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## NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

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Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

EPA Reg.

Date of Issuance:

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January 31, 2008

Term of Issuance:

## Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Pro Tabs

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Par Enterprises DBA Texas Pool Chemicals 4333 East Sam Houston Parkway North Houston, TX. 77015

Note: 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 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 re-registration of your product under FIFRA section 4.
- 2. Change EPA File Symbol 83921-E to EPA Reg. No. 83921-2.
- 3. Submit one copy of the final printed label prior to releasing this product for sale.

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.

Signature of Approving Official:

Date:

Emily H. Mitchell

**Product Manager 32** 

Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

January 31, 2008

# **Pro Tabs**3" Calcium Hypochlorite Tablets

Active Ingredient:	
Calcium Hypochlorite (CAS No.	7778-54-3)65%
Other Ingredients	35%
Total	
*minimum 65% available chlorine	

Net Weight 100 lbs (45.5 kg)

EPA Reg. No. 83921-E EPA Est. No. 083921-TX-001

Manufactured for: Texas Pool Chemicals Houston, TX 1-888-222-2225

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# Keep Out of Reach of Children DANGER First Aid

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 on Skin or Clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Immediately rinse skin with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. If Swallowed: Immediately call a poison control center or doctor for 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. 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 by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further 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.

Note to Physician: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

See additional precautions on back panel.

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#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

# It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Swimming Pool Water Disinfection

For a new pool or spring start-up, superchlorinate with two to three 7 oz. tablets of this product for each 10,000 gallons of water to yield 5 to 10 ppm available chlorine by weight. Check the level of available chlorine with a test kit. Adjust and maintain pool water pH to between 7.2 to 7.6. Adjust and maintain the alkalinity of the pool to between 50 to 100 ppm.

To maintain the pool, add manually or by a feeder device, one 7 oz. tablet of this product for each 10,000 gallons of water to yield an available chlorine residual between 0.6 to 1.0 ppm by weight. In stabilized pools maintain a residual of 1.0 to 1.5 ppm available chlorine. Test the pH, available chlorine residual and alkalinity of the water frequently with appropriate test kits. Frequency of water treatment will depend upon temperature and number of swimmers.

Every 7 days, or as necessary, superchlorinate the pool with two to three 7 oz. tablets of this product for each 10,000 gallons of water to yield 5 to 10 ppm available chlorine by weight. Check the level of available chlorine with a test kit. Do not reenter pool until the chlorine residual is between 1.0 to 3.0 ppm.

At the end of the swimming pool season or when water is to be drained from the pool, chlorine must be allowed to dissipate from treated pool water before discharge. Do not chlorinate the pool within 24 hours prior to discharge.

## **Winterizing Pools**

While water is still clear and clean, apply one 7 oz. tablet of this product per 1,000 gallons, while filter is running to obtain a 3.0 ppm available chlorine residual, as determined by a suitable test kit. Cover pool, prepare heater, filter, and heater components for winter by following manufacturers' instructions.

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## Storage and Disposal

Do not contaminate food or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment

Storage: Keep this product dry in a tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat or open flame. In case of decomposition, isolate container if possible and flood area with large amounts of water to dissolve all material before discarding this container. 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.

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans & Domestic Animals

**DANGER**: Highly corrosive Causes skin and eye damage. May be fatal if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling this product. Irritating to nose and throat. Avoid breathing dust. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### **Environmental Hazards**

This product 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 sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

## Physical or Chemical Hazards

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT. Mix only with 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 matter or other chemicals will start a chemical reaction and generate heat, chlorine gas (and possible fire and

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explosion). In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reseal container. If possible, isolate container in open air or wellventilated area. Flood area with large volumes of water, if necessary.

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