

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Office of Pesticide Programs Antimicrobials Division 7510C 1200 Pennsylvania Amenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

Reregistration

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

<u>x</u> Registration

EPA Reg. Number:

CT of Insuance:

74320-3

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Froduct:

RB-56 Chlor

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

RBF International Ltd.

780 Rue Nobel

Saint Antoine Des Laurentides

Quebec, Candada J7Z 7A3

Mote: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

- 1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/ reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.
- 2. Make the following label changes before you release the product for shipment:
 - a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 74320-3".
 - b. Align the "Ingredient Statement" to read:

ACTIVE INGREDIENT
Sodium Dichloro-s-triazinetrione..... 99.5%
INERT INGREDIENTS..... 0.5%
TOTAL 100.0%

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Signature of Approving Official:

Date

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- c. Under the "Direction for Use Shock Treatment" make the following changes:
 - Revise the first sentence to read: The pool water should be superchlorinated or shocked every seven days or whenever the combine chlorine level is above 0.5 ppm (mg/L).
 - Under the second paragraph change the word "circulationg" to read "circulating".
 - Under the second paragraph revise the first sentence to read: "Add a sufficient amount of this product directly to the surface of circulating water to raise the available chlorine level to 5-6 ppm (mg/L), based on test kit readings".
 - Delete the word "is" after the word "chlorine".
- d. Under the heading "Maintenance Treatment" change "7.5 grams" to read "1.5 grams".
- e. Under the heading "Maintenance Treatment" add before the last sentence: "In addition, some oils, lotions, fragrances, cleaners, etc. may cause foaming or cloudy water as well as reduce the efficiency of this product."
- f. Under the heading "Winterizing" delete "an appropriate".
- 3. Submit two copies of the revised final printed label for the record.

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

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

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ACCEPTED with COMMENTS **EPA Letter Dated:**

RB-56 Chlor

OCT 1 6 2002 Active Ingredient: 99.5% Under the Federal Insecticide, Sodium Dichloro-s-triazinetrione Dihydrate.... Function and Rodenticide Act as

TOTAL 10 edistered under EPA Reg. No. Inert Ingredients: Provides 56% Available Chlorine

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

FIRST AID	
If in eyes:	 Hold eye open and rinse slowly with a steady, gentle stream of 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 physician for treatment advice.
If swallowed:	 Call a physician or poison control center immediately for treatment advice Drink promptly large quantities of water. DO NOT induce vomiting unless told to do so by poison control center or physician. Avoid alcohol. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If inhaled:	 Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably, mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or physician for treatment advice.
If on skin or : clothing	 Take off contaminated clothing. Wash skin with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or physician for treatment advice, if irritation persists.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.	

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NET CONTENTS: 50 lbs

Manufactured For

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARD TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

CORROSIVE: Causes irreversible eye damage. May be fatal if inhaled. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Do not breathe dust, vapor or spray mists. Irritating to nose and throat. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles, face shield or safety glasses. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board of Regional Office of the EPA.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARD: <u>Strong Oxidizing Agent</u>. Contact with water slowly liberates irritating and hazardous chlorine containing gases. Decomposes at temperatures above 464°F with liberation of harmful gases. When ignited, will burn with the evolution of chlorine and equally toxic gases.

Never add water to product. Always add product to large quantities of water. Use clean, dry utensils. Do not add this product to any dispensing device containing remnants of any other product. Such use may cause a violent reaction leading to fire or explosion. Contamination with moisture, organic material, or other chemicals may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases, and possible fire and explosion.

IN CASE OF FIRE OR SMOKE: Call the fire department. Do not attempt to extinguish the fire without a self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Do not let the fire burn. Flood with copious amounts of water. Do not use ABC or other dry chemical extinguishers since there is the potential for a violent reaction.

IN CASE OF CONTAMINATION OR DECOMPOSITION: Do not reseal container. Follow disposal instructions on label.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

SWIMMING POOL APPLICATIONS

This product is intended for use in controlling bacteria in swimming pools and spas. This product should be added directly to the surface of circulating water according to the directions.

Reentry into treated swimming pools or spas is prohibited above levels of 5 ppm of chlorine.

Start Up

Before using this product, make sure that the filtration system is clean and operating properly. Adjust the pH of the water to range of 7.2-7.6. using shitable products and a reliable test kit. Adjust the alkalinity of the water to a minimum of 125 ppm (mg/L), based on the test kit reading.

Add a sufficient amount of this product directly to the surface of circulating water to raise the free chlorine level in the water to 5-6 ppm (mg/L), based on the test kit reading. The addition of 10 ounces of this product for each 10,000 gallons of water (7.5 grams per 1,000 liters) will provide approximately 5 ppm (mg/L) of available chlorine.

Shock Treatment

Superchlorinating or shocking is necessary whenever the combined chlorine level is above 0.5 ppm (mg/L). Combine chlorine is the difference between total and free chlorine, as measured by a suitable test kit.

Add a sufficient amount of this product directly to the surface of circulationg to raise the free chlorine level in the water to 5-6 ppm (mg/L) based on the test kit reading. The addition of 10 ounces of this product for each 10,000 gallons of water (7.5 grams per 1,000 liters) will provide 5 ppm (mg/L) of available chlorine. If the combined chlorine reading is not below 0.5 ppm (mg/L) and the water has been restored to its normal clarity, repeat the shock treatment described above.

Do not enter until free available chlorine is reading is below 3 ppm (mg/L), combined chlorine is below 0.5 ppm (mg/L) and the water is restored to its normal clarity.

Maintenance Treatment

Add this product daily or as needed to maintain the free chlorine residual in the water at 1-3 ppm (mg/L) as indicated by a reliable test kit. The addition of 2 ounces of this product per 10,000 galllons of water (7.5 grams per 1,000 liters) will provide about 1 ppm (mg/L) of available chlorine. Weather and usage effect sanitizer levels. Maintain the pH at 7.2-7.6 and the alkalinity at a minimum of 125 ppm (mg/L).

When the total dissolved solid (TDS) reaches 3000 ppm (mg/L) or whenever the water becomes difficult to manage, the water should be drained and fresh water added to the pool.

<u>Winterizing</u> - Thoroughly clean and vacuum the pool. While the water is still clear and clean, add 16 ounces of an appropriate this product for each 10,000 gallons of water (12 grams per 1,000 liters), while the filtration system is running. This will increase the available chlorine by approximately 8 ppm (mg/L). Cover pool, prepare heater, filter and heater components for winter by following manufacturers' instructions.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Keep material dry and in dry area. Store in original container where temperatures do not exceed 125°F (52°C) for 24 hours. Keep container tightly closed.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. The preferred disposal methods are incineration or chemical treatment in accordance with Federal, State, and Local regulations.

Do not put product, spilled product, or filled or partially filled containers into the trash or waste compactor. Contact with incompatible materials could cause a reaction and fire. DO NOT transport wet or damp material.

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CONTAINER DISPOSAL:

BULK BAG: Completely empty 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.

BULK BIN: Return empty bulk bin for reuse. Do not remove of deface labels. Do not vacuum, wash or clean inside of bin.

FIBER DRUM: Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to locsen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration as allowed by State and local authorities. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, dispose of in the same manner.

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

HOUSEHOLD CONTAINERS: Do not reuse container. Rinse thoroughly before discarding in trash.

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