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Ms. Heather R. Bjomson Champion Packaging & Distributing, Inc. 1840 Internationale Parkway Woodridge, IL 60517

Subject: Sodium Hypochlorite Solution 12.5%

EPA Registration Number 55852-3 Application Date: June 27, 2003 Receipt Date: July 10, 2003

Dear Ms. Bjomson:

The following amendment, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable with the condition listed below:

- To update the "first aid" statement in accordance with PR Notice 2001-1
- To change company address.

# Condition

You must provide a Hotline Telephone Number under the First Aid Statement as per PR Notice 2001-1.

# General Comments

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 questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact Delores Williams at (703) 308-6372.

Robert S. Brennis

Sincerely

Product Manager 32

Regulatory Management Branch II Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

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## SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE SOLUTION

# **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN** DANGER

#### FIRST AID:

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.

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.

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

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

## HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER: Corrosive, may cause severe skin and eye irritation or chemical burns to broken skin. Causes eve damage. Wear safety glasses and rubber gloves when handling this product. Wash thoroughly after handling. May be fatal if swallowed. Avoid breathing vapors. Vacate poorly ventilated areas as soon as possible. Do not return until strong odors have dissipated.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:**

This product is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public 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. Chlorine must be allowed to dissipate from treated pool water before discharge. Do not make any chlorine application within 24 hours of discharge.

### PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS:

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT: Mix only with water according to label directions. Mixing this product with chemicals (e.g. ammonia, acids, detergents, etc.) or organic matter (e.g. urine, feces, etc.) will release chlorine gas which is irritating to eyes, lungs and mucous membranes, which can also be fatal. Mixing this product with cyanide compounds will release cyanogen chloride which is irritating to eyes, lungs and mucous membranes, which can also be fatal.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

Store this product in a cool dry area, away from direct synlight and heat to avoid deterioration. In case of soil, nood areas with large quantities of water. Product of rinsates that carnot be used S

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Champion Packaging, Inc.

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1840 Internationale Parkway Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amenaed for the pesticide, #gistered under EPA Reg. No. 55852-3

#### CAS NO. 7681-52-9

Active Ingredient: Sodium Hypochlorite...... 12.5% Inert Ingredients...... 87.5%

should be diluted with water before disposal in a sanitary sewer. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment.

Empty containers may contain hazardous product residues. Rinse empty container thoroughly with water and either return to manufacturer or discard by placing this container in trash

### **SWIMMING POOL WATER DISINFECTION**

For a new pool or for spring start-up, superchlorinate with 52 to 104 oz. of product for each 10,000 gallons of water to yield 5 to 10 PPM available chlorine by weight. Check the level of available chlorine with a test kit. Adjust and maintain pool water pH to between 7.2 to 7.6. Adjust and maintain the alkalinity of the pool to between 50 to 100 PPM.

To maintain the pool, add manually or by a feeder device 11 oz. of this product for each 10,000 gallons of water to yield an available chlorine residual between 0.6 to 1.0 PPM by weight. Stabilized pools should maintain a residual of 1.0 to 1.5 PPM available chlorine. Test the pH, available chlorine residual and alkalinity of the water frequently with appropriate test kits. Frequency of water treatment will depend upon temperature and number of swimmers.

Every 7 days or as necessary, superchlorinate the pool with 52 to 104 oz. of product for each 10,000 gallons of water to yield 5 to 10 PPM available chlorine by weight. Check the level of available chlorine with a test kit. Do not enter pool until the chlorine residual drops below 4.0 PPM.

At the end of the swimming pool season or when water is to be drained from the pool, chlorine must be allowed to dissipate from treated pool water before discharge. Do not chlorinate the pool within 24 hours prior to discharge.

WINTERIZING POOLS: While water is still clear and clean, apply 3 oz. of product per 1000 gallons, while filter is running, to obtain a 3 PPM available chlorine residual, as determined by a suitable test kit. Cover pool, prepare heater, filter and heater components for winter by following manufacturers' instructions.

See technical data sheet for other use directions.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not transfer to unmarked containers. Keep containers closed with closure end up. Use in a well-ventilated area. Before use, review material safety data sheet for other information, including possible chronic health effects. When opening, loosen closure carefully.

NOTE: Sodium hypochlorite solutions degrade with age. Use a chlorine test kit and increase dosage, as necessary, to obtain the required level of available chloride.

