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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Tokyo 105, Japan

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Washington, DC 20036

Attention Megha Shah Even
Regulatory Scientist

Subject: Zeomic Type AK Silver Zeolite A
EPA Reg. No. 71227-4
Notification Letter Dated July 7, 2010
Application Dated July 7, 2010

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification for the aforementioned product label, submitted under the provisions of Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) Section 3© (9). Based on a review of the submitted material, the following apply:

- Addition to the Storage and Disposal section of the label the phrase, "Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse (or equivalent) promptly after emptying."

The Notification is in compliance with PR Notice 98-10 and is acceptable. This information has been made a part of your file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Abigail Downs at (703) 305-5259.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "M Swindell".

Marshall Swindell
Product Manager (33)
Regulatory Management Branch I
Antimicrobials Division (7510CP)

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 Washington, DC 20460

Registration
 Amendment
 Other

OPP Identifier Number

Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 71227-4	2. EPA Product Manager Marshall Swindell	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Zeomic Type AK Silver Zeolite A	PM# 33	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Sinanen Company, Ltd. 4-22 Kaigan 1-Chome, Minato-ku Tokyo 105 Japan <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3)(b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. _____ Product Name _____	

Section - II

Amendment - Explain below. Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____

Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____ "Me Too" Application.

Notification - Explain below. Other - Explain below.

Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)

This is a notification to revise the container labeling requirements per PR Notice 2007-4 and is not subject to PRIA.

This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-10 and EPA regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling of the Confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR Notice 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.

Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:

Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	2. Type of Container <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Paper <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____
* Certification must be submitted		If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt. No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt. No. per container

3. Location of Net Contents Information
 Label Container

4. Size(s) Retail Container

5. Location of Label Directions

6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product
 Lithograph Paper glued Stenciled Other _____

Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)

Name Megha Shah Even, Technology Sciences Group, Inc.	Title Regulatory Scientist	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 702-828-8954
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Certification
 I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.

2. Signature

3. Title
Regulatory Agent to Sinanen Company, Ltd.

4. Typed Name
Megha S. Even

5. Date
7/7/10

6. Date Application Received (Stamped)

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July 7, 2010

SUBJECT: Notification for Zeomic Type AK Silver Zeolite A (EPA Reg No 71227-4)

Not subject to PRIA

SACRAMENTO

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Fax 530 757-1299

Dear Mr. Swindell:

Technology Sciences Group Inc., on behalf of Sinanen Company, Ltd., is submitting an application to amend the storage and disposal section on the label for *Zeomic Type AK Silver Zeolite A*. No data are submitted with this application.

You will find the following included with this submission:

- 1) EPA Application Form;
- 2) One (1) highlighted copy of the label with proposed changes; and
- 3) Three (3) copies of the product label

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (202) 828-8954 or meven@tsgusa.com.

CANADA

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Suite 900

Ottawa, Ontario

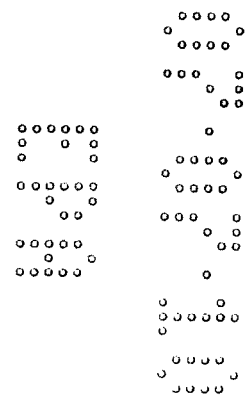
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Sincerely,

Megha Shah Even
Regulatory Agent for Sinanen Company, Ltd.



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Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A

A preservative and bacteriostatic agent for use in the manufacture of polymer, plastic and latex products. For commercial and industrial use only.

Active Ingredient:

Silver	4.93 %
Other Ingredients	95.07 %
Total	100.00 %

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

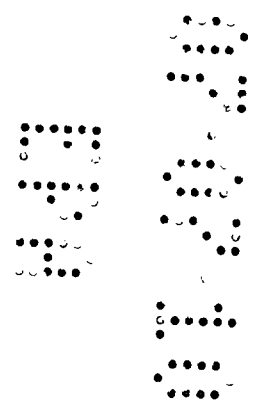
SEE INSERT LABEL FOR PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Manufactured by:
 Sinanen Company, Ltd.
 4-22, Kaigan 1-Chome, Minato-ku
 Tokyo 105, Japan

EPA Registration No. 71227-4
 EPA Establishment No. 71227-JP-001

Net Wt. XXXX

Lot No. XXXXXXXXXX



Directions for Use

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

For all uses listed*:

