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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

April 23, 2004

Steve E. Rogosheske Chem-Tech, Ltd 1479 West Pond Road Eagan, MN 55122

Subject:

Label Amendment - Responding to Agency's February 25, 2004 letter -

complying with WPS for uses in greenhouses

CT Dv-Sect Spray

EPA Reg. No. 47000-85

Your Submission Dated March 8, 2004

Dear Mr. Rogosheske:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable subject to the comments listed below. Two (2) copies of the finished labeling must be submitted prior to releasing the product for shipment. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

- 1. Since you chose to retain the sites greenhouses, lathe and seed houses and add WPS statements, revise the PPE statements as follows: Long sleeved shirt and long pants, socks and shoes. This applies to early entry also.
- 2. Delete "In no case shall Chem-Tech. Ltd, the manufacture or Seller be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product." from the Warranty statement. This statement is overly broad and implies buyer has no legal right to recover damages from manufacturer and is unacceptable under statutory and regulatory standards. We recommend revising it to read "To the fullest extent permitted by law Chem-Tech Ltd, the manufacture or Seller shall not be liable for any etc" or "It is Chem-Tech Ltd and sellers intention that Chem-Tech Ltd or seller shall in no event be liable etc".

If you have any questions regarding this action, please contact BeWanda Alexander of my team at (703) 305-7460.

Sincerely,

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Product Manager (13)

Insecticide Branch

Registration Division (7505C)



ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated APR 2 3 2004 Under the Federal Inse fungicide, and Rodenticide Act. s amended, for the pesticide

A Combination of Insecticides offering quick knockdown and residual kill of crawling insects for up to 4 weeks.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

*Permethrin (3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl(+ or -) cis-trans-3-(2.2 dichloroethenyl) d-Trans Allethrin (allyl homolog of Cinerin I).....

*Cis/trans isomers ratio: min. 35%(+)cis and max. 65%(+)trans.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

FIRST AID

If Inhaled:

Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial

respiration, preferably mouth to mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further

treatment advise.

If Swallowed:

Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advise. 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 in Eves:

Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for

treatment advise.

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 advise.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

For emergency information contact: National Pesticide Information Center at 1-800-858-7378 between 6:30 am and 4:30 Pacific Time. After 4:30 call your poison control center.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. Do not apply to any body of water.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Contents under pressure. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container, Exposure to temperatures above 130° F (54.5° C) may cause bursting. Do not apply this product in conduits, motor housings, junction and switch boxes or other electrical equipment because of possible shock hazard. Do not use on surfaces that can be harmed or stained by water.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are listed below. If you want more options, follow the instructions for category E on an EPA chemical resistance category selection chart.

Applicators and other handlers must wear: Long-sleeved shirt and long pants; Chemical resistant gloves, such as, Barrier Laminate, nitrile rubber, Neoprene rubber, or Viton; Shoes plus socks.

Follow manufacture'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.

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.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label before each use.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR, Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is: Coveralls; chemical-resistant gloves, such as Barrier Laminate, Nitrile Rubber, Neoprene rubber, or Viton; Shoes plus socks.

NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR, Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to product agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Keep unprotected persons out of treated areas until sprays have dried.

Shake well before each use. Remove protective cap. Aim spray opening away from person. Push button to spray.

FOR USE IN NON-FOOD AREAS INDOORS AND OUTSIDE PREMISES OF HOTELS, MOTELS, HOMES, PRESCHOOLS, NURSERIES, DAY CAMPS, GREENHOUSES, LATHOUSES, SEED HOUSES, FOOD HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS, PACKAGING AND PROCESSING PLANTS, COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, OFFICE, INSTITUTIONAL AND STORAGE BUILDINGS, DAIRIES, MILK STORAGE ROOMS, EGG PROCESSING PLANTS, SUPERMARKETS, RESTAURANTS, BOTTLING PLANTS, CANNERIES, FLOUR AND FEED MILLS, BAKERIES, AND HOSPITALS. IN HOSPITALS, PATIENTS SHOULD BE REMOVED PRIOR TO TREATMENT. ALSO FOR USE IN CAMPERS, MOBILE HOMES, BUSES, AUTOMOBILES, TRUCKS, AND BOXCARS. ALSO FOR USE IN DOG KENNELS AND HORSE STABLES. IN HORSE STABLES, NOT FOR APPLICATION IF HORSES WILL BE USED FOR FOOD.

