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45728-15

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Please read instructions on reverse before completing Form Approved OMB 2070-0080 Approval expires 05-31-98



United States Environmental Protection Agency Washington, DC 20460

Registration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Amendment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

OPP Identifier Number	245416
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Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 45728-15	2. EPA Product Manager C. WELCH	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) METAM CLR 32.790	PM# TEAM 21	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) VCB Chemicals Corporation c/o Compliance Services International 2001 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1010 Arlington, VA 22202-3603 <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: 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 minor label amendments.

NOTIFICATION

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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		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Metal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic
* Certification must be submitted	If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.	No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt.	<input type="checkbox"/> Glass	<input type="checkbox"/> Paper
				<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input type="checkbox"/> Label <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Container		4. Size(s) Retail Container		5. Location of Label Directions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On Label <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On Labeling accompanying product	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input type="checkbox"/> Stenciled			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other self-adhesive label		

Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)		
Name KRISTINE M. HOOKS	Title COMPANY AGENT	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 703 415 4600
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 <i>Kristine M. Hooks</i>	3. Title COMPANY AGENT	
4. Typed Name KRISTINE M. HOOKS	5. Date MAY 13, 1997	



METAM CLR™ 32.7%

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(32.7% Metam Sodium Soil Fumigant For All Crops)

(FOR SOIL FUMIGATION USE ONLY)

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	BY WEIGHT
Sodium methyldithiocarbamate (anhydrous)	32.7%
INERT INGREDIENTS.....	67.3%
TOTAL	100.0%

Contains 3.16 lbs. Sodium methyldithiocarbamate per gallon

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EPA Est. No. 32557-BEL-1

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER - PELIGRO

Si Usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a Usted en detalle.
(if you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

FIRST AID: Immediately start the procedures given below and contact a Poison Control Center, a physician, or the nearest hospital. Report the type and extent of exposure, describe the victim's symptoms, and follow the advice given.

If On Skin: Immediately flush skin with large amounts of running water for at least 20 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention immediately.

If In Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of running water for at least 20 minutes. Hold eyelids apart to ensure rinsing of the entire surface of the eye and lids with water. Get medical attention immediately.

If Inhaled: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, clear the victim's airway and start mouth-to-mouth artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen, preferably with a physician's advice. Get medical attention immediately.

If Swallowed: Immediately give several glasses of water but do not induce vomiting. If vomiting does occur, give fluids again. Have a physician determine if condition of patient will permit induction of vomiting or evacuation of stomach. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person.

For Emergencies involving a Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident contact CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300.

For Other Emergencies Phone (770) 801-3248 or (770) 433-6421.

See other panels for additional precautionary statements.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

- Corrosive: causes skin damage. May be fatal if absorbed through the skin. Do not get on skin or clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.
- Harmful if swallowed.
- Harmful if inhaled. Irritating to eyes, nose, and throat. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist.
- Irritating to eyes. Do not get in eyes.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

1) Handlers Performing Direct-contact Tasks.

Direct-contact tasks include:

- mixing, loading, or fumigant transfer with or without dry-disconnect fittings;
- equipment calibration or adjustment;
- equipment clean-up and repair;
- product sampling;
- application or soil-sealing outside an enclosed cab;
- any activity less than 6 feet from an unshielded pressurized hose containing this product;
- spill clean-up
- removal of tarp or plastic film
- rinsate disposal
- cleanup of small spills
- preparing containers for aeration
- any other handling task not otherwise listed in (2) or (3).

Applicators and other handlers performing direct-contact activities must wear:

- Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants,
- Waterproof gloves,
- Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks,
- Chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposure,
- Chemical-resistant apron when cleaning equipment, or when mixing, loading, or transferring without dry-disconnect fittings,
- Face-sealing goggles, unless full-face respirator is worn,
- A respirator with either an organic-vapor-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number TC-23C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G).

2) Handlers in Enclosed Cabs.

Applicators and other handlers in enclosed cabs must wear:

- Coveralls,
- Shoes and socks.

Plus: If pungent, rotten-egg odor of this product can be detected inside the enclosed cab, the handlers in the cab must wear:

- Face-sealing goggles, unless a full-face respirator is worn,
- A respirator with either an organic-vapor-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number TC-23C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G).

