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Dear Mr. Conn:

Subject:

Ecobrite® 1 Ready-To-Use Fungicide

EPA Reg.No.65359-2

Request for Reconsideration of Comments in Notice of Registration

Correspondence Dated May 5, 1995

In your letter of May 5, 1995, as agent for Canadian Forest Products, Ltd., you requested the Agency reevaluate the Toxicity Category decision in the January 26, 1995 registration notice for Ecobrite. In the registration notice, Canadian Forest Products was directed to revise the Statement of Practical Treatment to categorize the product in Category I. You stated that, based on the results of other acute studies, you believe Category III is the correct category.

The Agency has re-evaluated the data (eye study, MRID 42750508) and reached the following decision: The study showed a TOX category III rather than I because the injury was to the conjunctiva, not to the cornea or iris, and was relatively mild. Accordingly, the study is reclassified TOX Category III based on moderate irritation at 72 hours.

The label for Ecobrite is acceptable provided that you:

- 1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration or reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) and sec. 4 when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.
- 2. Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

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If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Kathryn Scanlon on (703) 305-7382.

Sincerely Yours,

Connie B. Welch

Product Manager (21)

Fungicide-Herbicide Branch

Registration Division (7505C)

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# ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fundicide and Hodenticide Act posticide (65 359-2. No.

FIFRA §3 Registration Label

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## ECOBRITE® 1 Ready-To-Use Fungicide

A Solution for the Prevention of the Formation of Sapstain and Mold on Lumber

Prevents growth of fungal spores which cause the appearance of unsightly stains and mold mycelium mats on freshly exposed or green lumber surfaces.

## **INGREDIENTS**

Active Ingredient:  Sodium tetraborate decahydrate	2.0%
Inert Ingredients	98.0%
Total	100.0%

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

## STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation

persists.

IF IN EYES: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

READ THE ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT.
USE ONLY ACCORDING TO LABEL INSTRUCTIONS.

Made in U.S.A. for: Canadian Forest Products, Ltd. 101-1750 West 75th Avenue Vancouver, British Columbia Canada, V6P 6G2 EPA Registration No. 65359-2 EPA Establishment No. 65754-AL-001 Net Contents: Metal Drums -- 55 U.S. Galions Reusable Totes -- 200 U.S. Gallons

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## **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of equipment washwaters.

## PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not apply this product in or on electrical equipment due to the possibility of shock hazard.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELLING.

Use ECOBRITE® 1 Ready-To-Use Fungicide directly from the container to treat pine, spruce, fir, hemlock and other softwood lumber for yard storage. For wood cut within 24 hours or dry wood, apply by dipping or spraying thoroughly to wet or saturate the entire lumber surface. Allow treated lumber surfaces to dry in a containment area. To prevent leaching during yard storage, cover bundles with appropriate wrap.

#### **ALWAYS FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES:**

- Treat only clean, dry lumber, using linear spray boxes or dip tanks.
- Before use, check that commercial spray box flow coaters or dip tanks are free of leaks and have a provision to eliminate or contain mist overspray, drips and spillage into the surrounding environment.
- Apply ECOBRITE® 1 Ready-To-Use Fungicide directly from drums or reusable totes.
- Treat bundles or parts of bundles containing only one type of wood.
- Treat wood by wetting all surfaces with the solution, once. The wetting can be accomplished by dipping the wood into the solution or by spraying it.

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## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Store product in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children.

DISPOSAL: Triple rinse emptied container and add rinsate to treated site.

IN THE CASE OF METAL DRUMS, offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

IN THE CASE OF REUSABLE TOTES, seal container and store away from treatment site for vender pick-up.

Pasticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide 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 Hazardous Waste Management representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.