Do not use in food/feed areas of food/feed handling establishments, restaurants or other areas where food/feed is commercially prepared or processed. Do not use in serving areas while food is exposed or facility is in operation. Serving areas are areas where prepared foods are served such as dining rooms but excluding areas where foods may be prepared or held.

In the home, cover all food handling surfaces and cover or remove all food and cooking utensils, or wash thoroughly after treatment.

Do not apply this product in hospital patient rooms, while occupied or in any rooms while occupied by the elderly or infirm.

Do not apply to classroom when in use. Do not apply to institutions (including libraries, sports facilities, etc.) in the immediate area when occupants are present.

Can be used in non-food areas of food handling establishments such as garbage rooms, lavatories, floor drains (to sewers), entries, vestibules and hallways, offices, locker rooms, machine rooms, basements, broiler rooms, garages, utility rooms, mop closets and storage rooms (after canning or bottling).

PEST INDOORS

For residual and contact control of cockroaches (waterbugs), crickets, silverfish, (firebrats), clover mites, millipedes, centipedes, earwigs, sowbugs, (pillbugs), spiders, ants, clothes moths, carpet beetles, boxelder bugs, scorpions, spider beetles, grasshoppers, house flies, mosquitoes, gnats, fruitflies, cluster flies, flying moths, confused flour beetles, saw-toothed grain beetles, shiny spider beetles, grain mites, red flour beetles, angoumois grain moths, grain weevils, Indian meal moths, Mediteranean flour moths, lesser grain borers, cigarette beetles, drug store beetles, chocolate moths-Spray thoroughly into hiding places such as crack, crevices, moist areas, openings around pipes and sinks, under refrigerators, baseboards, and storage areas. Spray directly on insects where possible.

GRAIN INSECTS: For residual use, to control confused flour beetles, saw- toothed grain beetles, spider beetles, shiny spider beetles, grain mites, red flour beetles, angoumois grain moths, grain weevils, Indian meal moths, Mediterranean flour moths, lesser grain borers, cigarette beetles, drug store beetles, chocolate moths, carpet beetles-Avoid contamination of other food and foodstuffs in the areas by removing before spraying. Spray directly on exposed stages and into cracks and crevices where grain insects may be hiding. Dispose of all infested products. The shelves and drawers should be cleaned and thoroughly sprayed so as to contact all pests, and covered with shelf paper after allowing shelves to dry. Any utensils that are contacted with spray should be washed before using. Repeat application every two weeks, if necessary.

SPIDERS: Spray directly on these pests and use repeated applications to the webbing and all cracks and crevices which harbor spiders.

ANTS: To kill ants, spray tails, nests and points of entry within buildings and homes. Spray directly on ants where possible. Repeat every two weeks, if necessary.

WASPS, HORNETS, YELLOW JACKETS, BEES: Application should be made in the late evening when insects are at rest. Spray liberally into hiding and breeding places, especially under attic rafters, contacting as many insects as possible. Repeat treatment as infestations occur.

HOUSEFLIES, MOSQUITOES, CLUSTER FLIES, GNATS, FRUIT FLIES, FLYING MOTHS: Close off all doors and windows. Point nozzle upward. Direct spray mist to all parts of the room, especially windows and other light sources which attract these insects. Fill the room with mist, then leave the treated area. Keep the room closed for at least 15 minutes. Ventilate the room when treatment is completed.

