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Betz PaperChem, Inc.  
7510 Baymeadows Way  
Jacksonville, FL 32216

Gentlemen:

Subject: Slime-trol RX-45  
EPA Registration No. 45017-29  
Your Amendment Application Dated February 23, 1988

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provided that you make the following revision before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling.

- Delete "Combustible" in front of the fire hazard caution statement.

A stamped copy of the labeling is enclosed for your records.

Submit the final printed labeling for inclusion in the product file.

If you have any questions in this regard, contact Ms. Ruth Douglas at (703) 557-3842.

Sincerely yours,

Jeff Kempter  
Product Manager (32)  
Antimicrobial Program Branch  
Registration Division (TS-767C)

Enclosure

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# BETZ®

PAPERCHEM, INC.

# Slime-trol RX-

SLIME CONTROL AGENT

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND  
DOMESTIC ANIMALS

### ANGER

HARMFUL OR FATAL IF SWALLOWED OR ABSORBED THROUGH THE SKIN. DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY. CAUSES EYE DAMAGE & SKIN IRRITATION. DO NOT GET INTO EYES, ON SKIN OR ON CLOTHING. DO NOT INHALE VAPOR OR MIST. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES, GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD WHEN HANDLING. IMMEDIATELY REMOVE AND WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

THIS PESTICIDE IS TOXIC TO FISH AND WILDLIFE. DO NOT DISCHARGE EFFLUENT CONTAINING THIS ACTIVE INGREDIENT INTO LAKES, STREAMS, PONDS, ESTUARIES, OCEANS, OR PUBLIC WATERS UNLESS THIS PESTICIDE IS SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED AND ADDRESSED IN AN NPDES PERMIT. DO NOT DISCHARGE EFFLUENT CONTAINING THIS PESTICIDE TO SEWER SYSTEMS WITHOUT PREVIOUSLY NOTIFYING THE SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT AUTHORITY. FOR GUIDANCE CONTACT YOUR STATE WATER BOARD OR REGIONAL OFFICE OF THE EPA. APPLY THIS PESTICIDE ONLY AS SPECIFIED ON THIS LABEL.

### PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

COMBUSTIBLE. DO NOT USE, POUR OR STORE NEAR HEAT OR OPEN FLAME.

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FOR INDUSTRIAL USE. Technical advice regarding specific site problems is available from BETZ.  
EPA 8003

### Active Ingredient:

beta-Bromo-beta-Nitrostyrene.....10.0%  
Inert Ingredients.....90.0%  
Total.....100.0%

Inert ingredients include solubilizing and dispersing agents.

CONTENTS: LIQUID  
POUNDS PER GALLON: 7.9 (74F)  
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EPA EST. NO.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with the following directions.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Keep container tightly closed. Protect from freezing. Store in a dry place. Do not store at elevated temperatures. PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous and/or pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to Federal, State, or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. CONTAINER DISPOSAL: METAL AND PLASTIC CONTAINERS: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or landfill, or incinerate or burn, if allowed by state and local authorities. If burned, stay out of smoke. FIBER DRUMS WITH LINERS: Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty and dispose of liner and drum in a sanitary landfill or incinerate if allowed by state and local authorities. Do not reuse empty.

#### PULP AND PAPER MILL SYSTEMS

This product aids in the control of objectionable bacteria and fungi in pulp, paper mill and the additive system and for the preservation of pulp, pigment slurries, alum, emulsions, adhesives, defoamers, polymers, and paper products. Additions can be made on a continuous or intermittent basis, depending upon the severity of the contamination. BADLY FOULED SYSTEMS must be cleaned before treatment is begun. FOR SLIME CONTROL: This product should be added directly to the pulp and paper mill systems. Apply at a point in the system where the product will be uniformly mixed. INTERMITTENT OR SLUG METHOD--INITIAL DOSE: When the system is noticeably fouled, add this product at the rate of 0.1 to 0.75 lb per ton of pulp or paper produced. Addition of this product to the additive system should be made directly at the rate of 0.2 to 2.0 lbs (24 to 240ppm) per 1000 gals. Repeat until control is achieved. SUBSEQUENT DOSE: When microbial control is evident, add this product at the rate of 0.1 to 0.5 lb per ton of pulp or paper produced. Treat the system as needed to maintain control. Addition of this product to the additive system may be reduced to 0.1 to 2.0 lbs (12 to 240ppm) per 1000 gals. CONTINUOUS FEED METHOD--INITIAL DOSE: When the system is noticeably fouled, add this product at the rate of 0.1 to 0.75 lb per ton of pulp or paper produced. Addition of this product to the additive system should be made directly at the rate of 0.2 to 2.0 lbs (24 to 240

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. READ STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TIPS.

In case of contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. In case of contact with eyes, flush promptly and thoroughly with water. Immediately contact physician. In case of inhalation, immediately remove affected person from exposure. Immediately contact physician. In case of ingestion, immediately contact physician. Never give anything by mouth to a person who is unconscious. A Material Safety Data Sheet containing more detailed information is available upon request.

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