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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY

AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

Ms. Rebecca M. Horton Registration by Design, Inc. Product Registration Agent For CHEM-A-CO Inc. P.O. Box 1019 Salem, VA 24153—3805

SUBJECT:

Application for Pesticide Notification (PRN 98-10)

Request Alternate Brand Name "AquaDrop"

EPA Reg. No. 61943-1

Application Dated August 16, 2010

Dear Ms. Horton:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 dated 08/16/10 for the above product. The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action(s) requested fall within the scope of PRN 98-10. The label submitted with the application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-5335 or Owen F. Beeder of my staff at 703-308-8899.

Sincerely.

Paul J. Mastradone, Ph.D., Acting

Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader

Registration Division (7505P) Office of Pesticide Programs

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4. Company/Product (Name) SCI-62 Algicide / Bacteri	cide		PM# Team 22					_	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) CHEM-A-CO, INC. P.O. Box 1099, Monticello, IN 47960				6. Expedited Reveiw. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No.					
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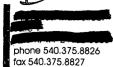
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Aug. 16, 2010

4. Typed Name

Rebecca M. Horton





CERTIFIED MAIL #7010 0780 0000 9763 2271 August 16, 2010

Document Processing Desk (NOTIF)
Office of Pesticide Programs/Registration Division (7504P)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Ariel Rios Building
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20460

Re: Notification: EPA Reg. No. 61943-1, SCI-62® Algicide/Bacerticide

Attn: Tony Kish, PM Team 22

On behalf of CHEM-A-CO INC. of Monticello, Indiana, enclosed is notification of the additional brand name "AquaDrop" for the above pesticide registration.

The following documents are enclosed:

- 1) EPA Form 8570-1, Application for Pesticide Notification (2 copies)
- 2) Copy of the revised label with additional brand name highlighted

Best regards,

Rebecca M. Horton Consultant/Agent for CHEM-A-CO, INC.

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Enclosures

cc: PMusser/CAC

Mailing address:

P.O. Box 1019, Salem, VA 24153

Established 1996 

NOTIFICATION SEP 0 9 2010

SCI-62® Algicide / Bactericide^{1,2}

[For Spas and Hot Tubs¹]

<u>Additional Brand Names:</u> ADVANCED-BLUE® Pool and Spa Products Algicide/Bacteriostat^{1,2} for Pools; Pool-Cide²; ALONG-CIDE², ALGAE-GON 247, AquaDrop

DANGER / PELIGRO

Si usted no entiende la etqueta, busque an alguien para que se la explique and usted en detalle. (If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

See back label for First Aid and additional Precautionary Statements.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

*Copper Sulfate Pentahydate (CAS #7758-99-8).	19.8%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	80.2%
TOTAL:	100.0%
*50/ Metallic Conner Equivolent	

*5% Metallic Copper Equivalent

For Emergency Assistance Call CHEM-TEL, INC. (800-255-3924)

EPA Reg. No. 61943-1 EPA Est. No. 61943-IN-1 Non-Flammable DO NOT FREEZE

Manufactured by: CHEM-A-CO, INC.

NET CONTENTS: 1 GAL

P.O. Box 1099

9.9 lbs. per Gallon 1.188 Kg/L

Monticello, IN 47960 - 574-583-4368

¹Algae Control Only

²Non-Public Health Bacteria

GENERAL INFORMATION

SCI-62® is used for the suppression of bacterial odors and toxic gases in sewage lagoons, feedlot runoff pits, animal confinement facilities, and other ponds containing organic matter of algae/bacteria. SCI-62® may also be used to control algae, bacteria and pond weed in irrigation reservoirs, ponds, flooded rice and wild rice fields, aquaculture ponds, biological fish ponds or systems, chemigation systems, and potable water sources. SCI-62® is an innovative and unique formulation used for control of algae and suppression of bacterial growth in private and public pools, spas and hot tubs. SCI-62® also extends the shelf life of fruits and vegetables when used as directed on this label.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals DANGER

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses). Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Avoid contact with skin. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

FIRST AID Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact x-xxx-xxxx (insert correct phone no. for final printed label) for emergency medical treatment information.					
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 immediately for treatment advice.				
If Swallowed:	Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for advice. Have the person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induct vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.				
<u>If Inhaled</u> :	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.				

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PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- · Long-sleeved shirt
- · Long Pants
- · Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material. Chemical resistance category A.
- · Protective Eyewear
- · Shoes plus socks

Maintain this clothing separately from other laundry and wash with detergent and hot water, or according to manufacturer's label. If these items become drenched with this product's concentrate, discard the clothing and do not re-use.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Fish and Aquatic Organisms: This product is toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. Improper application of SCI-62® to water may cause a significant reduction in populations of aquatic invertebrates, plants and fish. Do not treat more than one-half of a lake or pond at one time in order to avoid depletion of oxygen from decaying vegetation. Allow 1 to 2 weeks between treatments for oxygen levels to recover. Trout and other species of fish may be killed at application rates recommended on this label, especially in soft or acidic waters. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash waters. (See Disposal Instructions.) Consult your local State Fish and Game Agency before applying this product to public waters. Permits may be required before treating such waters.

