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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY  
AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

6-3-13

Robert Pond  
Pro Products  
36 Split Rock Road  
Mahopac, NY 1054

Subject: Amended Reregistration Label  
Product Name: Provent-a-mite  
EPA Registration Number: 73617-1

Dear Mr. Pond:

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all of the information submitted with your application to support the reregistration of the above referenced product in connection with the permethrin RED(s), and has concluded that your submission is acceptable.

NOTE: This product is not being reregistered under sections 3(c)5 and 4(g) of FIFRA at this time.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on non-refillable containers. The code may appear either on the label or durably marked on the container itself, and can be added by non-notification per PRN 98-10.

Please note that the record for this product currently contains the Confidential Statements of Formulation (CSFs) listed below. Any previously dated CSFs are superseded.

- Basic CSF, dated 2-18-13

A copy of your label stamped "Accepted" is enclosed for the subject product. Products shipped after 12 months from the date of this amendment or the next printing of the label whichever occurs first, must bear the new revised label. Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended label constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e).

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If you have any questions about this letter, please contact either Erik Kraft at (703-308-9358) or via email at [Kraft.Erik@epa.gov](mailto:Kraft.Erik@epa.gov) or Richard J. Gebken at (703) 305-6701 or via e-mail at [Gebken.Richard@epa.gov](mailto:Gebken.Richard@epa.gov).

Sincerely yours,



Richard J. Gebken  
Product Manager (10)  
Insecticide Branch  
Registration Division (7504P)

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. **SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING.** Restrictions: Before spraying, remove amphibians, water and any desirable or food arachnids or insects from the vicinity. Vapors will kill spiders and insects. Do not use within the vicinity of any arachnids or amphibians. Do not use until these specimens are removed to another location. Do not apply to heating devices or heating device covers. **Do not allow reptile to breath vapors.** Do not use in bare cages without substrate. Treated substrate/enclosure will kill any feed insects introduced for at least 2 weeks. Treat or feed any insectivores in a separate cage. Do not spray directly in/on eyes, mouth or genitalia of pets. For direct application to tortoises only. Do not apply directly on snakes, lizards or other reptiles. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact adults, children, or pets (except tortoises), either directly or through drift. Remove pets, birds, and cover fish aquariums before spraying. Except when [applying to tortoises], do not allow adults or pets to enter the treated area until sprays have dried or vapors, mists, and aerosols have dispersed and the treated area has been thoroughly ventilated. Not for broadcast use on indoor residential surfaces. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs.

**To kill mites and ticks in snake, lizard and tortoise cages or enclosures:** Spray substrate, holding can 12" to 15" from surface being treated, at the rate of 1 second per ft<sup>2</sup>. Ventilate the enclosure well until spray has completely dried and all vapors have dissipated. Replace reptile and water. Reapply this product every two to four weeks to prevent future reinfestations.

**To Treat Tortoises Only:** Hold can a few inches from skin. Spray directly into each leg opening with two "1" second bursts for large tortoises [plastron (the underneath) length of 6 inches or more] and one "1" second burst for small tortoises [plastron length of under 6 inches]. Avoid spraying eyes and genitalia areas. Do not exceed recommended dosage.

**CONTAINER STORAGE AND CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Storage: Store in a cool, dry area, inaccessible to children and away from heat and open flame. **Disposal:** Do Not Puncture or Incinerate! Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **If empty:** Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**FIRST AID: 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 treatment advice.  
**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 a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment information.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** This pesticide is extremely toxic to aquatic organisms, including fish and invertebrates. Do not apply directly to or near water. Drift and run-off may be hazardous to fish in water adjacent to treated areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment, washwater, or rinsate.

**PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS:** Contents under pressure. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Exposure to temperatures above 130°F (54°C) may cause bursting.

## Pro Products

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# Provent -a- mite™

Kills mites and ticks  
that feed on tortoises and in lizard  
and snake enclosures

EFFECTIVE • EASY TO USE

Use preventatively to control mites & ticks that  
may carry disease

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:** Permethrin\* ..... 0.5%  
\*(3-phenoxyphenyl) methyl (+) cis/trans 3-(2,2-  
dichloroethenyl)2,2-dimethylcyclopropane -  
carboxylate Cis/Trans ratio: min 35% (+)cis and  
max. 65% (+) trans.  
**OTHER INGREDIENTS:** ..... 99.50%  
TOTAL: ... 100.00%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION  
See back panel for additional precautions

Net Contents: 6 oz (170.1 grams)  
**ACCEPTED**  
6-3-13  
Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act,  
as amended, for the pesticide  
registered under  
EPA Reg. No. 73617-1