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Kop-Coat, Inc. 1850 Koppers Building Pittsburgh, PA 15219

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Attention: Kim Treloar

**Product Registration Specialist** 

Subject: Pettit Marine Paint Antifouling 1635 hed Tropicop

EPA Registration No. 60061-43

Your Notification Dated October 2, 2011 EPA Received Date October 19, 2011

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification, submitted under the provisions of FIFRA Section 3(c)(9

## **Proposed Notification**

Alternate Brand Name: Pettit Tropicop Ablative Antifouling Bottom Paint"

## **General Comment**

Based on a review of the submitted material, the following comments apply:

The Notification is in compliance with PR Notice 98-10 and is acceptable. This information has been made a part of your file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,

Product Manager (33)

Regulatory Management Branch 1 Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

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## Kop-Coat, Inc.

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October 2, 2011

Mr. Marshall Swindell
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Office of Pesticide Programs, Registration Division (H7505c)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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2777 South Crystal Drive
Arlington, VA 22202-4501

Subject:

RE:

Notification of Label Change per PR Notice 2007-4 Amendment to label with updated bullet points

Pettit Marine Paint Antifouling 1635 Red Tropicop 60061-43

Dear Mr. Swindell

Kop-Coat Wishes to propose to the primary label **Pettit Marine Paint Antifouling 1635 Tropicop Red** stamped with updated additional bullet points on the front panel.

Kop-Coat, Inc. wishes to submit a Notification of Additional Brand Name per PR Notice 98-10 and PR Notice 2007-4 for the above referenced product. The new name will be: **Pettit Tropicop Ablative antifouling Bottom Paint.** 

This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 2007-4 and PR Notice 98-10 EPA regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms for PR Notice 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA. Enclosed please find:

Completed application for Amendment/Notification EPA Form 8570-1. 3 copies of Amended Label to be stamped for basic registration.

Please contact me if there are any questions or concerns, at (412) 826-3323 or email ktreldar@kop-

coat.com.

Sincerely,

Kim Treloar

Regulatory Specialist

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February 19, 2009

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SUBJECT: label amendment
Pettit Marine Paint Marine Paint Antifouling 1635 Red Tropicop
(EPA Reg. No. 60061-43)

Mr. Swindell.

Kop-Coat, Inc. has updated the above referenced label per PR Notice 2001-1. The labels have been amended to follow the guidelines for the First Aid section. The back panel has also been rearranged to be uniform with the Kop-Coat Inc. Marine division Antifouling paint products.

Enclosed please find:

(5) Copies of updated label for **Pettit Marine Paint Marine Paint Antifouling 1635 Red Tropicop** 

(1) Copy of the last revised label

If you require any additional information or have questions please do not hesitate to call me.

We are most appreciative of your assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Kim Treloar
Product Registration Specialist
Kop-Coat Inc.

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# Tropicop Ablative Antifouling Bottom Paint

- Multi-Season Protection
- Self Polishing
- Eliminates Paint Buildup and Heavy Sanding
- High Copper Load for protection in all conditions
- Ablative technology reduces buildup and eliminates sanding
- Excellent multi-season performance
- · Haul and launch without repainting

## ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Cuprous Oxide

Cuprous Oxide 35.00% **INERT INGREDIENTS:** 65.00

TOTAL 100.00%

COPPER AS METALLIC 31.00%

This product contains petroleum distillates.

## 1635 Red

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

## WARNING

CAUSES EYE IRRITATION. HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED.
SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS. SKIN. MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED.

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# ANTI-FOULING

RED TROPICOP

- Economical Antifouling Protection
- Apply Over Most Other Antifoulings For Fiberglass, Wood & Steel Boats.

COMMERCIAL AND NON-COMMERCIAL USE KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

## WARNING

Causes Eye Irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin. May be fatal if swallowed or inhaled.

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS.

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### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

## HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**WARNING**: Harmful if swallowed, if absorbed through the skin or if inhaled. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Wear protective eye wear, goggles or safety glasses. Wear protective clothing such as gloves, long-sleeved cotton shirt, long pants and hat. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse. May pose an aspiration pneumonia hazard. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Note: When this product is used in confined areas or while spraying paint or sanding or sandblasting boat surfaces, wear a mask or respirator jointly approved by the Mining Safety and Health Administration and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and health.

For applications by residential (non-commercial) users: Do not apply by airless spray; Do not apply more than one coat of this product within 24 hours; Apply only in outdoor, non-enclosed spaces.

Residential (non-commercial) users are advised to wear chemical resistant gloves, protective eyeware (goggles, safety glasses, or face shield), long-sleeved shirt and long pants, socks and shoes. In addition to these minimal Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), commercial users must wear a disposable coverall with hood and chemical resistant footwear.

While removing existing paint by sanding or blasting, or applying new antifoulant paint, commercial users must wear a respirator with 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 TC-14G), or a NIOSH approved full face respirator with an organic vapor removing cartridge with a P-100 prefilter. Residential (non-commercial) users are advised to wear the same respirators, cartridges and pre-filters as required by commercial users.

