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PREVENTION, PESTICIDES,
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

December 1, 2009

Mr. Mark Mongiovi
Safer, Inc.
69 North Locust Street
Lititz, PA 17543-0327

Dear Mr. Mongiovi:

Subject: Amended label per PRN 2007-4 and EPA Warranty Statement Guide
Safer® Brand Sharpshooter® V Ready To Use Spray (RTU)
EPA Reg. No. 42697-36
Submission dated September 9, 2009

The proposed labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, is acceptable. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit two copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. If you have any questions, please contact Julie Chao by phone at: (703) 308-8735, or by email at: chao.julie@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

JOH John Hebert, PM 07
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (7505P)

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SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU)

[Optional Marketing Claims]

- Dead in a Day
- 24 hour Kill
- Kills within hours
- Patented Formula
- Kills weeds and grasses quickly (within hours) in and around walks, fences, patios, driveways, flowerbeds, vegetable gardens, trees and shrubs.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	BY WT.
Potassium Salts of Fatty Acids.....	5.29%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:.....	94.71%
TOTAL.....	100.00%

ACCEPTED
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 Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide,
 and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the
 pesticide registered under:

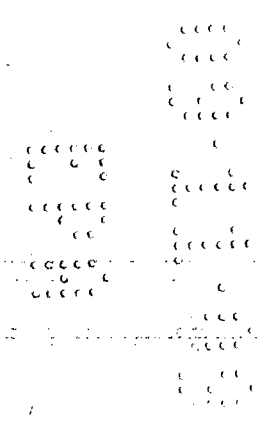
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

(See back panel for additional Precautionary Statements) EPA. Reg. No: 42697-36

Net Contents: 24 fl. oz., 32 fl. oz., 64 fl. oz., 96 fl. oz., 1 Gal.

SHAKE WELL



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DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

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

[EDGER INSTRUCTIONS}

Read the entire label before using this product.

WHERE TO USE: Apply wherever unwanted vegetation [weeds or grasses are] is present, such as driveways, along fences, sidewalks, patios, curbs, gutters and cracks in sidewalks. May also be used in and around vegetable gardens, however, do not spray directly on plants used for food.

WHEN TO APPLY: Apply anytime during the growing season. However, to avoid drift onto desirable plants apply only when the air is calm. Maximum vegetation [weed and grass] control will be achieved during warm, sunny weather when weeds [and grasses] are actively growing. SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) will control most young, succulent and actively growing weeds.

VISIBLE EFFECTS USUALLY OCCUR WITHIN FOUR HOURS.

Several [re-] treatments may be required to control certain deep-rooted grasses and weeds such as Bermudagrass and St. Augustine grass. Top growth of these weeds [and grasses] will be controlled [killed] by each application, ultimately resulting in starvation and death of the roots.

This product has not been formulated to prevent germination of weed seeds, therefore, retreat [at two (2) to four (4) week intervals or] as required. Since the herbicidal effect of SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) does not remain in the soil, treated areas can be [re-] seeded [sown] two days after treatment.

HOW TO APPLY: SHAKE WELL [BEFORE USE]. Remove the cap from the applicator head making certain that the applicator head is screwed firmly onto the jug. Invert the jug holding it away from the body to avoid contact with skin or clothing. [For acceptable control it is important to] Apply the product [SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU)] to thoroughly cover [wet] all parts of undesired vegetation. Avoid unnecessary runoff. The width of the sprinkling pattern may be adjusted by raising or lowering the jug [container].

IMPORTANT: SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) IS A GENERAL CONTACT HERBICIDE WHICH HAS BEEN FORMULATED TO KILL ANY VEGETATION WHICH IT CONTACTS. IF

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ACCIDENTAL CONTACT OCCURS ON DESIRABLE (NON-CROP) VEGETATION WASH IMMEDIATELY WITH WATER. KEEP PEOPLE AND PETS OFF TREATED AREAS UNTIL DRY TO AVOID PRODUCT TRANSFER TO DESIRABLE VEGETATION. PREVENT CONTACT WITH PLANTS USED FOR FOOD.