In addition, the PPE specified in (1) for direct-contact activities must be immediately available in the enclosed cab and must be worn if the handler leaves the enclosed cab to perform any direct-contact activity.

The enclosed cab must meet the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides - 40 CFR 170.240(d)(5).

3) Handlers in Treated Areas While Entry is Restricted.

While entry is restricted (see "Entry Restrictions" in the Agricultural Use Requirements box elsewhere in this labeling), only the following handling tasks may be performed in a treated area outdoors in which a treatment took place:

- Assessing/adjusting the soil seal;
- Assessing pest control, application technique, or application efficacy;
- Operating ventilation equipment;
- Sampling air or soil for this product.

All other tasks are prohibited until the entry restriction is over.

Handlers performing the above tasks must wear:

- Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants,
- Waterproof gloves,
- Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks.

Plus: Handlers must wear if pungent, rotten-egg odor of this product can be detected outdoors.

- Face-sealing goggles (unless full-face respirator is worn), and
- A respirator with either an organic-vapor-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-23C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G).

USER SAFETY REQUIREMENTS:

- 1) **Respirator Requirements:** When a respirator is required for use with this product, the following criteria must be met:
 - a) Cartridges or canisters must be replaced daily or when odor or irritation from this product becomes apparent, whichever is sooner.
 - b) Respirators must be fit-tested and fit-checked using a program that conforms to OSHA's requirements (described in 29 CFR Part 1910.134).
- 2) **Dispose of Contaminated Clothing:** Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with liquid from this product. Do not reuse them.
- 3) **Clean and Maintain PPE:** Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Wash PPE after each day's use.

California only: Application must be in compliance with Technical Information Bulletin - California "Guidelines for All Application Methods for Metam Sodium in California." This information bulletin may be obtained from your local pesticide dealer or a metam sodium registrant.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR 170. Refer to Metam CLR™32.7% Booklet under "Agricultural Use Requirements" in the Directions For Use section for information about this standard.

User Safety Recommendations

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Keep container tightly sealed during storage. Do not store below 0°F. Product crystallizes at lower temperatures. If exposed, warm or store at higher temperatures and mix to redissolve crystals and assure uniformity before use.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple-rinse (or equivalent) containers or bulk storage tanks. Offer containers for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or by other procedures approved by State and Local authorities.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish. 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 apply where runoff is likely to occur. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Apply this product only as specified on the label.

NOTICE - READ CAREFULLY

Terms of Sale or Use: On purchase of this product, buyer and user agree to the following conditions:

USE PRECAUTIONS

All Metam CLR™32.7% uses described on this label are intended for soil preparation purposes only. All plant foliage and established plants growing on the treatment site will be damaged or destroyed.

Keep Metam CLR™32.7% off desirable lawns and plants. Do not apply within 3 feet of the drip line of desirable plants, shrubs or trees. Do not use in confined areas OR where fumes may enter nearby dwellings. Do not use in greenhouses. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Do not store near food or feed.

- **Warranty:** UCB makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Except as so warranted, the product is sold as is. Buyer and user assume all risk of use and/or handling and/or storage of this material when such use and/or handling and/or storage is contrary to label instructions.
- **Directions and Recommendations:** Follow directions carefully. Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixture with other chemicals not specifically recommended and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of the seller and are assumed by the buyer at his own risk.
- **Use of Product:** UCB's recommendations for the use of this product are based upon tests believed to be reliable. The use of this product being beyond the control of the manufacturer, no guarantee, expressed or implied, is made to the effect of such or the results to be obtained if not used in accordance with directions or established safe practice.
- **Damages:** Buyer's or user's exclusive remedy for damages for breach of warranty or negligence shall be limited to direct damages not exceeding the purchase price paid and shall not include incidental or consequential damages.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

NET CONTENTS: _____ GALLONS

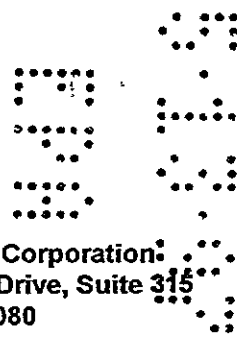
Use only according to product label booklet and/or side panel instructions. Refer to labeling entitled Metam CLR™32.7% Booklet (32.7% Metam Sodium Soil Fumigant For All Crops) for use directions and chemigation. Do not apply this product through any irrigation system unless the labeling on chemigation is followed.

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