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# Subject: Suterra LLC, Checkmate CM EPA Registration No. 56336-13 Amendment to Add Organic Claim to Label and to Update CSF Application Dated 9/10/08

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Dear Mr. Fresh:

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA section 3(c)(7)(A), is acceptable provided that you:

- 1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.
- 2. Submit two (2) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Final printed labeling means the label or labeling of the product when distributed or sold. Clearly legible reproductions or photo reductions will be accepted for unusual labels, such as those silk-screened directly onto glass or metal containers or large bags or drum labels.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(b). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

If you have any questions contact Chris Pfeifer at 703-308-0031 or by email at: <u>pfeifer.chris@epa.gov</u>. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,

Linda A. Hollis, Chief Biochemical Pesticides Branch Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511P)

Enclosure

CONCURRENCES								
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A BIOCHEMICAL PHEROMONE FOR MATING DISRUPTION OF CODLING MOTH (Cydia pomonella) and HICKORY SHUCKWORM (Cydia caryana)

### Active Ingredient:

1 12.36%
<u>87.64%</u>
100.00%

Net Weight: 180 mg active ingredients per dispenser.

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**Caution:** Harmful if swallowed, absorbed through the skin, or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing vapor. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wear chemical resistant gloves and protective eyeware.

#### **FIRST AID**

IF SWALLOWED: Call a 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 a 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.

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 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.

HOT LINE NUMBER: Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-866-326-6737 for emergency medical treatment information.

### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

For terrestrial uses: Do not apply to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

# ACCEPTED

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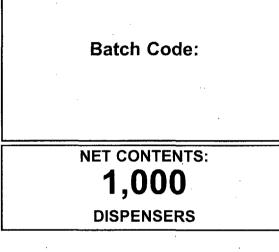
Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under

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## WARRANTY AND LIMITATION OF DAMAGES

To the extent consistent with applicable law, **Suterra LLC** warrants that this material conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated in the Directions for Use. To the extent consistent with applicable law, **Suterra LLC** neither makes nor authorizes any agent or representative to make any other warranty of fitness or of merchantability, guarantee or representation, express or implied, concerning this material. To the extent consistent with applicable law, **Suterra LLC's** maximum liability for breach of this warranty shall not exceed the purchase price of this product. To the extent consistent with applicable law, the buyer and user acknowledge and assume all risks and liabilities resulting from the handling, storage and use of this material contrary to label instructions.



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### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

**CheckMate<sup>®</sup> CM** is a behavior modifying biochemical product (pheromone) which functions by mating disruption. It is to be used in pest management programs for control of codling moth (*Cydia pomonella*) and hickory shuckworm (*Cydia caryana*).

**METHOD OF APPLICATION:** For use on apples, pears, quinces, and other pome fruits; peaches, nectarines, plums, prunes, and other stone fruits the recommended rate of application of **CheckMate CM** is 120 to 160 dispensers per acre (300 to 400 dispensers per hectare). For use on walnuts, pecans, and other tree nuts the recommended rate of application of **CheckMate CM** is 150 to 200 dispensers per acre (370 to 500 dispensers per hectare). Do not exceed at total of 150 gms a.i./acre/year.

Use gloves when handling dispensers. Provide adequate ventilation when handling dispensers. Do not handle dispensers in an enclosed area. Hang dispensers on a thumb-size tree limb to secure placement. Place dispensers in the upper one-third of the tree or higher.

Do not handle other types of insect lures before or after dispenser placement without thoroughly washing hands. Set codling moth monitoring traps before handling **CheckMate CM**. Monitor treatments carefully, especially for secondary pests such as leafrollers.

Reseal containers immediately after use. Do not use CheckMate CM from damaged, punctured or unsealed containers.

**APPLICATION NOTES:** For best results, apply at the time or shortly before codling moths or hickory shuckworm moths begin to emerge in the spring (biofix), or when the moths are first detected in pheromone traps such as **BioLure**<sup>6</sup>. This product only affects adult male moths and will have no effect on female moths, eggs or larvae. If application occurs following biofix or during the growing season, the orchard must be treated with insecticide treatments that will effectively control hatching larvae until egg laying by previously mated female moths has ceased to occur. In moderate to high insect pressure situations, supplemental insecticide applications during the season may be necessary to provide adequate protection to developing fruit. These supplemental insecticide applications must be made based on trap monitoring, field scouting, and appropriate degree-day models for the local growing area, and must be timed to control emerging larvae. Follow the **BioLure** *Technical Bulletin* for trap placement. Monitor insect infestation with traps and by visual inspection of trees and fruit. Re-apply **CheckMate CM** as needed, based on monitoring results and field scouting.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

### DO NOT contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store container in cool place until used. Reseal containers immediately after use. Store unused product in a refrigerator or freezer not used for food storage.

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

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: <u>Plastic Containers</u>: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke. <u>Bag/Cardboard Box</u>: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Dispose of empty bag/cardboard box in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

Manufactured by:



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