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Subject: Label Amendment – Changes Required by the Boric Acid Interim Registration Review Decision
Product Name: Proteam Supreme
EPA Registration Number: 57787-27
Received Date: 5/15/2020
Decision Number: 562902

Dear Jonathan Walsh:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all of the information submitted with your application to support the Registration Review of the above referenced product in connection with the Boric Acid Amended Interim Registration Review Decision, and has concluded that your submission is acceptable.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. Pursuant to 40 CFR 156.10(a)(6) you must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 12 months from the date of this letter. After 12 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised

labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the Agency. See FIFRA section 2(p)(2). If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process, FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(B). Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, please contact Megan Snyderman by phone at 202-566-0639 or via email at snyderman.megan@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kimberly Wilson".

Kimberly Wilson
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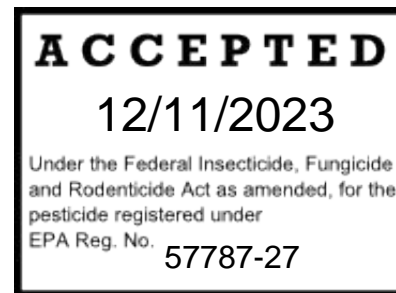
Enclosure:

PROTEAM SUPREME

[Reduces eye and skin irritation.]
[Controls algae and improves filtration.]

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Sodium Tetraborate Pentahydrate.....100.0%
TOTAL.....100.0%



KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

FIRST AID

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

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. Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300. 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 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. Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300.

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

See additional precautions on [back] [side] panel.

Manufactured by:
Haviland Consumer Products, Inc.
421 Ann St. NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49504

EPA Reg. # 57787-27
EPA Est. # 57787-MI-1

Net Contents: *(see container label)*
Batch Code # / Lot #: *(See container label)*

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WARNING

Causes substantial but temporary eye injury.. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear protective eye wear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses).. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, and using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Before draining a treated [pool,] or [spa,] contact your local sanitary sewer and storm drain authorities and follow their discharge instructions. Do not discharge treated pool, spa, or hot tub water to any location that flows to a gutter, storm drain or natural water body unless discharge is allowed by state and local authorities.

ProTeam Supreme is specially formulated to enhance water quality by improving filtration and controlling algae. Use of this product promotes sparkling, clear water and reduces eye and skin irritation for swimmers.

ProTeam Supreme provides long-lasting algae suppression, controlling all types of algae found in swimming pools, as well as aiding in the removal of existing algae stains.

- 1.) For initial application, introduce two pounds of **ProTeam Supreme** per each one thousand gallons of pool water by broadcasting the material over the surface area of the pool with a pump running. This initial treatment must be added in two doses with one half of the necessary amount being added in each application. For initial pH adjustment use $\frac{3}{4}$ pound ProTeam pH Down (Sodium Bisulfate) or 10 ounces of muriatic acid for each pound of **ProTeam Supreme**, mixing acid in a bucket of water, then add to pool.
- 2.) The pH of the pool water may rise as a normal reaction to the introduction of **ProTeam Supreme**. After a normal turnover of pool water adjust the pH to 7.4-7.6 using a reliable acid demand kit. **ProTeam Supreme** is compatible with all materials normally used in swimming pool maintenance.

- 3.) Test the pool water a minimum once a week or as normally required by local Health Authority Regulations. Sanitizer levels need to be maintained at levels indicated on the sanitizer label. The **ProTeam Supreme** residual must be tested at least once each month and must be maintained at 30-50 ppm. Your ProTeam Dealer can provide this test and water analysis.
- 4.) **ProTeam Supreme** is lost from water only through filter backwash and splash-out.

WINTERIZATION

A pool that has been treated with **ProTeam Supreme** will remain clear and be beautiful throughout the winter months with little or no effort. The pool must be tested to assure that an adequate level of **ProTeam Supreme** is present before shut down. See your ProTeam Dealer for freeze protection information.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

(Household / Residential Use)

Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash or offer for recycling if available.

(Commercial / Industrial / Institutional Use)

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in original container in a locked area inaccessible to children or pets. Storage areas should be cool and dry. Keep container tightly closed.

Pesticide Disposal: Pesticide wastes may be hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Container Handling: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

Optional marketing statements that may be used on the front panel of the label with [swimming pool] [spa] algae treatment applications:

All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be included on final label.

All italicized text is administrative and will not appear on final label.

[[A][An][EPA registered] sanitizer is required to be used [in conjunction] with this product [in pool water]]

[Make[s] pool water look and feel great.]

[Great water will turn customers into returning customers.]

[ProTeam Supreme is registered [by the EPA] to [prevent][control] the growth of algae in pool water]

[Water is noticeably more comfortable to swimmers]

[Time balancing water is reduced]

[Inhibits scale from accumulating on surfaces and equipment]

[Reduces filter maintenance]

[Improves water clarity]

[Compatible with ALL sanitizers]

[Not affected by UV rays]

[Increased sanitizer efficiency]

[May help in reducing operating costs]

[Algae control for swimming pools]

[Algaecide]

[Algaecide and water clarifier for swimming pools]

[Compatible with all pool surfaces]

[Controls algae growth]

[Controls the growth of algae]

[Controls the growth of algae in [swimming][pools]

[For swimming pools]

[For prevention treatment of algae in swimming pools]

[For use in all pool types]

[For use in swimming pools]

[Ideal for all pool types]

[Ideal for all pool surfaces]

[Ideal for pool start-ups]

[Ideal for pool closings]

[Ideal for winterizing treatments]

[Inhibits algae growth]

[Inhibits the growth of algae]

[Prevents algae growth]

[Prevents the growth of algae]

[Produces clear, sparkling water]

[[Water] Clarifier]

[Algae preventative]

[Algae preventer]

[Advanced Formula]

[Algae Care]

[[Easy][and][Effective][Pool] Remedy]

[[Effective][Preventative] For [all][Green][Mustard][Yellow][black] Algae]

[Concentrated [Concentrated Algaecide]]

[For Prevention of [Mustard][Yellow][Green][&][and][Black] Algae]

[Prevents all algae types]

[Made in USA]

[Foam Free[Formula]]

[Reduces Chlorine Consumption]

[Salt System Compatible]

[Suitable for All [Pools] [Pool Surfaces] [Salt Water Pools]]

[Swim [After 15 Minutes] [In 15 Minutes]]

[Keeps Water [Clean] [Crystal Clear]]

[Once-a-season application]

[Seasonal application]

[pH 9.0]

[Decreases maintenance time]

[Compatible with all [forms of] sanitizer[s]]

[Reduces pool maintenance [and] [operating costs]]

[Pool use can resume shortly after application]

[Not affected by [high] chlorine residual]

[Not affected by [Cyanuric acid][stabilizer][conditioner]]

[Consistent use can reduce the amount of [chlorine][sanitizer][normally] required]