APPLICATION AND HANDLING EQUIPMENT

Application, handling or storage equipment MUST consist of either fiberglass, PVCs, polypropylenes, viton, most plastics, aluminum or stainless steel. Never use mild steel, nylon, brass or copper around full strength SCI-62®. Always rinse equipment free and clean of SCI-62® each night with plenty of fresh, clean water. Always store SCI-62® above 32°F. Freezing may cause product separation. Seller makes no warranty for the performance of product which has been frozen. Spray over entire area of lagoon or mix thoroughly until completely dispersed with the sewage.

Useful formulas for calculating water volume and flow rates:

To find the capacity of water storage containment in gallons:

Multiply the water volume in cubic feet times 7.5

Note:

1 C.F.S./Hr. = 27,000 gallons 1 Acre Foot = 326,000 gallons

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Do not apply SCI-62® in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers are permitted in the area during application. Permits for the use of this product in public water may be required, check with local authorities.

GENERAL BACTERIAL ODOR CONTROL: Apply up to 1 Gallon SCI-62® per 60,000 gallons (8,000 cubic feet) of organic matter (sewage). Application rates may vary depending on amounts of sewage in lagoons and pits. Apply by pouring SCI-62® directly from the container into the pit or

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lagoon. Several application points speed up dispersal. For faster results, disperse SCI-62® evenly throughout sewage. Bacterial odors should be noticeably reduced in 1-2 weeks. Repeat application when odors recur.

<u>Feedlot Runoff Lagoons</u>: Add a portion of the required dosage of SCI-62® by pouring directly from the container at several locations around the lagoon to speed dispersal of the product. A minimum of 2 applications per year (spring and fall) is recommended. Additional applications may be required as needed or when the lagoon is pumped.

Animal Confinement Pits: If pits are located under the confinement buildings, add SCI-62® directly to these pits. If the pits are outside, add SCI-62® to transfer line to the pit.

Other Organic Sludges: Apply 1 Gallon SCI-62® in 60,000 gallons of sludge, mixing thoroughly.

GENERAL ALGAE/BACTERIA CONTROL IN IMPOUNDED WATERS, LAKES, PONDS, LIVESTOCK WATERING SYSTEMS, RESERVOIRS, IRRIGATION CANALS OR

SWIMMING POOLS: Apply SCI-62® through metering pump, subsurface hoses or from a properly equipped moving boat into the lakes, ponds, reservoirs or irrigation canals. SCI-62® should be poured directly from the container into swimming pools. When applying from boat, use minimal speed to allow the prop wash to disperse and mix the product into the treated waters. Dispense up to 1.25 gallons per acre-foot of water (see use rate chart below). Apply in late spring or early summer when algae/bacteria first appear. For best results, disperse SCI-62® evenly to warm, still water on a sunny day when algae are near the surface. Several application points speed up dispersal.

Use rates vary, depending on algae/bacteria species, water hardness, water temperature, and amount of algae/bacteria present; as well as whether water is clear, turbid, flowing or static. Preferably, the water should be clear with temperatures above 60°F (15.6° C). Higher dosages are required at lower water temperatures, higher algae/bacteria concentrations, and for hard waters. Static water requires less chemical for algae/bacteria control than does flowing water. Use higher dosages for chara, nitella, and filamentous algae (pond scum), and lower dosages for planktonic algae. If there is uncertainty about the dosage, begin with a lower dose and increase until control is achieved or until the maximum allowable level has been reached.

Calculate the Acre-Feet of water in body of water to be treated by calculating the surface area in square feet. Then divide by 43,560 (sq.ft./acre). Then multiply by the average depth in feet.

- 1 Acre Foot of Water = Water measuring 208.7' long x 208.7' wide x 1' deep
- 1 Acre Foot of Water = 43,560 cubic feet = 325,851.6 gallons
- 1 Cubic Foot of Water = 62.4 pounds
- 1 Acre Foot of Water = $43,560 \times 62.4 = 2,720,000$ pounds

USE RATES:

Gallons Product per Acre-Foot Water	ppm Metallic Copper Equivalent (do not exceed 1.0 ppm metallic copper)
0.33	0.06
0.50	0.09
3.30	0.60
5.50	1.00

<u>Use Precautions & Restrictions</u>: Trout and certain other species of fish may be killed at recommended application rates, especially in soft or acidic waters. Before treating bodies of water, consult proper state authorities, such as the fisheries commission or conservation department to obtain any necessary permits. Do not apply copper sulfate to water less than 40 ppm metallic copper alkalinity without first testing for fish toxicity in a separate container.

