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December 28, 2004

Lucas T. Dobrzanski
EARTH-SHIELD, Inc.
100 Quantico Avenue
Bakersfield, CA 93307

Subject: Calcium Hypochlorite
EPA Registration No. 71946-2
Application Date: November 12, 2004
Receipt Date: December 21, 2004

Dear Mr. Dobrzanski:

This acknowledges receipt of your notification, submitted under the provision of PR Notice 98-10, FIFRA Section 3(c)9.

Proposed Notification

- To change package size

General Comments

Based on a review of the material submitted, the following comments apply:

The notification application is acceptable and a copy has been inserted in your file for future reference.

Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact me at (703) 308-6345.

Sincerely,

Wanda Mitchell
Product Reviewer - Team 32
Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL	7510C							
SURNAME	Mitchell							
DATE	12-28-04							

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EARTH-SHIELD, Inc.

100 QUANTICO AVE. - BAKERSFIELD, CA 93307 - PHONE (861) 322-0300 - FAX (861) 322-2303

November 12, 2004

USEPA
1801 S. Bell St.
2nd Floor Document Processing Unit
Product Manager 32
Arlington, VA 22202

**Attention: Office of Pesticide Programs,
Wanda Y Mitchell, Product Reviewer (32)**

**Subject: Calcium Hypochlorite
EPA Registration Number 71946-2
Modified label**

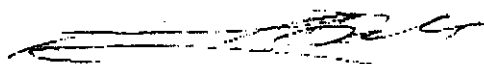
It was nice to speak with you earlier this week. As you might recall, our **SHARP-SHIELD** product brand of calcium hypochlorite is used for the destruction of microbes associated with medical waste and it is strictly a "repack". We wish to change the quantity of the product we sell per package from 125 to 50 grams.

The container size has not changed; neither have the directions for activation, as described on the Solidification Compound label. The quantity of chemicals in the Solidification Compound container has not change, thus not creating a need to change the amount of water used.

We are submitting, for your approval, a new label showing a smaller quantity of the product sold in the package. That is the only change on the previously approved label. A copy with the change highlighted in yellow is enclosed along with five copies of the labels.

Should you have any questions, please call me at 661-322-0300 or e-mail at lucasd@argochem.com.

Thank you for your assistance,



Lucas T. Dobrzanski
EARTH-SHIELD, Inc.

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SHARP-SHIELD™

-----Do Not Fill with Sharps Above this Level-----

SHARPS DISPOSAL CONTAINER

For Industrial Use Only

When used as directed, the Sharp-Shield Disposal System is a non-infectious, non-hazardous, permanent encasement method of disposal to protect our present and future environment and reduce the liability associated with sharps disposal.

Keep Out of Reach of
Children

DANGER

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:
 CALCIUM HYPOCHLORITE .68%
 OTHER INGREDIENTS 32%
 TOTAL100%
 AVAILABLE CHLORINE65%

FLASH SANITIZER

Sanitizes In 24 Hours

Upon Insertion and During Storage
Solidifies and Encapsulates Sharps

<p>EARTH-SHIELD Inc. 100 Quantico Ave. Bakersfield, CA 93307 1-661-322-0300</p>
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FIRST AID: IF IN EYES: 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 poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice. IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice. IF INHALED: 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: Call a poison control center or doctor for further 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. **HOT LINE NUMBER:** Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1 (661) 322-0300 for emergency medical treatment information. For information on this pesticide (including health concerns, medical emergencies, or pesticide incidents), call the National Pesticide Telecommunications Network at 1 (800) 868-7378. **NOTE TO PHYSICIANS:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. Measures against circulatory shock, respiratory depression and convulsion may be needed.

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Net Wt. 50 gm
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