CARPET BEETLES AND CLOTHES MOTHS: To Treat Carpets- Hold container 14-18 inches (34-46 cm) from carpet. Apply spray evenly, covering the entire surface until slightly moist. Spray underside of carpet when possible. Avoid wetting or soaking. Allow all treated articles to dry thoroughly before use. To Treat Garments, Blankets, Carpets and Other Fabrics Before Storage-Dry clean or wash before treatment and after storage. Apply spray evenly, covering the material on both sides until slightly moist. For best results, place treated materials in plastic bags after drying, and store in a dark place. Also spray floor and baseboards, closets, cracks, crevices, infested areas of shelving and/or wherever these insects are seen or suspected.

CONTACT APPLICATION ONLY: (Not for Residual Control of Fleas, Ticks and Bedbugs) USE ONLY ON DOGS AND HORSES.

FLEAS, BROWN DOG AND LONE STAR TICKS ON DOGS AND PREMISES: Do not use on dogs under twelve (12) weeks old. Consult a veterinarian before using this product on medicated, debilitated, aged, pregnant or nursing animals. Sensitivities may occur after using ANY pesticide product for pets. If signs of sensitivity occur bathe your pet with mild soap and rinse with large amounts of water. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately. Spray animals along back, under forelegs and on other areas, except scrotum and anus. Part hair to contact skin and insure good coverage. Hold nozzle about one foot (30 cm) away while spraying. Apply until hair is thoroughly moist. Do not spray directly in eyes, mouth or nose of animal. Repeat application every two weeks if necessary. To prevent reinfestation, thoroughly spray the animals' bedding and other resting areas until the surface is slightly moist contacting as many insects as possible. Treat the floor areas, cracks and crevices in the floor along baseboards at the rate of 2 seconds per linear foot (30 cm) at a distance of 12 to 18 inches (30-45 cm). Also spray the entire inside surface of dog houses.

HORSEFLIES, STABLE FLIES, AND HORN FLIES ON HORSES: Spray just enough to wet the ends of the hairs but not enough to soak the hide. One to two ounces is sufficient to treat an adult animal. Hold nozzle about 1 foot (30 cm) away while spraying.

FOR BEDBUGS: Apply as a spot treatment to cracks and crevices, around baseboards, floorboards, bedboards and walls. First thoroughly clean air mattresses and springs. Then spot treat only areas that may harbor bedbugs, concentrating on tufts, folds and seams. Allow all treated articles to dry thoroughly before use. Repeat application every two weeks, if necessary. For persistent infestations, consult professional applicator.

PEST-OUT-OF-DOORS

PEST ON OUTSIDE SURFACES OF BUILDINGS: Use this product to control ants, clover mites, crickets, earwigs, millipedes and sowbugs (pillbugs) on the outside surfaces of buildings. To help prevent infestation of buildings treat the building foundation to a height of 2 to 3 feet (.5 to 1 m), where pests are active and may find entrance. Also apply as a residual spray to outside surfaces of buildings, including porches, screens, window frames, eaves, patios, garages, refuse dumps, and other areas where these pests congregate or have been seen. Repeat treatment as necessary to maintain effectiveness.

HOUSE FLIES, MOSQUITOES, CLUSTER FLIES, GNATS, FLYING MOTHS: For outdoor use only as aid in reducing annoyance from these insects. Spray outside surfaces of screens, doors, window frames or wherever these insects may enter the room. Also treat surfaces around light fixtures on porches, in garages, and other places where these insects alight or congregate.

ANTS, LONE STAR TICKS, CRICKETS, FLEAS, AND EARWIGS: For treatment of localized infestations of these insects in outdoor areas where there are weeds or bushy non-crop areas, spray infested areas thoroughly. For ants, thoroughly wet hills and runways. Repeat application as infestations warrant and as reinfestations occur.

WASPS, HORNETS, YELLOW JACKETS, BEES: Application should be made in late evening when insects are at rest. Aim spray at nest openings. In ground, bushes, and in cracks and crevices which may harbor nest, saturating nest openings and contacting as many insects as possible.