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#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE IN EATING ESTABLISHMENTS:**

Scrape and prewash utensils and glasses whenever possible.
 Wash with a good detergent or compatible cleaner.
 Rinse with clean water.
 Sanitize in a solution of ½ ounce to each gallon water (200 PPM). Immerse all utensils for at least two minutes or for contact time specified by governing sanitary code.
 Place sanitized utensils on a rack or drainboard to air dry.
 Rote: A clean potable water rinse following sanitization is not permitted under Section H 96.16 (2) (c) of the Wisconsin Administrative Code.

#### **DILUTION TABLE**

100 PPM	1/2 ounce to 2 gallons water
200 PPM	1/2 ounce to 1 gallon water
400 PPM	
1000 PPM	3 ounces to 1 gallon water

LAUNDRY: To bleach and sanitize white and colorfast cotton, linen, nylon, dacron, orlon, and rayon, use 1 cup bleach per load for conventional washing machine and ½ cup for front loading machine. Add to presoak, wash water or first rinse. If clothes are in machine, dilute bleach in one quart water before adding.

STAIN REMOVAL: For stubborn stains from grass, mildew, ink, scorch, coffee, fruit, berry, etc. mix ¼ cup of bleach in one quart water. Immerse fabric for up to 5 to 10 minutes. Rinse well in clear water. Repeat if necessary. Use porcelain, rubber, or glass container.

TO WHITEN NYLON & OTHER SYNTHETICS that have turned yellow or gray: Use one tablespoon bleach per gallon of water. Soak clean fabric in solution 15 to 20 minutes, rinse well. Repeat if necessary.

DEODORIZING AND SANITIZING: For baby clothes, diapers, dish cloths, etc., first wash, then soak in solution of 1 tablespoon of bleach to 1 gallon of water for 5 minutes. Rinse well. For wooden utensils, floors, breadboards, sinks, etc., wash in normal manner, then soak or wet with a solution of ¼ cup of bleach in 1 quart water. Let stand for 5 minutes. Air dry.

TO CLEAN BATHROOM AND KITCHEN: For refrigerator, tile, bathtub, etc., use two tablespoons bleach to 1 quart water. Simply wash, rinse, apply bleach solution, let air dry.

SPAS, HOT TUBS, IMMERSIONS TANKS, ETC.

SPAS/HOT TUBS — Apply 5 oz. of product per 1000 gallons of water to obtain a free available chlorine concentration of 5 PPM, as determined by a suitable chlorine test kit. Adjust and maintain pool water pH to between 7.2 and 7.6. Some oils, lotions, fragrances, cleaners, etc. may cause foaming or cloudy water as well as reduce the efficiency of the product.

To maintain the water, apply 5 oz. of product per 1000 gallons of water over the surface to maintain a chlorine concentration of 5 PPM.

After each use, shock treat with 8 oz. of this product per 500 gallons of water to control odor and algae.

During extended periods of disuse, add 4 oz. of product daily per 1000 gallons of water to maintain a 3 PPM chlorine concentration.

# DIRECTIONS FOR DISINFECTION OF POTABLE WATER FOR HOME WELL WATER SYSTEMS

Dilute this sodium hypochlorite solution in the ratio of one part solution to nine parts softened water. Mix thoroughly and begin feeding with a hypochlorinator (metering pump). Maintain a free available chlorine residual of at least 0.2 PPM and not more than 0.6 PPM throughout the distribution system, as determined by a DPD chlorine test kit. Bacteriological sampling must be conducted at a frequency no less than that prescribed by the National Interim Primary Drinking Water Regulations. Check water frequently with a DPD chlorine test kit. For further details, contact your local Health Department.

# DIRECTIONS FOR SANITIZING FOOD PROCESSING OR DAIRY EQUIPMENT

Clean equipment in the normal manner. Just before using, rinse all surfaces thoroughly with a sodium hypochlorite solution containing 200 PPM available chlorine. One ounce (2 tbsp.) of this solution per four gallons of water will provide approximately 200 PPM available chlorine. Maintain contact with disinfectant for a minimum of two minutes. Do not rinse with water after treatment. Do not soak overnight.

#### DIRECTIONS:

Pour directly into pool or feed through your mechanical chlorinator. Apply in evening or early morning as sunlight dissipates chlorine rapidly.

Pool Capacity	Suggested Daily		
In gallons	Dosages		
10,000	11 oz.		
20,000	22 oz.		
30,000	33 oz.		
40,000	44 oz.		
50,000	55 oz.		
75,000	82 oz.		
100.000	110 oz.		

For food contact surfaces, available chlorine must be maintained between 100 PPM to 200 PPM.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
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