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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Subject: Label Amendment - Updating First Aid Statement in Accordance with PR Notice 2001-1, Disposal Instructions conforming to PR Notice 2001-6
Elite Permethrin Flea & Tick Dip
EPA Reg. No. 68688-14
Your Submission Dated November 19, 2002

Dear Mr. Washburn:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable subject to the comments listed below. Two (2) copies of the finished labeling must be submitted prior to releasing the product for shipment. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

1. Revise front of the label-- replace " Inert Ingredients" with the phrase "Other Ingredients".
2. Under Precautionary Statements move the statements beginning "Do not use on puppies and kittens xxx and ending "If signs continue xxx", to the Directions for Use section of the label.

If you have any questions regarding this action, please contact BeWanda Alexander of my team at (703) 305-7460.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, which appears to read "BeWanda Alexander for", is written over the typed name "George T. LaRocca".

George T. LaRocca
Product Manager (13)
Insecticide Branch
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ELITE PERMETHRIN FLEA & TICK DIP

**KILLS FLEAS, LICE AND TICKS
ON DOGS AND CATS**

**GIVES RESIDUAL PROTECTION
UP TO 21 DAYS**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Permethrin * (3-Phenoxyphenyl)
methyl (+) cis-trans-3-(2,2-dichloroethyl)
2,2-dimethylcyclopropane-
carboxylate.....3.20%

†INERT INGREDIENTS:.....96.80%
100.00%

†(Contains Petroleum distillates)

cis-trans isomer ratio:

Min. 35% (+/-) cis; Max. 65% (+/-) trans

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

**See Side Panels for Precautionary
Statements**

NET CONTENTS ___ oz.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated

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EPA Est. No. 11715-TN-1

EPA Reg. No. 68688-14

Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
no amended for the pesticide
registration for EPA Reg. No.
68688-14

**READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE EACH USE
USE ONLY ON DOGS OR CATS**

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Contains petroleum distillate. Do not induce vomiting because of aspiration hazard. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Use rubber gloves (mitts) when applying. Do not contaminate food or feedstuffs with this concentrate or dip. Do not use on puppies and kittens under 12 weeks of age. Sensitivities may occur after using ANY pesticide product for pets. If signs of sensitivity occur, bathe your pet with mild soap and rinse with large amounts of water. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately.

FIRST AID	
IF SWALLOWED:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Immediately call a poison control center or doctor. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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.

FIRST AID (Cont'd)

IF IN EYES:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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.
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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 1-877-757-4943 for emergency medical treatment information.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Contains petroleum distillate-vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. Do not apply directly to any body of water. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

PHYSICAL HAZARDS

Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

To Kill Fleas, Lice and Ticks: Dilute 2 ounces of concentrate with 1 gallon of warm water. Dip, sponge or swab animal with diluted solution, making sure hair is thoroughly wet to the skin. Area around the ears should be sponged thoroughly. Avoid contact of material with eyes and mouth.

Allow pet to dry in a warm place without rinsing or toweling. Dipping should not exceed 30 seconds. This product should not be used on animals more than once every seven days. Do not use on puppies or kittens under 12 weeks. Consult a veterinarian before using this product on debilitated, aged, pregnant or nursing animals, or animals on medication.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **STORAGE:** Store in a cool area away from heat or open flame.

DISPOSAL: If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

In case of emergency or for product use information call (901) 362-1950, Monday - Friday, 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM, CST (distributors may elect to use their own phone numbers and hours of operation).

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