



**OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

June 20, 2025

**SENT BY EMAIL**

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West Chester PA, 19382

Subject: Labeling Notification per Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 - Revision to add optional marketing language and additional trademarks.  
Product Name: Patio EssentialsS Clitronella Candle  
Admin Number: 90266-1  
EPA Receipt Date: 05/28/2025  
Action Case Number: 00658835

Dear Michele Lussos M.S.:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency is in receipt of your application for notification under Pesticide Registration Notice 98-10 for the above referenced product. The EPA has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10.

The labeling submitted with this application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to your 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 EPA. If the website is false or misleading, the product will be considered to be misbranded and sale or distribution of the product is unlawful under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR § 156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements the 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 EPA find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains statements or claims substantially differing from statements or claims made in connection with obtaining a FIFRA section 3 registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.

If you have questions, please contact Shanda Bennett via email at [bennett.shanda@epa.gov](mailto:bennett.shanda@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James Parker". The script is elegant and cursive, with the first letters of "James" and "Parker" being capitalized and prominent.

James Parker, Team Leader  
BPB, BPPD  
Office of Pesticide Programs

**NOTIFICATION**

90266-1

The applicant has certified that no changes, other than those reported to the Agency have been made to the labeling. The Agency acknowledges this notification by letter dated:

06/20/2025

**(Front Panel)**

## Patio Essentials® Citronella Candle

(Alternate Brand Names: Alternate brand names are brand name listed below plus “Citronella Candle”)

[[Home Essentials Brands LLC] [Patio Essentials®] (AND/OR) [Mossy Oak®] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [Home Story™] Citronella Candle];  
[[Menard, Inc.] [Enchanted Garden™] [Citronella Candle]];  
[[Wal-Mart Stores Inc.] (AND/OR) [Mainstays™] (AND/OR) [Better Homes & Gardens®] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [The Pioneer Woman®] Citronella Candle];  
[[Walmart Inc.] (AND/OR) [Mainstays™] (AND/OR) [Better Homes & Gardens®] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [The Pioneer Woman®] Citronella Candle];  
[[Lowe’s] [Essentials] (AND/OR) [Garden Treasures™] AND/OR [Allen + Roth™] Citronella Candle] [Distributed by Lowe’s Home Centers LLC ]];  
[[Big Lots Stores, Inc.] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [ Broyhill® ] Citronella Candle];  
[[The Kroger Co. of Michigan] (AND/OR) [HD Designs Outdoors™] Citronella Candle] [Distributed by Inter-American Products];  
[[Target] (AND/OR) [Sun Squad™] (OR)[Threshold™] (OR) [StudioMcGee™] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [Project 62™] Citronella Candle]] (AND/OR) [Opalhouse™] Citronella Candle]] (AND/OR) [Smith & Hawken™] Citronella Candles];  
[[Far East Brokers and Consultants, Inc.] (AND/OR) [Leisure Ways®] (AND/OR) [Kingsford®] Citronella Candle];  
[[Family Dollar] (AND/OR) [Outdoors by Design®] Citronella Candle] [Distributed by Midwood Brands, LLC];  
[[Stansport] [Stansport®] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [Shine On] Citronella Candle]];  
[[Home Depot] [Stylewell™] Citronella Candle]];  
[The Kroger Co.] (AND/OR) [[HD DESIGNS™] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [Sewing Down South™] Citronella Candle] (AND/OR) [[Sewing Down South™ for HD Designs™] Citronella Candle].

(Optional and alternate fragrances/scents will be one of the following descriptors and may or may not include “Scent” OR “Fragrance” following the descriptor:)

- |                         |                          |                      |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| • [Mango Citron         | • French Oak             | • Tropical Breeze    |
| • Mango                 | • Oak Leaf               | • Sea Breeze         |
| • Mango Citrus          | • Mint [Leaf] Eucalyptus | • Ocean Breeze       |
| • Citrus                | • Lavender               | • Seaside Breeze     |
| • Desert Blooms         | • By the Fire            | • Tropical Getaway   |
| • Desert Blossoms       | • Fireside               | • Tropical Paradise  |
| • Cactus Blossom        | • Jasmine Rain           | • Autumn Harvest     |
| • Desert Oasis          | • Warm Mango Woods       | • Autumn Evening     |
| • Lemon Peel [and] [&]  | • Citrus Garden          | • Summer Evening     |
| Lavender                | • Citrus Blossom         | • Summer Meadow      |
| • Lemon [and] [&]       | • Citrus Orchard         | • Summer Breeze      |
| Lavender                | • Evening Woods          | • Summer Fresh       |
| • Lavender Citron       | • Evening Forest         | • Enchanted Garden   |
| • Lavender Citrus       | • Dusky Woods            | • Enchanted Forest   |
| • Blue Cedar Lavender   | • Dusky Forest           | • Enchanted Meadow   |
| • Cedarwood [and] [&]   | • Evergreen Woods        | • Wildflower         |
| Lavender                | • Evening Forest         | • Pine               |
| • Lavender and [&] Pine | • Alpine Woods           | • Evergreen          |
| • Jasmine               | • Alpine Forest          | • Field of Flowers   |
| • Silk Jasmine          | • Fresh Forest           | • Flower Fields      |
| • Jasmine Silk          |                          | [Scent] [Fragrance]] |
| • Agarwood and Cypress  |                          |                      |
| • Cypress               |                          |                      |