FOR USE ON PLANTS

CONTACT AND RESIDUAL SPRAY: Spray to plants covering all foliage. Avoid heavy wetting.

INDOORS: To protect plants in greenhouses and lathhouses, and for indoor landscaping. Spray directly on insects to kill leafrollers, armyworms, cutworms, cabbage worms on chrysanthemums: fungus gnats on velvet plants. Spray as directed above.

Spray as directed above to control aphids, armyworms, com earworms, fall cankerworms, inchworms, Japanese beetles, leafminers, leafrollers, and whitelilies on the following plants: ageraium, ardisia, aster, azalea, baby's breath, begonia, birds-nest fern, bleeding heart, camalion, coleus, crown of thorns, cockscomb, cyclamen, dracaena, dumbcane, english ivy, fuchsia, gladiolus, grape ivy, English, ivy, juniper, lily, marigold, orchid, palms, pansy, piperomia, petunia, philodendron, piggy-back plant, poinsettia, portulaca, pothos, prayer plant, purple passion, rabbits foot fern, rose, schefflera, snapdragon, snake plant, stalice, velvet plant, verbena, and zinnia.

If application is made indoors, remove infested plants from living areas prior to application. Spray plants in an area not likely to be occupied by children or pets (particularly fish). When leaves dry, plants can be returned to original location. Use with CAUTION on ferns, palms and fuchsia. As with all plants listed above, especially carnations, chrysanthemums and roses. There exists a wide variety of species and cultivars, and therefore, a wide variety of susceptibility to injury. To ascertain possible phytotoxicity, spray a few plants as described above, wait 24 hours, and check for possible injury. Repeat applications may be necessary to control citrus black flies on non-bearing citrus, and adult Japanese beetles on roses.

OUTDOORS: Spray as described above in the late afternoon or evening, when the temperature ranges from 50 F to 75 F and when there is little or no wind. Spray at the first indication of insect pests. On those plants that will flower during the season, the spray schedule should be completed before blossom formation. Repeat as necessary in intervals of 7 to 14 days. Dy-sect application can be made up to the day of collection.

Spray as directed above to control aphids, cicadas, corn earworms, fall cankerworms, inchworms, leafminers, leafrollers, mealybugs, spider mites, exposed thrips and whitelillies on the following plants: ageratum, aster, azalea, begonia, coleus, common ninebark, common snowberrry, exacum, euonymous, english ivy, gladiolus, gold belts, hyposetes, ivy, juniper, lilac, marigold, mock orange, nannyberry, orchid, palm, pansy, pea shrub, petunia, philodendron, poinsettia, rhododendron, rose, snapdragon, taxus, wax plants, weeping fig, and zinnia.

TO KILL TENT CATERPILLARS: Application should be made when caterpillars are young and tents are first noticed (usually late spring). For best results, apply in the late afternoon or evening when caterpillars have returned to their tents. Aim spray directly at tents, and saturate on all sides. Repeat application every two weeks, if necessary.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Store in a cool, dry place away from children, preferably a secure storage area.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Do not puncture or incinerate! If empty: Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions.

NOTICE TO USER

It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or the manner of use or application, all of which are beyond the control of Chem-Tech, Ltd, the manufacturer or seller. In no case shall Chem-Tech, Ltd, the manufacturer or seller be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. All such risks shall be assumed by the buyer.

Except as expressly provided herein, Chem-Tech, Ltd, the manufacturer or seller makes no warranties, guarantees, or representations of any kind, either express or implied, or by usage of trade, statutory or otherwise with regard to the product sold, including, but not limited to, merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, use or eligibility of the product for any particular trade usage. Buyer's or user's exclusive remedy, and Chem-Tech, Ltd's, the manufacturer's or seller's total liability, shall be for damages not exceeding the cost of the product.

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