Environmental Hazards: This material is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not allow chips and dust generated during paint removal to enter water. Dispose of paint debris in an approved landfill. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans and other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent into sewer system without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

Physical or Chemical Hazards: Combustible. Do not use or store near heat or open flame...

Storage and Disposal: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with Pettit 120 Brushing Thinner or xylene and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

NOTICE! THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS A CHEMICAL KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER, BIRTH DEFECTS, OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

### 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 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 ON SKIN OR** Take off contaminated clothing.
- **CLOTHING**: Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 □ − □ 20 minutes.
  - Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

General Description: This product is ablative antifouling coating designed olish away at a controlled rate, constantly exposing a fresh surface for aggressive multi-season antifouling protection against algae, barnacles, and other marine and freshwater fouling organisms. The high loading of cuprous oxide in the formula enables the paint to perform well in even the most severe fouling areas. The controlled erosion minimizes coating buildup and keeps underwater surfaces smooth and clean.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Coverage, Application and Temperature: This product can be applied by brush, roller or spray. All painting should be done between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. in order to avoid the possibility of dew or condensation spoiling the application. The temperature range of application should be between 50 and 90°F. At least two, and preferably three coats, should be applied for best performance, particularly in high wear areas such as the waterline. This product will cover approximately 400 square feet per gallon when applied at 2 dry mils film thickness.

**Preparation of Paint:** It is necessary to thoroughly mix the paint before using. If possible shake the can of paint on a mechanical paint shaker. Before using check the sides and bottom of the can to make sure all the pigment has been mixed in. If mixing is going to be done with a wooden paddle or an electric drill mixer, pour off half of the liquid from the top of the can into another can and then properly mix in any settled pigment, then remix the two parts together thoroughly.

**Thinning:** Use Pettit 120/T-10 Brushing Thinner for thinning this product if needed, particularly on warm or breezy days. Do not thin more than 10% (12 ounces per gallon) or inadequate paint film thickness will occur and premature erosion of the finish will be likely.

Note: Do not thin beyond your state's compliant limit.

**Dry Times:** The minimum recoat time is 4 hours. The minimum dry time between the final coat and launching is 16 hours. Under adverse drying conditions such as those encountered on cool or damp days extend the dry times by 50% in order to ensure that all the solvent is out of the paint film. There is no maximum dry time before launching.

### **SYSTEMS**

**Previously Painted Surfaces**: If the previous coating is in good condition, thoroughly sand with 80-grit sandpaper, then solvent clean with Pettit 120/T-10 Brushing Thinner to remove residue. Apply two finish coats of this product. If the previous coating is soft or in poor condition, remove to the bare surface by sanding or using a paint and varnish remover. Proceed with appropriate bare system as described below.

**Bare Fiberglass:** All bare fiberglass, regardless of age, should be thoroughly cleaned and de-waxed with 92 Bio-Blue Hull Surface Prep or de-waxed several times with Pettit D-95 De-waxer. Sand thoroughly with 80 grit sandpaper to a dull, frosty finish and rewash the sanded surface with 120 Brushing Thinner to remove sanding residue. Then apply two or three coats of this product, following application instructions.

To eliminate the sanding operation, two methods are available:

1. Clean and de-wax the surface as described above, apply one very thin coat of 6998 Skip-Sand Primer using a 3/16" or less nap roller or brush, apply. Consult the primer label for complete application and antifouling top coating instructions. Then 2 to 3 coats of this product

2. Clean, de-wax and etch the surface with 92 Bio-Blue Hull Surface Prep using a course Scotch-Brite pad in a swirling motion. Apply one coat of Pettit Protect Epoxy Primer. Consult the primer labels for complete application and antifouling top coating instructions. Then apply 2 to 3 coats of this product.

Underwater Running Gear: Use Pettit 6456 Underwater Metal Kit following all instructions before applying this product.

All Other Substrates: Please go to www.pettitpaint.com and consult the product data sheet

Maintenance of Antifouling Paint: No antifouling paint can be effective under all conditions of exposure. Manmade pollution and natural occurrences can adversely affect antifouling paint performance. Extreme hot and cold water temperatures, silt, dirt, oil, brackish water and even electrolysis can ruin an antifouling paint. Therefore, we strongly suggest that the bottom of the boat be checked regularly to make sure it is clean and that no growth is occurring. Lightly scrub the bottom with a soft brush to remove anything from the antifouling paint surface. Scrubbing is particularly important with boats that are idle for extended periods of time. This product is most effective when the boat is used periodically.

**VOC:** (as supplied) 330 grams/liter maximum.

**Product Information:** 1-800-221-4466 or <u>WWW.PETTITPAINT.COM</u>

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• If person is not breathing, &... 911 or an ambulance, then give artifice respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible.

Call a poison control center or doctor for further 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 1-800-548-0489 for emergency medical treatment information.

**Note To Physician:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. This product contains petroleum distillates. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

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