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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Scimetrics, Ltd. 120 Commerce Drive, Unit 4 Ft. Collins, CO 80524

Attention: Mr. Todd Schmidt

Subject

Kaput Mole Gel Bait EPA Reg. No. 72500-2

Your label amendment dated October 29, 2004, and the addition of a supplemental

label.

Label Approval

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, is acceptable with the following addition(s):

Please make a cross reference on the original label to the Instruction sheet under the Directions for Use, Read this Label, after: "Read this entire label...and use precautions." add: "Also, read the additional Instructions for Use sheet included with this package."

On the Instruction sheet, a cross reference is needed to the main label under the statement: "The active ingredient...for over 40 years." add: "Read all labeling before applying this product. All applicable directions and restrictions on the full label must be followed."

Also, revise the statement on the syringe label following the "PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS: Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals.": (See full label for details) to (See full label and instruction sheet for details)

Submit one (1) copy of the revised final printed label(s) for the record before you release the product for shipment.

Questions

If you have questions about this letter, please contact me at 703-305-5407 (by phone), 703-305-6596 (by fax), or mccann.geri@epa.gov (by E-Mail).

Sincerely,

Geraldine R McCann, Biologist Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch

Registration Division

Enclosure

Stamped Label

Kaput® MOLE GEL BAIT

Controls Moles

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Warfarin	
3-(á-Acetonylbenzyl-4-hydroxyconmarin)	0.025%
INERT INGREDIENTS	
TOTAL	100.000%

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION: See Below for Additional Information Net Wt. 3 Fluid Oz.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Keep away from <u>children</u>, domestic animals and pets. If swallowed, this material may reduce the clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN AND VETERINARIAN:

This product reduces the clotting ability of the blood and may cause hemorrhaging. If poisoning occurs, intramuscular and oral administration of Vitamin K1 are indicated, as in poisoning from an overdose of bis-hydroxycoumarin. For human cases, Vitamin K1 is antidotal at doses of 10-20 mg total (not mg/kg). For animal cases, Vitamin K1 is antidotal at 2-5 mg/kg. Repeated doses may need to be given up to two weeks (based upon monitoring of prothrombin times).

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Toxic to fish, birds and other wildlife. Do not apply this product directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or the intertidal areas below the mean high water mark.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

READ THIS LABEL: Read this entire label and follow all use directions and use precautions.

IMPORTANT: Do not expose children to this product or use it for any purpose other than to control moles. To help prevent accidents:

- Store product not in use in locations out of reach of children and pets.
- Follow all application directions and USE RESTRICTIONS on this label. Apply bait only in underground runways of moles. Keep your pets out of treated areas and isolate treated areas using existing fencing, if present.
- 3. Dispose of product container, and unused or spoiled bait as specified on this label.

USE RESTRICTIONS: This product may be used only to control eastern moles (*Scalopus aquaticus*), starnose moles (*Condylura cristata*), hairy-tailed moles (*Parascalops breweri*), coast mole

(Scapanus orarius), broad-footed mole (S. latimanus) or townsend moles (S. townsendii) on lawns, turf areas, golf courses, and other non-food grassy areas. Bait must be applied directly into main underground tunnel or subsurface runways. Do not place bait above the ground surface.

SELECTION OF TREATMENT AREAS: The presence of moles may be indicated by a network of surface ridges in the turf or by a series of conical mounds of earth pushed up from deep burrows. Conical mounds may be tray the location of main underground runway.

BAITING: Prior to treatment, determine which burrow systems are active. Using a round-ended wood rod, such as a broomstick, probe ground in vicinity of conical mounds or surface ridges until main underground runway is detected by a sudden decrease in resistance against the probe. Mark open burrow systems and revisit them 2-3 days later. For deeper tunnels, open system with a shovel and leave open. Burrow systems that are active are likely to be plugged by moles.

Treat only active burrow systems. To treat a burrow system, locate main runways by probing. Remove the cap from the tip of the applicator syringe and turn dosing ring to mark indicating half ounce. Inject half of an ounce of bait (one-sixth of the contents of one syringe) through probe or shoveled opened hole at each bait placement location. Make six (6) such placements per burrow system. Cover holes made to enter turnel with sod and soil, but do not allow dirt to sift in to foul or cover bait

Check effects of treatment 4-5 days after bait application by opening and marking burrows in the manner used to check for initial activity. Return 2-3 days later and retreat all active burrows. Maximum application rate is 1 syringe/10,000 ft².

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **STORAGE:** Store in a cool dry place inaccessible to children and pets. Do not store used or partially used syringes.

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: Non-Household Use Disposal – Dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or if allowed by State and Local Authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of the smoke. IF EMPTY: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. IF PARTIALLY FILLED: Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

NOTICE OF WARRANTY: Manufacturer and Seller make no warranty of merchantability, fitness for any purpose, or otherwise, express or implied, concerning this product or its use, which extend beyond the statements on this label.

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ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated
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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 72500 - 2