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PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Subject: **Woodfume®**  
EPA Registration Number: 75341-2  
Application Dated: August 6, 2009  
Receipt Date: August 7, 2009

Dear Ms. Muchow:

The following amendment, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable.

**Proposed Amendment**

Revised container and disposal statement and directions for use per the RED

**General Comment**

A stamped label is enclosed for your record.

Should you have further questions concerning this letter, please contact me by telephone at (703) 308-6427 or by e-mail at [carlisle.sharon@epa.gov](mailto:carlisle.sharon@epa.gov) or Lisa McKelvin by telephone at (703) 308-7496 or by email at [mckelvin.lisa@epa.gov](mailto:mckelvin.lisa@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Stamped labeling

**ACCEPTED**

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and  
Rodenticide Act as amended, for the  
pesticide registration under  
EPA Reg. No. 75341-2

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
HAZARDS TO HUMANS &  
DOMESTIC ANIMALS  
DANGER  
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

CORROSIVE. Causes skin damage. May be fatal if absorbed through skin. Causes skin and eye irritation. Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Do not get on skin, in eyes or on clothing. Wear protective clothing and rubber gloves. Avoid breathing vapors or spray mist. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This product is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not apply where runoff is likely to occur. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of waste. Apply this product only as specified on the label.  
In case of Emergency-Immediately call (24 hours) (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.  
**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Do not store below 0°F. Product crystallizes at lower temperatures. Warm or store at higher temperatures and mix to redissolve crystals and assure uniformity before use.  
**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.  
**CONTAINER HANDLING:** *Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available* or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

**USE PRECAUTIONS**

**READ ALL DIRECTIONS BEFORE USING.** Apply this product only as specified on this label. Keep children and pets away from treated wood. Do not store near feed or food. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. This product is toxic to fish. Apply only as specified on this label.

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**Osmose. WOODFUME®**

A Fumigant for Controlling Decay  
and Insects in Wood Poles

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Sodium methylidithiocarbamate (Anhydrous).....32.7%  
INERT INGREDIENT:..... 67.3%  
\*Contains 3.18 lbs. active ingredient per gallon TOTAL 100.0%

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

**DANGER**

**READ ENTIRE LABEL FOR PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

WOODFUME is a fumigant solution. When used as directed, it will arrest internal decay present in poles, piling and similar large timber members. During sterilization of the treated area, a fungitoxic residue is deposited in the cells of the wood. This residue is effective for an indefinite period. Timber known to have internal decay should be scheduled for treatment before they have decayed to the point where replacement is necessary.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

*For remedial treatment of wooden poles/timbers:*

1. *Plug the pre-drilled holes immediately after application;*
2. *Do not treat structures/beams indoors;*
3. *Do not drill an application hole through seasoning checks to apply product. If the hole intersects a check, plug the hole and drill another. If more than 2 treatment holes intersect an internal void or rot pocket, redrill the holes farther up the pole into relatively solid wood.*

Large structural timbers have so many different end uses that the groundline area of a 40" circumference standing pole is taken as a guide and example for application of this product.

WOODFUME may be applied to any section of a pole or timber where internal decay is suspected. For interior decay drill an adequate number of holes at a 45° angle downward to a length of approximately 2 1/2 times the radius of the wood. The first hole should be at the groundline and succeeding holes approximately 6-8" higher and 90° rotated from the next lower hole.

Pour equal amounts of the fumigant into all holes. The amount of fumigant to be used per pole is based on the pole circumference at groundline and in accordance with the table below.

Circumference: 22-39 WOODFUME PLUS: 1 pint  
Circumference: 40-65 WOODFUME PLUS: 2 pints

For other types of structural members drill an adequate number of holes, sufficiently spaced and of sufficient dimensions to allow for proper distribution of product.

Plug holes with treated wood plugs, using the precaution of wearing safety goggles to avoid splashing any of the liquid into the eyes.

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DISTRIBUTED BY  
**OSMOSE UTILITIES SERVICES, INC.**  
BUFFALO, NY 14209  
NET CONTENTS: 1 gallon

**FIRST AID**

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 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.
If swallowed	Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have a 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.
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.	

**NOTICE - READ CAREFULLY**

**CONDITIONS OF SALE:** Osmose offer(s) this product for sale subject to, and buyer and all users are deemed to have accepted, the following conditions of sale and warranty which may only be varied by written agreement of a duly authorized representative of Osmose.

**WARRANTY LIMITATION:** Osmose warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the directions for use on the label subject to the inherent risks referred to below. Osmose makes no other express warranties; THERE IS NO IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY and there are no warranties which extend beyond the description on the label hereof.

**INHERENT RISKS:** The directions for use on this product are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks associated with use. Buyer assumes all risks associated with use or application of this product contrary to label instructions or resulting from extraordinary weather conditions.

**LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:** In no case shall Osmose be liable for special, indirect, or consequential damages resulting from the use or handling of this product and no claim of any kind shall be greater in amount than the purchase price of the product in respect of which such damages are claimed.

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