



**OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION**

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September 27, 2024

Don O'Shaughnessy  
Agent  
Papa Richter's Roach Ridder  
8630 Rolling Rock Lane  
Dallas, TX 75238

Subject: Label Amendment - Registration Review Mitigation for BORIC ACID / SODIUM SALTS  
Product Name: PAPA RICHTER'S ROACH RIDDER  
EPA Registration Number: 86314-1  
Application Date: June 10, 2022; June 14, 2022; and April 30, 2024  
Decision Number: 585441

Dear Don O'Shaughnessy:

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all the information submitted with your application to support the Registration Review of the above referenced product in connection with the BORIC ACID / SODIUM SALTS Interim Decision, and has concluded that your submission is acceptable. The label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA, as amended, is acceptable.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling and must be used at your next label printing. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 12 months from the date of this letter. After 12 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact DeMariah Koger by phone at (202)-566-2288, or via email at [Koger.demariah@epa.gov](mailto:Koger.demariah@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Linda Arrington', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Linda Arrington, Branch Chief  
Risk Management and Implementation Branch 4  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division  
Office of Pesticide Programs

ENCLOSURE: Stamped label

BORIC ACID / SODIUM SALTS	GROUP:	8D	INSECITICDE
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# PAPA RICHTER'S ROACH RIDDER

## [alternate brand name **Best Bug Bait**]

*Insecticide Bait Stations for Control of German Cockroaches, Silverfish, and Listed Indoor Ants*

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:  
Orthoboric Acid ..... 27% (by wt.)

OTHER INGREDIENTS:..... 73% (by wt.)

**Total:** ..... **100.0% (by wt.)**

One bag (10 bait stations) treats approximately 1000 square feet

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

## CAUTION

**READ THE ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USING**

**EPA Reg. No.:** 86314 - 1

**EPA Est. No.:** 86314 - TX - 1

**Net Contents:** 1.67 ounces in 10 bait stations

Manufactured by:  
Best Bug Bait  
8630 Rolling Rock Lane  
Dallas, TX 75238

FIRST AID	
<b>If swallowed</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> <li>• Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>• Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>• Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
<b>If on skin</b>	<p>Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
Have the product label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling, and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.

**ACCEPTED**

Sep 27, 2024

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide  
and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the  
pesticide registered under  
EPA Reg. No. 86314-1

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

### Product Information

BEST BUG BAIT contains Orthoboric acid, which does not provide rapid knockdown or rapid kill of German Cockroaches. German Cockroaches are attracted to feed on the bait, and may return to nesting areas before they die. Good control of roach populations requires that BEST BUG BAIT be used for a period of several weeks or months along with good hygiene practices. BEST BUG BAIT is packaged in convenient bait stations with sticky backs to aid in placement.

### Resistance Management

For resistance management, Best Bug Bait contains a Group 8D insecticide. Any insect population may contain individuals naturally resistant to Best Bug Bait, and other Group 8 insecticides/acaricides. The resistant individuals may dominate the insect/mite population if this group of insecticides/acaricides are used repeatedly in the same fields. Appropriate resistance-management strategies should be followed.

To delay insecticide/acaricide resistance, take the following steps:

Rotate the use of Best Bug Bait or other Group 8D insecticides/acaricides periodically with different insect control products that control the same pests.

### Insects Controlled

BEST BUG BAIT kills German cockroaches, silverfish, and indoor ants **except fire ants, harvester ants, pharaoh ants, and carpenter ants.**

### Application Directions

BEST BUG BAIT may be used in residential houses, multi-family, commercial, industrial, municipal, institutional, research, recreational, health care, educational, hospitality, and agricultural buildings, and other structures including garages, transport vehicles, sewers, animal rearing establishments, and food handling and food processing establishments.

Use of this product to control bedbugs is prohibited.

The sticky dot may mar some painted surfaces. Avoid placement on visible painted surfaces.

To place bait stations, remove BEST BUG BAIT Caps from the backing paper. Stick the cap in an out-of-the way location, such as behind refrigerators, on the backs of drawers, and back corners of cabinets. Do not remove backing paper if sliding under refrigerators or ranges. **DO NOT PLACE CAPS WHERE THEY WILL BE ACCESSIBLE TO PETS OR CHILDREN.**

### Food Areas:

Food areas include areas for receiving, packaging (canning, bottling, wrapping, boxing), storage, edible waste storage, and enclosed processing systems (mills, dairies, syrup, edible oils). Food areas may also include food serving areas.

**DO NOT PLACE CAPS WHERE CONTACT WITH FOOD OR FOOD SERVING VESSELS OR UTENSILS MAY OCCUR.**

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a dry place in the original packaging. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

### DISPOSAL

Do not re-use this container. Empty bags may be placed in trash.

## WARRANTY STATEMENT

**IMPORTANT:**

Read the entire Label including this disclaimer, Risks of Using this product, Limited Warranty, and Limitation of Liability before using this product.

BEST BUG BAIT warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label thereof and is reasonably fit for purposes stated on such label only when used in accordance with directions under normal use conditions. To the extent consistent with applicable law, BEST BUG BAIT shall in no event be liable for consequential, special, or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. All such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer. In addition to the foregoing, no purchaser of this product (other than an end user) shall be entitled to any reimbursement for any loss suffered as a result of any suspension or cancellation of the registration for this product by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Except, as expressly provided herein, BEST BUG BAIT makes no warranties, guarantees, or representations of any kind, either expressed or implied, or by usage of trade, statutory or otherwise, with regard to the product sold, including, but not limited to merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, use or eligibility of the product for any particular trade usage. The exclusive remedy of any buyer or user of this product for any and all losses, injuries, or damage resulting from or in any way arising from the use, handling, or application of this product, whether in contract, warranty, tort, negligence, strict liability, or otherwise, shall be damages not exceeding the purchase price paid for this product or, BEST BUG BAIT election, the replacement of this product.