- * Do not incorporate this product into any food contact polymer unless the subject food contact polymer is approved and listed in 21 CFR, Parts 174 through 186 (inclusive), or in the United States Food and Drug Administration's "Food Contact Substance Notification System." Any incorporation of this product into an approved and listed food contact polymer must comply with the specific use conditions listed in 21 CFR, Parts 174 through 186 (inclusive), or in the United States Food and Drug Administration's "Food Contact Substance Notification System," for such food contact polymer. Any incorporation of this product into any food contact substance (including but not limited to non-polymer substances) other than an approved and listed food contact polymer is prohibited.
- * For applications involving direct or indirect food or human drinking water contact, Zeomic® Type AK must be used with an FDA approved polymer or coating. Non-food and non-drinking water contact applications can use either FDA or non-FDA approved coatings.
- * This product may be used for the following human drinking water contact uses:
 - water filter components and housing units
 - water bottle dispensers and components
 - water dispensers
 - ice machine trays
 - ice machine bins
 - ice machine water hoses
 - ice dispensers and other ice machine components
 - water bottles
 - cups
 - water storage vessels
- * This product may be incorporated into food and water bowls, dishes and other containers used by domestic animals. Do not use for any food or drinking water applications involving non-domestic animals.

Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A is an antimicrobial additive to be used by compounding into many polymeric materials. It is designed to be incorporated during the manufacturing process to impart antimicrobial activity to the manufactured products. ***Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A*** suppresses the growth of algae, mold, mildew, fungi and bacteria which cause unpleasant odors, discoloration, staining, deterioration or corrosion only. No finished product incorporating ***Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A*** may make any public health claims relating to antimicrobial activity without first obtaining an EPA registration for the finished product which permits such claims, and without a tolerance or exemption from the requirement of a tolerance. When incorporated into treated articles, this product does not protect users of any such treated article or others against food borne or disease causing bacteria, viruses, germs or other disease causing organisms.

Types of Finished Products

Plastics - including films, sheets, slabs, and molded plastic parts

The additive may be incorporated into the finished product at up to 5.0% by weight or at least 0.3% for bulk plastics. Contact Sinanen Company Ltd. to determine the appropriate amount of Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A for individual finished products.

Food contact* and non-food contact uses (in all food contact cases, when the article itself is a FDA-approved polymer):

- Packaging
- gaskets
- general purpose containers
- food and drink containers
- food trays and covers
- sponges
- tubing
- brush bristles (including personal care grooming items, toothbrushes (Claims allowed: *odor, discoloration, staining*), and cosmetic brushes (Claims allowed: *odor, discoloration, staining*))
- liners
- non-woven fabrics
- appliances and equipment
- kitchen and food processing utensils and supplies
- cutting boards
- countertops
- sinks
- tiles
- dishes
- cups
- bottles
- conveyor belts
- food processing equipment (including slicers, formers, juicers, washers, canners, freezers, refrigerators, shelving, cookers, grinders, choppers, peelers and countertops)
- beverage processing equipment (including mixers, transfer equipment, pumps, bottlers, canners, dispensers and fermenters)

Non-food contact uses only:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> automobile parts shower curtains mats protective covers tape waste containers brush handles mops vacuum cleaner bags plumbing supplies and fixtures (including toilet bowl seats) drain pan liners¹ office equipment personal care items (including grooming items, sports and dental mouthguards (Claims allowed: <i>odor, discoloration, staining</i>)) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> siding for housing kitchen and bathroom hardware flooring floor coverings footwear (including boots, sports equipment and tools) insulation for wire and cable insulators indoor and outdoor furniture spas, bathtubs, showers and filters and components thereof. garbage bags and garbage cans |
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¹ For HVAC and related uses, refer to Zeomic® AK Technical Bulletin No. 1 – Technical Bulletin for Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A Polymeric Coating for Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Applications.

Fibers

The additive may be incorporated into the finished product at up to 5.0% by weight or at least 0.1% for fibers. Contact Sinanen Company Ltd. to determine the appropriate amount of Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A for individual finished products.

