### UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460



OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

March 10, 2005

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

Attention: Mr. Richard Poche

Subject: Kaput Rat and Mouse Bait

EPA Reg. No. 72500-6

RegWest E-Mail of March 3, 2005

Purpose

The purpose of the submission is to clarify the packaging of the product and to

revise its labeling.

**Package** 

The package sizes for this product are as follows:

- 1. 4oz (2, 2 oz place packs), homeowner size
- 2. 12 oz (6, 2 oz place packs), homeowner size
- 3. 12.5 lbs (100, 2 oz place packs), non-homeowner size
- 4. 25 lb (200, 2 oz place packs), non-homeowner size

Labeling

Each product has two types of labels: 1) an outer label on a paper box or plastic pail and 2) a separate label on each place pack.

The labeling submitted with the above letter, under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) is acceptable, provided you submit one (1) copy of final printed labeling to us, with the following changes, before you ship your product.

1. On your Outer Label, revise the "Storage and Disposal" section as indicated in Enclosure 1.

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### Labelingcontinued

2. On your Outer Label of the <u>4 oz size</u>, which only contains 2, 2 oz place packs, change the "RATS" directions to read:

**RATS:** Place at least 2 packs per placement. This package contains enough bait to kill 1 or 2 rats. Space ... cease.

3. On your Outer Label of the <u>12 oz size</u>, which only contains 6, 2 oz place packs, change the "RATS" directions to read:

**RATS:** Place at least 2-6 packs per placement. This package contains enough bait to kill 3 or 4 rats. Space ... cease.

### Existing stocks

Stocks of product with existing labels may be used for eighteen (18) months.

## Consequence for non-compliance

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

### Questions

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

Sincerely yours,



Daniel B. Peacock, Biologist Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch Registration Division (7504C)

### **Enclosure**

- 1. Guidance for "STORAGE AND DISPOSAL" Text, Kaput Rat and Mouse Bait, EPA Reg. No. 72500-6
- 2. Stamped label
- 3. Minimum Type Size for Final Printed Labels

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## Enclosure 1. GUIDANCE FOR "STORAGE AND DISPOSAL" TEXT Kaput Rat and Mouse Bait, EPA Reg. No. 72500-6

### A. Non-Homeowner Sizes (12.5 and 25 lb)

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL1

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

**STORAGE:** 

Storage in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** 

Wastes resulting from the use of this product maybe disposed of on

site or at an approved waste disposal facility

### **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:**

[For Plastic Containers]

Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in sanitary landfill, or incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

### [For Paper Box Containers]

Dispose of empty paper box in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

### B. Homeowner Sizes (4 oz and 12 oz)

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL<sup>1</sup>

STORAGE:

Store in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

If owners, Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if

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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Heading has same minimum type size as "KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN"

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### Sub-Label A: Box/Pail Outer Label

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### Kaput® Rat & Mouse Bait Place Pack

Kills Norway Rats, Roof Rats and House Mice First dead rats and mice will appear 4 to 5 days after feeding begins.

Active Ingredient
Warfarin, 3-(alpha-Acetonylbenzyl-4-hydroxycoumarin)
Other Ingredients

Total

0.025%
99.975%
100.000%

### Keep Out of Reach of Children CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed.
See back panel for additional precautionary statements.

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EPA Est. 72500-CO-1

with COMMENTS in EPA Letter Dated:

Net Weight: \_

{Unit Packaging}: 4 oz (2 packs x 2 oz.)

x 2 oz.)

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[12 oz. (6 packs x 2 oz.)]

[12.5 lbs. (100 packs x 2 ndz )] the Federal Insecticide, [25 lbs. (200 packs x 2 ndz)] the Federal Insecticide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide

Manufactured by registered under EPA Reg. No. Scimetrics Ltd. Corp. 72500-6

120 Commerce Drive Unit 4 Ft. Collins, CO 80524

### **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, pets or other non-target animals to rodenticides. To help prevent accidents:

- 1. Store product no in use in a location out of reach of children and pets.
- 2. Apply bait in location out of reach of children, pets, domestic animals and non-target wildlife, OR in tamper-resistant bait stations. These stations must be resistant to destruction by dogs and children under six year of age, and must be used in a manner that prevents such children from reaching into bait compartments and obtaining bait. If bait can be shaken from stations when they are lifted, units must be secured or otherwise immobilized. Even stronger bait stations are needed in areas open to hoofed livestock, raccoons, bears, other potentially destructive animals or in areas prone to vandalism.
- 3. Dispose of product container, unused, spoiled and unconsumed bait as specified on this label.

**USE RESTRICTIONS:** This product may be used to control Norway Rats, Roof Rats, and House Mice. Do not place bait in areas where there is a possibility of contaminating food or surfaces that come into contact with food.

**URBAN AREAS:** This product may be used in and around homes, and industrial, commercial and public buildings. This product may also be used in transport vehicles (ships, trains, aircraft) and in and around related port or terminal buildings. Applications "around" buildings must be made in tamper-resistant bait stations placed along walls or other external parts of buildings (e.g. doorways, ramps, loading docks) where rats or mice might seek to gain entrance.

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NON-URBAN AREAS: In non-urban areas, this product may be used in and around homes and agricultural buildings.

**SELECTION OF TREATMENT AREAS**: Determine areas where rats or mice will most likely find and consume bait. Generally, these are along walls, by gnawed openings, in corners and concealed places, between floors or walls, or in locations where rodents or their signs have been seen. Remove as much alternative food as possible.

#### APPLICATION DIRECTIONS:

Rats: Place at least 2-8 packs per placement. Space placements at 15-30 foot intervals. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for 10 days or until signs of rat activity cease.

Mice: Place one pack per placement. Space placements at 8-12 foot intervals. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for 15 days or until signs of mouse activity cease.

Rats and Mice: Replace contaminated or spoiled bait immediately. Collect and dispose of all visible dead animals and leftover bait properly. To discourage reinfestation, limit sources of rodent food, water and harborage as much as possible. If reinfestation occurs, repeat treatment. For a continuous infestation, set up permanent bait stations and replenish bait as needed.

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### Storage and Disposal

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

**Storage:** Store in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets. **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 of 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals CAUTION

Keep away from humans, domestic animals and pets. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin because this material may reduce the clotting ability of blood and cause bleeding. Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. Wash arms, hands and face with soap and water after applying and before eating or smoking.

#### First Aid

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

If swallowed, call a poison control center, doctor or 1-800-858-7378 for immediate 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.

Notice to Physician or Veterinarian

This material may reduce the clotting ability of blood and cause bleeding. If ingested, administer Vitamin K-1 intramuscularly or orally. Repeat as necessary based on monitoring of prothrombin times.

### **Environmental Hazards**

This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds.

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Net Weight: 2 oz. (56 grams)

Manufactured by: Scimetrics Ltd. Corp 120 Commerce Drive Unit 4 Ft. Collins, CO 80524

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Read the entire label on the outer package before using this product. It is illegal to sell these place packs individually.

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