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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (7505P)
Ariel Rios Building
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:
85688-1

Date of Issuance:
AUG 26 2009

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:
 Registration
 Reregistration
(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance: Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:
Copper Shield

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Agent:
Attn: Michael Kelley
Toxcel LLC
P.O. Box 363
7140 Heritage Village Plaza
Gainesville, VA 20156

Registrant:
Rain Bird Corporation
970 West Sierra Madre Avenue
Azusa, CA 91702-1873

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 Section 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. Based on the concluding remarks, in the enclosed "Product Chemistry Review of the EP, Copper Shield," made by Linda Kutney, a product chemist, in the Technical Review Branch, both storage stability (GLN 830.6317) and corrosion (GLN 830.6320) requirements for the subject product have been fully considered, and are hereby waived.

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

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

Enclosures

Signature of Approving Official:

Tony Kish
Product Manager, Team 22
Fungicide Branch
Registration Division (7505P)

Date:

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Copper Shield™

Inhibits root growth in emitters of subsurface irrigation systems.

Active Ingredient:	
Copper, metallic	99.9%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	0.1%
Total	100%

**Keep out of Reach of Children
Caution**

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Pesticide Storage

Copper should be stored in a cool, dry place.

Pesticide Disposal

Recovery should be maximized for reuse or recycling.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Copper Shield™ utilizes the capability of copper to inhibit root growth to protect subsurface irrigation emitters from root incursion that can result in an unacceptable decrement, or loss, of that subsurface irrigation emitter's function. Use rate varies depending on the surface area and design of the subsurface irrigation system requiring protection. For subsurface irrigation systems associated with in-ground field use, the total application rate must not result in release of more than 20 pounds of copper per acre per year. Units of this product can be custom fabricated to meet individual article design and root incursion protection requirements. Use of such a fabrication is restricted to the affixed emitter, where the copper chip is located, within the plastic irrigation hose.

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Net Contents: 11 lbs.

Lot No. _____