(Front Panel, continued)

## Patio Essentials® Citronella Candle

### Active Ingredient:

· Citronella Oil\* .....3.0%

Inert Ingredients.....97.0%

Total 100.0%

\*Product contains citronellal at no less than 1.0% of the product by weight.

## CAUTION KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

(One or more of the following will appear on front panel:)

[Stop. Read entire label before use. Remove before burning. For outdoor use only]

[See [inside panel] [attached hangtag] [accompanying circular] [accompanying leaflet] [outer carton] [bottom label] [attached sticker] [enclosure] [back panel] for additional directions and precautions.] [Peel Here] [Easy Peel] [For outdoor use only] [Remove before burning]

NET WT. \_\_oz. (\_\_ g) [\_\_ in dia. x \_\_ in ht. (\_\_ cm x \_\_ cm)]

Manufactured for:  
Home Essentials Brands, LLC  
3070 Ranchview Land N  
Plymouth, MN 55447

(When "Manufactured for: Home Essentials Brands, LLC..." does not appear on final printed label, one of the following will be listed :)

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800-697-2448]

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Lowe's Home Centers LLC  
1000 Lowe's Blvd.  
Mooresville, NC 28117]

[Distributed by:  
The Kroger Co.  
1014 Vine St.  
Cincinnati, OH 45202]

**EPA Reg. No. 90266-1**

**EPA Est. No.**

[Batch Code/Lot No. and SKU# and UPC may appear on label for immediate container]

(Optional and alternate Marketing Statements, may appear on any panel)

- [[SPECIAL VALUE] [BUY TWO, GET ONE FREE] [TWIN PACK] [VALUE PACK] [MULTI-PACK] [2 PK] [2 Pack] [12 Pack] [3 Pack] [3 PC] [6 Pack][6PC]]
- [Get social with us! Share a photo of your [Patio Essentials] (Note: or any other accepted listed brand names) product on Instagram, Facebook or Twitter, tag us [@patioessentials and use our #youryardyourway hashtag] (Note: or other customer handles and hashtags such as:) @walmart, #walmart, @target, #targetstyle, (#)(@)lowes, (#)(@)kroger, (#)(@)menards, (#)(@)homedepot (#)(@)walgreens, (#)(@)costco, (#)(@)BedBath&Beyond, (#)(@)aldi, (#)(@)biglots) so we can see how great it looks in your yard!]
- [[Contact us at] [patio-essentials.com] [info@patio-essentials.com]]
- [[Contact us at] [home-essentials.com] [info@home-essentials.com]]
- [The and stylish way to repel mosquitoes in your yard]
- [Contains 3% [plant-based] citronella [essential] oil [which has proven efficacy to repel mosquitoes]]
- [Made with [plant-based] essential oil]  
[Made with [plant-based] citronella [essential] oil]
- [Reduce annoyance from [pesky] mosquitoes]
- [Citronella oil acts as a mosquito repellent, helping you create an inviting outdoor space.]
- [For best results, place several around your patio to repel mosquitoes.]
- [With its mosquito repellency and [functional] (Note: or any other accepted descriptor from the below list) design, the (Note: plus any listed accepted brand name Citronella Candle ) [with Mango Citron [Scent] [Fragrance](Note: or any other accepted scent descriptors from above list) will bring comfort to any outdoor space.]
- [For best results, use multiple candles]
- [This [30-ounce] (Note: or other candle sizes) candle burns for up to [50] hours (Note: burn time depends on candle size), and the [three wicks] (Note: number of wicks varies) illuminate your yard with ample candlelight.]
- [[Two[2]-wick], [Three[3]-wick], [Triple-wick], Five[5]-wick], Thirteen[13]-wick], [Multi-wick]] (Note: Depends on size of candle)
- [Long-lasting burn]
- [Long Burn Time]
- [Long Burning Time]
- [Cotton wick]
- [Three[3] cotton wicks]
- [Create a barrier of defense]
- [Create a perimeter]
- [Burns up to [1 – 240] (Note: varies depending on the size of candle.) hours]

