: Do not apply during heat of day or when temperature exceeds 90°F.]

Root and Tuber Vegetables: Including carrot, potato, radish and sugar beet to suppress aphids, and to control leafhoppers, plant bugs and whiteflies. Use up to day of harvest.

Bulb Vegetables: Including onion and garlic to suppress thrips. Use up to day of harvest.

Brassica (Cole) Leafy Vegetables: Including broccoli, Brussels sprouts, cabbage, Chinese cabbage (bok choy) and kale to control leafhoppers, plant bugs and whitefly and to suppress aphids. Use up to day of harvest.

Leafy Vegetables: Including lettuce, celery, and spinach to control whitefly and mites and to suppress aphids. Use up to day of harvest.

Legume Vegetables: Including beans, peas and soybeans to control aphids, grasshoppers, whiteflies and spider mites. Use up to day of harvest.

Fruiting Vegetables: Including tomatoes, peppers and eggplant to control spider mites and whitefly and to suppress aphids. Use up to day of harvest.

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Cucurbit Vegetables: Including cucumber, summer squash and melon to control plant bugs and whitefly and to suppress aphids and mites. Use up to day of harvest. Always apply to cucumbers at night or during the coolest part of the day.

Herbs and Spices: Including basil, chives, dill, marjoram, and sage to control whitefly and to suppress aphids and mites. Use up to day of harvest.

Fruits and Nuts: [Mix 2.5 fl. oz. (5 Tbsp.) of concentrate per gallon of water.] Spray when insects first appear or to prevent damage. [Spray when insects first appear or when their population attain spray level.] Apply to achieve thorough coverage of infested foliage and/or branches. Repeat at weekly intervals as needed. Avoid spraying when blossoms are present. Use up to day of harvest.

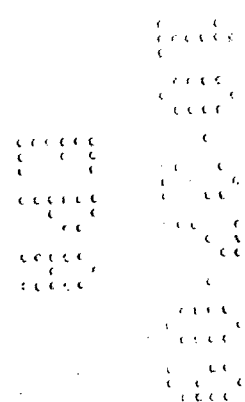
Citrus Fruits: Including lemons, sweet orange and grapefruit to control aphids, cottony cushion scale, black scale, red scale and mites. Use up to day of harvest. Note: Some marking of fruit may occur, especially when spray run-off occurs or when sooty mold is present.

Pome Fruits: Including apple and pear to control leafhoppers, scale crawlers, pear psylla, pear slug (*Tenthredinidae*) and to suppress aphids and mites. Use up to day of harvest. Note: Spray may cause localized marking of some varieties, particularly apple varieties such as Red and Golden Delicious, Gravenstein, and pear varieties such as d'Anjou, Comice and Asian.

Stone Fruits: Including cherry, peach and plums to control scale insects and suppress aphids and mites. Use up to day of harvest. Note: Spray may cause localized spotting of nectarines and remove waxbloom from plums.

Small Fruits and Berries: Including blackberry, coffee, cranberry, grape and strawberry to control leafhoppers, mealybugs, scales and whitefly and to suppress aphids and mites. Use up to day of harvest. Note: Do not spray grapes during the period between the start of blooming and 2 to 3 days post shatter.

Tree nuts: Including almonds, English walnuts and pecans to control scale crawlers and to suppress aphids and mites. Use up to day of harvest.



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Note: Seller warrants that this product complies with the specifications expressed in this label. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller makes no other warranties, and disclaims all other warranties, express or implied, including but not limited to warranties of merchantability and fitness for the intended purpose. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller's liability or default, breach or failure under this label shall be limited to the amount of the purchase price. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller shall have no liability for consequential damages.

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