Food contact* and non-food contact uses (in all food contact cases, when the article itself is a FDA-approved polymer, or as a FDA-approved polymer coating on an article):

- napkins, tablecloths and wiping cloths
- bags
- brush bristles (including personal care grooming items, toothbrushes (Claims allowed: *odor, discoloration, staining*), and cosmetic brushes (Claims allowed: *odor, discoloration, staining*))
- filters
- clothing apparel (including uniforms, outerwear, gloves, aprons, coats and shoes)
- sponges
- packaging (including bags, sacks, wraps, cushion and absorbent materials, and containers)
- conveyor belts
- kitchen, commercial and industrial wipes and fabrics

Non-food contact uses only:

Interior furnishings -

- mattress cover pads and filling
- pillow covers
- sheets
- blankets
- fiberfill for quilts and pillows
- curtains
- draperies
- carpet and carpet underlay
- rugs
- upholstery
- mops
- towels
- wall covering fabrics
- cushion pads
- sleeping bags

Apparel -

- umbrellas
- outerwear
- sportswear
- sleepwear
- stockings
- socks and hosiery
- caps
- undergarments
- inner liners for jackets
- trim for outerwear and garments

Transportation -

- automotive and truck upholstery
- carpeting
- rear decks
- trunk liners
- convertible tops
- interior liners

Industrial and Other Household Items -

- artificial leather
- filters
- book covers
- mops
- cloth for sails
- ropes
- tents and other outdoor equipment
- tarps
- awnings
- drain pan liners¹

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Coatings, Films and Laminates

The additive may be incorporated into the coating, film or laminate applied to the finished product at up to 5.0% by weight, or at least 0.05% for paper or 0.3% for bulk plastics. Contact Sinanen Company Ltd. to determine the appropriate amount of Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A for individual finished products. Types of coatings include water-borne, solvent-borne, 100% solids, radiation cure, liquid and powder.

Food contact* and non-food contact uses (in all food contact cases, when the article itself is a FDA-approved polymer, or as a FDA-approved polymer coating, film or laminate on an article):

- packaging
- paper products (including wipes and tissues)
- natural and synthetic fibers and fabrics
- sinks
- countertops
- cutting boards
- dishes
- cookware
- general purpose containers
- kitchen, commercial and industrial utensils and supplies
- collection and storage equipment (including conveyor belts, piping systems, silos, tanks and process vessels)
- appliances and food processing equipment (including slicers, formers, juicers, washers, canners, freezers, refrigerators, shelving, cookers, grinders, choppers, peelers and countertops)
- beverage processing equipment (including mixers, transfer equipment, pumps, bottlers, canners and fermenters and dispensers)
- building materials and components (including walls, hardware, floors, ceilings and components thereof for kitchen, commercial and industrial applications)

Non-food contact uses only:

- walls
- wallboard
- floors
- concrete
- siding
- roofing
- shingles
- industrial equipment
- furniture
- automotive and vehicular parts
- packaging
- paper products (including wall coverings, towels, book covers)
- barrier fabrics
- glazing for cement tile
- glazing for vitreous china used in plumbing fixtures (including toilets, sinks, countertops)
- Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning equipment and related materials (including insulation, ducts, heat exchangers, drain pans, air filters, air purifiers, diffusers, and parts and components thereof)¹
- spas, bathtubs, showers, and filters and components thereof

¹ For HVAC and related uses, refer to Zeomic® AK Technical Bulletin No. 1 – Technical Bulletin for Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A Polymeric Coating for Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Applications.

Adhesives and Sealants

The additive may be incorporated into the finished product at up to 5.0% by weight, or at least 0.05% for paper or 0.3% for bulk plastics. Contact Sinanen Company Ltd. to determine the appropriate amount of Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A for individual finished products.

Food contact* and non-food contact uses (in all food contact cases, when the article itself is a FDA-approved polymer incorporated into FDA-approved adhesives or sealants):

plumbing adhesives
pipe sealants and insulating materials
grout and joint compound for; countertops, building materials and components, and food and beverage related equipment

Non-food contact uses only:

adhesives used in the manufacture of wood and plastic composites
adhesives for ceramic tile, wood, paper, cardboard, rubber and plastic
glazing for windows
grout
sealants for pipes
adhesives, sealants and insulating materials for; appliances, bathrooms, showers, kitchens and construction

Miscellaneous Applications

The additive may be incorporated into the finished product at up to 5.0% by weight. Contact Sinanen Company Ltd. to determine the appropriate amount of Zeomic® Type AK Silver Zeolite A for individual finished products.

Non-food contact uses only:

toilets
sinks
tile
flooring
stucco
plaster
cat litter
drainage and sewerage pipe
interior paints and coatings

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans: Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling the dry powder. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

FIRST AID	
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.
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.
If inhaled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 further treatment advice.
If swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. • Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. • Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	

Storage and Disposal

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

Pesticide Storage: Do not store in areas accessible to children. Keep product dry and containers covered during storage; store below 130°F.

Container Disposal: Inner Plastic Bag: Completely empty plastic 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. **Outer Steel Can:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities.

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