Treatment of algae can result in oxygen loss from the decomposition of dead algae, which may cause fish suffocation. If algae cover more than one-third of the total water area, treat in sections. Treat one-third to one-half of the water area in a single operation, and wait 10 to 14 days between treatments. Begin treatment along the shore and proceed outward in bands to allow fish to move into untreated areas. In regions where ponds freeze in winter, treatment should be done 6 to 8 weeks before expected freeze time to prevent masses of decaying algae under an ice cover.

SWIMMING POOLS, SPAS & HOT TUBS: Apply at the rate of 2-4 quarts of SCI-62® per 60,000 gallons (8,000 cu.ft.), (0.5 to 1.0 ppm metallic copper) to control bacterial odors and algae throughout the year. For best results, apply before visible algae appear. If visible algae are present, use the higher rate. For maintenance treatment and where visible algae are not present, use the lower rate. Do not discharge treated effluent where it will drain into lakes, streams, ponds or public water.

IN NON-SPRINKLER, NON-DRIP IRRIGATION CONVEYANCE SYSTEMS AND CHEMIGATION SYSTEMS, DITCHES, CANALS, AND SIMILAR IRRIGATION CONVEYANCES: For continuous addition, add 1 pint SCI-62® for each 7,500-300,000 gallons of water. For conveyance systems longer than 30 miles, dispense this rate among injection points every 30 miles. Do not exceed the total dosage of 1 Gallon SCI®-62 in 60,000 gallons of water (1 ppm metallic copper).

TO CONTROL ALGAE OR BACTERIA IN SPRINKLER, DRIP OR OTHER TYPES OF IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT: Use 1 pint SCI-62® per 7,500 to 300,000 gallons of water. Agitation is not required. Do not mix with basic substances. SCI-62® must be applied continuously for the duration of the water application.

FOOT BATHS FOR CATTLE: Prior to treatment, consult a veterinarian to confirm the presence of hoof rot (Fusobacterium necophorum). Mix 1 Gallon SCI-62® in 50 gallons of water to use as foot bath. Apply by walking animals through solution for 5-20 minutes per treatment, up to two times per day, or for the period prescribed by a veterinarian. Do not allow the cattle to drink from the foot baths as copper sulfate in these concentrations may be toxic. Keep foot baths clean. Follow the instructions under Storage and Disposal when solutions are discarded at the end of the treatments.

TO CONTROL ALGAE IN RICE FIELDS AND WILD RICE FIELDS: Apply SCI-62® at the first sign of algae growth on the surface of the field. Applications are most effective when made prior to algae leaving the soil surface and rising to the water surface. Factors such as water depth, temperature, pH and the amount of algae can affect the amount of SCI-62® required – do not exceed 5-6 gallons per acre (1 ppm metallic copper). SCI-62® can be metered into the rice field as water is being applied or slug fed into each paddy when water is being held.

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TO CONTROL TADPOLE SHRIMP IN RICE FIELDS: Apply to flooded fields anytime the pest appears - from planting time until the seedlings are well rooted and have emerged through the water. Use rate per acre is determined by the water depth and flow. Use 2 gallons SCI-62® per acre as the initial rate at minimum flow and water depth, and 4 gallons SCI-62® per acre as the higher rate when depth and flow are maximum.

EXTENSION OF SHELF LIFE OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES: Add 1 Gallon SCI-62® to 60,000-gallons of water (1.0 ppm metallic copper) and mix thoroughly. Wash fruit or vegetables in solution by immersion, spraying, soaking or other similar method. Drain solution from fruit or vegetables. Fruits and vegetables must remain refrigerated to ensure effectiveness.

Storage and Disposal

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in a safe place away from PETS AND KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN. Store between 40° and ??° F, away from excessive heat. SCI-62® will freeze. Always keep container closed. Store SCI-62® in its original container only. Bulk SCI-62® shall be stored and handled in stainless steel, fiberglass, polypropylenes, PVCs or plastic equipment. Keep away from galvanized pipe and any nylon storage or handling equipment.

Pesticide Disposal: Excess SCI-62® must be disposed of through use. Do not contaminate lakes, rivers, or streams as this may cause fish kill. Pesticide wastes are acutely 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.

In the event of a spill, neutralize with limestone or baking soda before disposal. May deteriorate concrete.

Container Disposal: Nonrefillable container. Do not re-use or refill empty container. Offer for recycling, if available, or dispose of containers in a sanitary landfill or by incineration. If burned, stay out of smoke.

LIMITED WARRANTY AND LIMITATION OF REMEDIES

To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller warrants that the product conforms to the chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purpose stated on the label for use under normal conditions, but makes no other warranties of FITNESS OR MERCHANTABILITY, expressed or implied, or any other warranty if the product is used contrary to the label instructions, or under abnormal conditions or under conditions not foreseeable to the seller. To the extent consistent with applicable law, in no case shall the seller be liable for more than the cost of this product to the buyer, and will in no event be liable for any consequential, special or indirect damages connected with the use or handling of this product. To the extent consistent with applicable law, this product is offered and the buyer or user accepts it subject to the foregoing terms which may not be varied.

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