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Kevin Kutcel
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14805 49th Street North
Clearwater, FL 33762

Subject: Label Amendment – Minor Formulation Change
Product Name: Flexgard VI Waterbase Preservative Copper Paint
EPA Registration Number: 44891-27
Application Date: February 14, 2020
Decision Number: 560103

Dear Mr. Kutcel:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

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Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, please Karen M. Leavy by phone at (703)-308-6237, or via email at Leavy.Karen@epa.gov.



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Enclosure

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ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide
and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the
pesticide registered under
EPA Reg. No. 44891-27

[Brand Names]
Flexgard VI Waterbase Preservative
[Alternative Brand Names]
Flexgard VI
Waterbase Mooring Line Antifouling Paint
Mooring Line Bottom Paint
Mooring Line Antifouling Paint
Flexgard Net Dip

FLEXGARD VI WATERBASE PRESERVATIVE

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	
Cuprous Oxide CAS No. 1317-39-1.....,	18.00%
OTHER INGREDIENTS.....	82.00%
TOTAL.....	100.00%
Copper expressed as metallic 16.29%	

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
WARNING**

SEE SIDE PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

[OPTIONAL MARKETING STATEMENTS:]

Inflatable
Waterbase
Ablative Action Repels Barnacles & Other Growth
Waterbase Paint Rolls on Easily
Soap and Water Clean-up
Non-Toxic Fumes
Antifouling Coating
Self Polishing
Antifouling Paint
Ablative
Antifouling Bottom Paint
American Made
Waterbase Antifouling Coatings
Multi Season
Waterbase Coating

Waterbase Net Dip
Crab Pot & Lobster Pot Dip
Commercial
Mooring Line Paint
Prohibits growth of algae and other marine fouling organisms

[Optional Graphics]

FLEXDEL

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ABOVE BAR CODE WILL APPEAR ON EACH CAN AND THE NUMBERS PROVIDED THE ABOVE WILL CORRESPOND WITH THE BAR CODE ISSUED FOR THAT PRODUCT.]

Manufactured By: New Nautical Coatings, Inc.
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DISCLAIMER: The performance of any marine paint or coating depends on many factors outside the control of New Nautical Coatings, Inc. including environmental conditions. Therefore, New Nautical Coatings, Inc. cannot guarantee this product's suitability for your particular purpose of application. Implied warranties of fitness for particular purpose and of merchantability are excluded. New Nautical Coatings, Inc. shall not under any circumstances, be liable for incidental or consequential damages. By purchase or use of this product, buyer agrees that sole and exclusive remedy, if any, is limited to the refund of the purchase price or replacement of the product at New Nautical Coatings, Inc. option.

[Above will be used with contents and manufacturer depending on the size]

[Net Contents:] (5-gallon pail 18.927), (Gallon 3.785 Liters), (Quart 0.9463 Liters)

(Batch Code) [to appear on front or back panel of the label or immediate container depending on the container type/size]

SIDE PANEL

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WARNING. Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. May be fatal if swallowed or inhaled. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes or clothing. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist, or dust or chips from sanding. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses). While spraying paint or sanding boat surface, wear a minimum of a NIOSH-approved particulate filtering facepiece respirator with any N1,R, or P filter; OR a NIOSH-approved elastomeric particulate respirator with any N1, R, or P filter; OR a NIOSH-approved powered air purifying respirator with HE filters. Wear protective clothing (long-sleeved cotton shirt, long pants and hat) and waterproof gloves. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH LABELING.

This is a cuprous oxide pigmented coating formulated especially to prevent the attachment of both plant and animal fouling on vessels immersed in both seawater and brackish water.

(This coating) requires no primer when used directly over fiberglass or wood. For optimum performance, two (2) coats are recommended. The theoretical coverage of this product is 400 square feet per gallon, when applied at the recommended dry film thickness.

To prepare the surface for coating remove all old coating and fouling residue by either washing with high pressure water, scraping or by disc sanding. Be sure to use the proper protective equipment to prevent inhalation or ingestion of the paint dust generated.

A clean dry surface, free of scale, corrosion, dirt, grease, oil, marine, fouling, or other foreign matter will provide the optimum performance of this coating or for touch-up. Inadequate surface preparation will result in unsatisfactory performance. Be sure to remove all dust, debris and other surface contaminations that are generated by the cleaning process prior to painting.

Mix the coating with either a high speed mixer, or a paint shaker for minimum of five (5) minutes to insure complete pigment reincorporation. Thin in the event that the coating is too thick to easily apply. Thin with water. Clean up with water when finished.

Be sure to follow mixing instructions and apply the correct thickness. Allow a minimum of four (4) hours between coats and a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours before undocking vessel.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This material is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not allow chips and dust generated during paint removal to enter water. Dispose of paint debris in an approved landfill. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans and other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent into sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

FIRST AID	
IF SWALLOWED:	Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
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 by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
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.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment information.	
For Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incident Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTREC Day or Night. Within USA and Canada 1-800-424-9300. Outside USA and Canada +1-703-741-5970 CHEMTREC. Account #15570.	
IN CASE OF SPILL OR LEAK: Ventilate area. Absorb with an inert material and dispose of in accordance with applicable local regulations.	
IN CASE OF FIRE: Use CO2, dry chemical, foam or water spray/fog. Cool closed containers with water.	

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate food, feed or water by storage or disposal.

Storage: Keep container closed when not in use. Keep container tight and upright to prevent leakage. Do not store near heat or open flame. Store below 100°F/38°C. Store in well-ventilated area.

Pesticide Disposal: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Container Disposal: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Prior to container disposal, allow any remaining paint residue in the container to air dry. Dispose of the container in accordance with Federal, State or local disposal regulations.