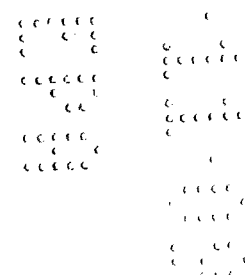
For killing [controlling] vegetation around trees and shrubs, buildings, edging around lawns, fences, sidewalks, and around desired vegetables and other food crops: hold the jug about two (2) to six (6) inches from the area [or undesired plants] to be treated depending upon the desired width.

For killing weeds in brick and gravel walks and patios, and in other unconfined areas: hold the jug about waist high, walking slowly to make sure that all undesired plants are thoroughly covered with SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU).

For re-treating areas or spot treating weeds and grasses in turf: hold the jug at an appropriate height so that the SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) contacts only the weeds or area requiring re-treatment or spot treatment. When using as a spot treatment in actively growing turf, wet undesired plants just to the point of runoff. Avoid unnecessary contact with desired turf to prevent permanent injury to turf. This product may also be used to control emerged annual plants [weeds and grasses] in dormant turf such as Bermudagrass. Treated areas can be re-seeded two (2) days after treatment. Before re-seeding, remove dead plant matter and thatch to aid in good seed germination and growth.

For best results, apply to weeds during early period of growth and during warm dry weather and treat the center growth of weeds. Herbicidal action is rapid with effects visible within hours. The speed at which SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) works is affected by climatic conditions. For fastest results, apply in warm, dry weather.

SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) may cause a white residue on some types of brickwork or concrete. This residue will wear off after a few weeks. A dilute solution of vinegar and water may be used to assist in removing the residue.



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[SPRAY INSTRUCTIONS]

Read the entire label before using product. **IMPORTANT: SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) IS A GENERAL CONTACT HERBICIDE AND WILL DAMAGE OR DESTROY [KILL] ALL VEGETATION WHICH IT CONTACTS. AVOID OVERSPRAY OR SPRAY DRIFT ONTO DESIRABLE LAWN GRASS, FLOWERS, VEGETABLES, GARDEN PLANTS, SHRUBS, OR TREES. KEEP PEOPLE AND PETS OFF TREATED AREAS UNTIL DRY TO AVOID PRODUCT TRANSFER TO DESIRED VEGETATION.**

USE: Shake well, and use as provided for spot treatment of weeds. Ensure thorough wetting [avoid runoff] and complete coverage of all unwanted vegetation. Do not apply during wind conditions that will carry spray to desired vegetation. Note: only those plants or plant parts directly contacted by the herbicide spray will be damaged. Weeds: SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) will control most young, succulent and actively growing weeds. Several treatments may be necessary to control grasses and established weeds. Maturing [flowering] or woody weeds are less susceptible and may not be killed. SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) will not kill all perennial weeds but will result in top kill and suppression. Under some conditions, tough weeds like Bermudagrass, Canada thistle, and bindweed will show signs of regrowth after several weeks. Should this occur, retreat with SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU). Weeds and grasses emerging after application and regrowth from perennial weeds after top kill will not be controlled without reapplication. SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) is non-selective and non-residual. Shield lawn grass and desired plants carefully to avoid damage. SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) will not move through soil [translocate] to injure nearby plants. Treated areas can be sown two days after application.

For best results, apply to weeds during early period of growth and during warm dry weather. Herbicidal action is rapid with effects visible within hours. The speed at which SAFER® BRAND SHARPSHOOTER® V READY TO USE SPRAY (RTU) works is affected by climatic conditions. For most rapid kill, apply in warm, dry weather.

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: May cause skin and eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. In case of contact immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Avoid breathing of spray mist. If swallowed, stomach and intestinal irritation may occur.

FIRST AID	
If in eyes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 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:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 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.
<p>Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-858-7378 for emergency medical treatment.</p>	

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product may be hazardous to aquatic invertebrates. 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 or disposal of rinsate.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL
<p>PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store only in original container in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets. Protect from freezing and heat. Keep container tightly closed to prevent evaporation.</p> <p>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.</p>

