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Ms. Kimberly Gilbert Dow AgroSciences 9330 Zionsville Road Indianapolis, IN 46268

Subject: FirstRate Herbicide

EPA Registration No. 62719-275

Amended supplemental labeling for increased postemergence application rate in

soybeans submitted July 28, 2008

Dear Ms. Gilbert:

The amended supplemental labeling referred to above is acceptable. This labeling supercedes all previously accepted supplemental labeling for increased postemergence application rate in soybeans. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

If you have any questions about this letter, you may call Tobi Colvin-Snyder at 703-305-7801.

Sincerely,

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Product Manager (25)

Herbicide Branch

Registration Division (7505C)

Supplemental Labeling



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FirstRate[®]

EPA Reg. No. 62719-275

(For Distribution and Use Only in the States of Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgie, Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri (Bootheel), New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia)

Increased Postemergence Application Rate in Soybean

ATTENTION

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of application.
- Read the label affixed to the container for FirstRate[®] herbicide before applying. Carefully follow all
 precautionary statements and applicable use directions.
- Use of FirstRate according to this supplemental labeling is subject to all use precautions and limitations imposed by the label affixed to the container for FirstRate.

Directions for Use

Refer to the main product label for FirstRate for Use Precautions and Restrictions, and Mixing Instructions.

Use FirstRate as a postemergence broadcast spray at a rate of 0.3 oz per acre (see container label for a list of weeds controlled). A second application of up to 0.3 oz of FirstRate per acre may be applied to later germinating weeds. For especially heavy weed infestations or added residual control, FirstRate may be applied at up to 0.6 oz per acre. Applications of 0.3 to 0.6 oz per acre may be made prior to maximum leaf stage or height. Applications can be made alone or in combination with other labeled products such as glyphosate. Refer to labels for additional instructions and recommendations pertaining to tank mixes.

If sicklepod is the primary target weed, apply 0.3 oz of FirstRate per acre when sicklepod is in the cotyledon to 1 leaf stage. Make a second application of 0.3 oz of FirstRate per acre 10 to 14 days after the first application.

Restrictions:

- **Preharvest Interval:** When more than 0.3 oz of FirstRate per acre is applied postemergence, the prehavest interval for soybeans is 70 days and the preharvest interval for forage or hay is 25 days.
- Maximum Use Rates: Do not exceed 1.05 oz per acre in a single growing season. If a soil application
 is made, no more than 0.3 oz per acre may be applied postemergence. When more than one
 postemergence application is made, do not exceed a total of 0.6 oz per acre.

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ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. (2719-275