UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Mr. Mark Jernigan Federal Registration Manager Aqua-Clear Industries, Inc. P.O. Box 1489 Decatur, GA 30031

Subject:

Revised Labeling

AQUA-CLEAR ALGAE PREVENTATIVE

EPA Registration Number 45309-10 Application Dated April 22, 2002

Dear Mr. Jernigan:

The amendments referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended are acceptable with comments:

Proposed amendment:

- revise labeling per PR Notice 2001-1
- update name and address of producer (see CSF dated April 26, 2002)
- update child resistant certification
- formulator's exemption

General comments:

Add the following statements below the storage and disposal subheading. 1.

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

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2. The following statement must be added to the first aid statement.

"Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment".

3. The updated basic CSF and documents submitted with your application have been inserted in your file for future reference.

A stamped copy of the accepted labeling is enclosed. Submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

Should you have any further questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (703) 308-6422 or LaVerne Dobbins at (703) 308-6378.

Sincerely,

Adam Heyward

Product Manager (34)

Regulatory Management Branch II Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Enclosure:

{All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be included on a final label.} {All text in braces {xxx} is administrative and will not appear on a final label.}

AQUA CLEAR ALGAE PREVENTATIVE

{Optional marketing statements that may be used with swimming pool and spa algaecide.}
[Non-foaming, ideal for pools with attached spas]
[Algaecide for Use in Swimming Pools and Spas]
[Non-foaming algae preventative]
[Prevents all types of algae]
[Algae Control for Swimming Pools and Spas]
[Non-Foaming]

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Poly [oxyethylene (dimethyliminio) ethylene-(dimethyliminio) ethylene dichloride]
OTHER INGREDIENT:

10.0% 90.0%

90.0%

TOTAL INGREDIENTS:

100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

See [back] [side] panel for additional precautionary statements.

MANUFACTURED FOR: AQUA CLEAR INDUSTRIES, INC. DECATUR, GEORGIA

EPA REG. # 45309-10 EPA EST. # 5185-CAN-1

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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. 45309-10 **DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

Aqua Clear Algae Preventative is used to control the growth of algae in swimming pools, exterior spas, whirlpools and hot tubs. For maximum effectiveness, pools, exterior spas, whirlpools and hot tubs containing heavy growth of algae should be cleaned prior to using this product.

For pools having just visible algae growth, add an initial dose of 75 to 116 fluid ounces of this product per 10,000 gallons of water and remove settled algae debris by cleaning. For treatment of a freshly cleaned and filled pool, add initially 41 to 75 fluid ounces of this product per 10,000 gallons of water. Subsequent additions of 13.6 to 27 fluid ounces of this product per 10,000 gallons of water should be made every 5 to 7 days after initial treatment for maintenance.

Spas, whirlpools or hot tubs having just visible growth require an initial dose of 8 to 12 fluid ounces of this product per 1,000 gallons of water. For treatment of a freshly cleaned whirlpool, spa or hot tub, add initially 4 to 8 fluid ounces of this product per 1,000 gallons of water. Subsequent additions of 1 to 3 fluid ounces of this product per 1,000 gallons of water should be made every 5 to 7 days after initial treatment for maintenance.

This product is compatible with those chemicals normally used to treat pools and spas and is effective at both acid and alkaline pH. This product can be used in pools and spas treated with chlorinating chemicals and may reduce the amount of those chemicals normally required. Do not mix this product with concentrated dry or liquid chlorinating products.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Keep this product in original tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area. CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Do not reuse container, but place in trash collection. Rinse thoroughly before discarding in trash.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION: Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Harmful if swallowed. Wear goggles or safety glasses and rubber gloves when handling this product.

FIRST AID: 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 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 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 the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

[IN CASE OF MEDICAL EMERGENCY, CALL [1-303-623-5716] [1-877-800-5553] [telephone number supplied by supplemental registrant].]

Note to Physician: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS: Do not mix with other chemicals.

{Environmental hazards statement for end-use products in containers of less than 5 gallons (liquid).} [ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.]

{Environmental hazards statement for end-use products in containers of equal to or greater than 5 gallons (liquid).}

[ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.]

NOTE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.