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Amy Plato Roberts Consultant for Becker Microbial Products, Inc. Technology Sciences Group, Inc. 1101 17th Street NW Washington, DC 20036

Dear Ms. Roberts:

Subject: Becker microbial Bt registrations EPA Reg. Nos. 62637-1, -2, -5, -6, -8, -10, -11, -12, -13 Application for label amendments dated January 17, 2008

On January 17, 2008, you submitted applications to amend the labels of the subject products. Revisions were made to:

1. Correct the dust mask statements in accordance with the Bt RED;

2. Revise the Storage and Disposal statements in accordance with PR Notice 2007-4.

The labeling amendments referred to above are acceptable under section 3(c)(7)(A) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, provided that you:

- 1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your products 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 for each registration before you release the product for shipment.

A stamped copy of the draft label for each of the subject products is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions, please contact Alan Reynolds of my staff at (703) 605-0515 (e-mail: reynolds.alan@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

Sheryl Reilly, Ph.D., Branch Chief Microbial Pesticides Branch (7511P) CONSUBBENGES and Pollution Prevention Division SYMBOL Enclosure SURNAME DATE DP

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BMP 144 (400 G)

(Alternate Brand Name: AQUABAC® (400 G))

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

* Equivalent to 400 International Toxic Units (ITU/mg) (0.182 Billion ITU / pound). Potency units should not be used to adjust rates beyond those specified in the Directions for Use Section. <u>Note</u>: The percent active ingredient does not indicate product performance and potency measurements are not federally standardized.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. CAUTION

FIRST AID		
If inhaled	 Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. 	
lf 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 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. 	
	ct container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or ient. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment	

information.

See back panel for additional precautionary statements and directions for use.

EPA Reg. No.: 62637-13 EPA Establishment No.: XXXXX-XX-XX

Manufactured for:

BECKER MICROBIAL PRODUCTS, INC. 11146 N.W. 69th Place Parkland, FL 33076 Net Contents: XX Batch Code: XX

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS - CAUTION: Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Mixers / loaders and applicators not in enclosed cabs or aircraft must wear a dust / mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95, or P-95. Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitization.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS: Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply to treated, finished drinking water reservoirs or drinking water receptacles.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Non-Agricultural Use Requirements

The requirements in this box apply to uses that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries or greenhouses.

Keep unprotected persons out of the treated areas until sprays have dried.

(BMP 144 (400 G) is a highly selective microbial insecticide effective against mosquitoes in a variety of habitats.) Apply BMP 144 (400 G) to any water sites except treated, finished water reservoirs or drinking water receptacles. (BMP 144 (400 G) can be applied to areas that contain aquatic life, fish and plants. BMP 144 (400 G) can be applied to areas used by or in contact with humans, animals, horses, livestock, pets, birds or wildlife.)

MOSQUITOES:

Habitat	Rate Required for Control*
Pools, ponds, flood water, pastures, ditches, rice fields, brackis water, light to moderate populations	
Catch basins, tidal water, salt marshes, storm water detention areas, mangrove swamps, moderate pollution or organic content	

SPECIFIC APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

Apply 1.25 – 5 pounds of pellets per acre with conventional aircraft or ground equipment. Use higher application rates in heavily polluted water, when mosquito populations are high, when larvae are nearly grown or in forth instar, and when aquatic or covering vegetation is dense. Most treatments require no more than 5 pounds / acre. Apply only against mosquito larvae not

pupae.

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator. The interactions of many equipment and weather-related factors determine the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the grower are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions.

* Allow 24 hours for control. Under certain conditions, such as catch basins, sewage waste lagoons, high pollution or organic content, heavy vegetative cover and high mosquito populations, double the above application rates.

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in a cool, dry place.

Pesticide Disposal: Wastes resulting from use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Disposal: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration. Do not burn, unless allowed by state and local ordinances.

NOTICE TO USER

Seller makes no warranty express or implied, of merchantability, fitness or otherwise concerning the use of this product other than as indicated on the label. User assumes all risks of use, storage or handling not in strict accordance with label instructions.

(Optional Text) In case of emergency endangering life and property involving this product, call collect, day or night, (954) 345-9321.

OPTIONAL LABEL CLAIMS

- Biolarvicide.
- Biological Mosquito Control.
- Mosquito Biolarvicide Pellet.
- -- Highly selective microbial larvicide.
- A (highly selective) microbial insecticide effective against mosquitoes in a variety of habitats.
- Easy to use.
- Ready to use.
- Effective year-round when mosquito larvae are present.
- Controls mosquitoes.
- Controls mosquito larvae (in standing water) (within 24 hours) (in 24 hours).
- Quickly controls mosquito larvae in (within) 24 hours.
- When ingested by mosquito larvae, (product name) prevents mosquitoes from becoming (developing into) breeding, biting adults.
- When ingested by mosquito larvae, (product name) prevents the development of adults.
- When ingested by mosquito larvae, (product name) prevents emergence of breeding, biting adults.
- Kills mosquito larvae upon ingestion of Bt toxins.
- Kills mosquito larvae upon ingestion by destroying the cellular lining of the insect digestive tract.
- Kills (mosquitoes) (developing mosquitoes) (mosquito larvae) (before they hatch) including those which may (can) transmit (carry) West Nile virus (and encephalitis) (and equine encephalitis).
- Kills (mosquitoes) (developing mosquitoes) (mosquito larvae) before they become breeding, biting adults, including those which may (can) transmit (carry) West Nile Virus (and encephalitis) (and equine encephalitis).
- Kills (mosquitoes) (developing mosquitoes) (mosquito larvae) (before they hatch) including those which may (can) transmit heartworm disease to dogs and cats.