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Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (H7505C)
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EPA Reg. Number:

70137-1

Date of Issuance:

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NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

- Registration
- Reregistration

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Flea Powder for Carpets

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Fleamasters Pest Control, Inc.
8750-11 Gladiolus Drive
Ft. Myers, FL 33908

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c) (7) (A) provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c) (5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.
2. Change the label by revising the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 70137-1".
3. Submit two copies of the revised final printed label for the record.

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.

Signature of Approving Official:

RPK

Richard P. Keigwin, Jr.
Product Manager 10
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division

Date:

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FLEAMASTERS®

FLEA POWDER FOR CARPETS KILLS FLEAS IN CARPETING, WOOD FLOORING AND UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE

ALSO KILLS ROACHES, ANTS and SILVERFISH!

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS in EPA Letter No. 70137-1

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Boric Acid	60.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS: - - - - - 40.0%	
Total 100.0%	

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, this product is a registered under EPA Reg. No. 70137-1

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Get a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting. **IF IN EYES:** Flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

SEE ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS ON SIDE PANEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. May cause eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. (FleaMstr. PMS07-01-001-01-05-07 rev.)

Use Restriction: Children and pets should not be in treatment area until after application is completed. Do not treat pets with this product. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Avoid contamination of ornamental plants.

ONE YEAR MONEY BACK GUARANTEE

FleaMasters Guarantees if you follow the directions on this canister and you still have a flea problem in your home six weeks after treatment, FleaMasters will replace this canister of carpet powder, or refund the purchase price. To register your warranty you must call 1-800-458-6620 before you apply this product. No Refund will be given without proper registration of the warranty. One Year Guarantee applies to Fleas only.

LIMITED WARRANTY

MANUFACTURER WILL REFUND YOUR MONEY OR REPLACE THE PRODUCT IF YOU ARE NOT FULLY SATISFIED WITH THIS PRODUCT WITHIN 1 YEAR OF PURCHASE HOWEVER, MANUFACTURER MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING MERCHANTABILITY, CONCERNING THE USE OF THIS PRODUCT OTHER THAN INDICATED ON THIS LABEL. BUYER ASSUMES ALL RISK OF USE AND, OR HANDLING OF THIS MATERIAL WHEN SUCH USE IS CONTRARY TO LABEL INSTRUCTIONS.

EPA Reg. No. 70137-1 NET WEIGHT 40 POUNDS EPA Est. No. 70137-FL-1

FLEAMASTERS PEST CONTROL, INC.

8750-11 Gladiolus Drive - Ft. Myers, FL 33908

DIRECTION OF USE
It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

FLEA CONTROL INDOORS

BEFORE TO APPLICATION: If carpet or flooring (wood or other non-treated) needs to be treated, do so before application. Carpets must be completely dry. All carpeted areas should be cleared. Electronic equipment, fish tanks, and animal cages must be covered or removed. Children and pets should be removed from treatment area until application is complete. FLEAMASTER recommends using approximately 2.5 lbs. per 1,000 sq.ft. of carpeted area. Quantities will vary depending on carpet type.

USE ON RUGS AND CARPETING

Apply directly to rugs and carpets where pets frequently traffic or sleep. Sprinkle lightly over all the area, including closets, area rugs, under beds and areas frequented by pets. Using a carpet rake or a push broom, sweep the powder into carpet fibers until it is no longer visible. Any visible product remaining after application must be removed by further brooming or with the use of a vacuum.

WOOD FLOORING IN PET RESTING AND SLEEPING QUARTERS.

Sprinkle FLEAMASTER® Flea Powder over wood flooring around and beneath pet sleeping quarters. Brush and work the powder into cracks and crevices for residual flea control. Remove any excess surface powder with a damp sponge or mop. Retreat as needed.

FOR UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE

Remove cushions. Apply along creases and into corners and furniture wells. Do not apply product to exposed fabric. Any visible product after application must be removed. Allow 3-5 weeks for maximum effectiveness. With proper application effective period is one week.

IMPORTANT

If carpets are steamed or shampooed, reapplication is necessary since effective period is no longer valid. Wait 24 hours after application for normal vacuuming of carpets. Remove vacuum bag and dispose of as indicated under STORAGE & DISPOSAL.

FLEAMASTER® FLEA POWDER ALSO CONTROLS ROACHES, ANTS, SILVERFISH

To control cockroaches, ants and silverfish, apply liberally, scattering under and behind refrigerator, stove, sink, dishwasher, washing machine and dryer, tube, into openings around drains, water pipes, electrical conduits; and in cracks and crevices along baseboards and corners of cabinets, cupboards, and closets. Remove all lower drawers in kitchen and bathroom cabinets, bedroom dressers and chests of drawers, then scatter liberally in drawer wells. Reapply as necessary. Any powder visible after application must be brushed into cracks and crevices or removed. Apply only in areas inaccessible to children and pets. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs.

Directions for Applying in New Construction to Control Cockroaches: When treating large areas, such as wall voids, soffit and subcabinet voids in new and existing construction, dust liberally using dusting application equipment.

Directions for Applying as a Mop Solution to Control Cockroaches: Add 1 cup of powder to each gallon of rinse water. Apply to floor areas only. Make only enough for each application. Supplemental treatment only.

This product may be used in homes, restaurants, and other food and feed handling establishments, nurseries, schools, warehouses, factories, offices, hotels, motels, hospitals, nursing homes, garages, grocery stores, apartment buildings, new construction, industrial plants, theatres, ships, boats, trains, trucks, yachts, camps, mobile homes, buses, BSEE, kennels, Military bases, libraries, utilities and schools.

CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT FOOD AND FEED HANDLING ESTABLISHMENT

Places other than private residences in which food or feed is held, processed, prepared or served.

FOOD AREAS

Includes areas for receiving, storage, packing (canning), bottling, wrapping, boxing, preparing, edible waste storage and enclosed processing systems (mills, dairies, edible oils, syrups.) Serving areas (when food is exposed and facility is in operation) also would be considered a food area.

Apply in small amounts directly into cracks and crevices using a bulbous duster or other suitable equipment capable of applying insecticide directly into cracks and crevices, in points between different elements of construction, between equipment and floors, openings leading to voids and hollow spaces in walls, equipment legs and bases, conduits, motor housing and electrical switch boxes where cockroaches hide.

Care should be taken to avoid depositing the product onto exposed surfaces or introducing the material into the air. Avoid contamination of food or food processing surfaces.

For facilities where prepared foods are served, such as dining rooms, but excluding areas where food may be prepared or held apply as a spot treatment to selective surfaces such as baseboards, under elements of construction into cracks and crevices. Avoid treating surfaces likely to be contacted by food. (Do not apply when facility is in operation or foods are exposed.)

APPLICATIONS OF THIS PRODUCT IN THE FOOD AREAS OF FOOD HANDLING ESTABLISHMENT, OTHER THAN AS A CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT, ARE NOT PERMITTED.

NON-FOOD AREAS

Includes garbage rooms, laboratories, drains (to sewer entries and ventholes), locker rooms, machine rooms, boiler rooms, mop closets and storage (after canning or bottling.) Apply to baseboard areas, around water pipes, surfaces behind and beneath sinks, lockers, tables, pallets and similar areas where insects hide or through which they may enter.

COMMERCIAL USE

For control of roaches use a power duster to apply to large voids such as beneath manholes at the rate of 1 to 2 pounds per manhole opening. One application is usually sufficient for extended periods of time providing dust is not washed away.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **STORAGE:** Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. **HOMEOWNER DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse empty container. Wrap and put in trash collection.

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