- [Creating innovative, stylish outdoor decor by providing quality products for everyone and every style.]
- (Alternate and optional Container descriptions) [[Metal] [Bucket] [Natural] [Stone] [Age] [Pot] [Faux] [Terracotta] [Flower] [Pot] [Glass] [Holder] [Lantern] [Mason Jar] [Ceramic] [Patriotic] [Flag] [Red White and Blue] [Painted] [Galvanized] [Glazed] [Vessel] [Reusable] [Rustic] [Matte] [Shiny] [Sea Salt] [Finish] [Textured] [LED] [Distressed] [Classic] [Modern] [Decorative] [Décor] [Farmhouse] [Industrial] [Assorted] [Colors] [Patterns] [Geometric] [Geo] [Color-changing] [Bronze] [Die-cut] [Frosted] [Dish] [Tuscan] [Round] [Square] [Polynesian] [Print] [Printed] [Cement] [with Handle] [with Lid] [USA] [Giant] [with Rope] [Tealight] [Dotted] [Spots] [Stripes] [Striped] [Dipped] [with Bird] [Crock] [Retro] [Accent]
- [Keep mosquitoes away with [our] [the] [Brand Name] (Note: plus any accepted listed brand name) [with Mango Citron [Scent] [Fragrance](Note: or any other accepted scent descriptors from the above list).
- [The [classic painted metal bucket] (Note: or any other accepted container descriptors from the above list) not only looks great on your deck or porch, but is also durable enough to withstand outdoor use.
- [The sturdy handle makes it easy to take with you on your next picnic or camping trip, and the plastic lid protects the wax between uses.]
- [Your yard, your way]
- [Add a statement piece to your patio decor with [our] [the] (Note: plus any accepted listed brand name) ) [with Mango Citron [Scent] [Fragrance](Note: or any other accepted scent descriptors from the above list). In its [hand-glazed ceramic pot] (Note: or any other accepted container descriptor from the above list), this candle looks great on your deck or porch and is durable enough to withstand outdoor use.
- [Enjoy the [Mango Citron] [fragrance][scent] (Note: or any other accepted scent descriptor from the above list) while [plant-based] citronella oil keeps the mosquitoes away.]
- [The cotton wick[s] will illuminate your yard with ample candlelight and provide[s] a long- lasting burn.]
- [This [5.1-inch] (Note: or any other candle dimension) candle works well as a striking centerpiece, or on an accent table along the perimeter of your patio or deck.]
- [These] [this] stylish [Brand Name] (Note: or any accepted listed brand names) will add the finishing touch to your next outdoor event, [or] [and] brighten your yard all summer long.]
- [Citronella Candles [they] have [with] a pleasant, [Mango Citron [Scent] [Fragrance] (Note: or any other accepted scent descriptor from the above list)!]
- [Great for patios, yards, and outdoor events]
- [Create a warm and welcoming environment [when] [for] hosting backyard activities and events]
- [Shine On]
- [Campsite Essential]
- [Citronella oil infused candle provides a plant-based insect repellent]
- [Great for BBQs, camping, parties, and any other outdoor activities]
- [If you are not completely satisfied with this product, return it for refund or replacement.][Quality & Design]
- [100% Satisfaction Guaranteed or Your Money Back]
- [Proven to Repel Mosquitoes]
- [Repels Mosquitoes]
- [Proven Mosquito Repellency]
- ["As useful as it is gorgeous!"-Ree]
- [Decorative items not included]
- [Essential Oils Provide Pleasant Scent]
- [Quality Guaranteed. If you're not delighted, let us know and we'll make it right with a replacement or refund.]
- [Designed by Craig Conover]

**(Back/Side/Inside/Peel/Bottom label)**

STOP. READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USE.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

CAUTION: Burn candles at your own risk. Hazardous to humans and domestic animals. Harmful if swallowed. Not following instructions may lead to fire hazard or personal injury.

**FIRST AID:** If Swallowed: Call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. [Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a 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.

**(One of the following will appear on back / inside panel:)**

[ATTENTION: TO PREVENT FIRE, KEEP BURNING CANDLE WITHIN SIGHT. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND PETS. NEVER BURN A CANDLE ON OR NEAR ANYTHING THAT CAN CATCH FIRE.]

(OR)

[ATTENTION: BURN WITHIN SIGHT. KEEP AWAY FROM THINGS THAT CATCH FIRE. KEEP AWAY FROM CHILDREN AND PETS.]

(Optional ASTM F2058 Standard Specification for Candle Fire Safety Labeling that may appear on final printed labeling:)



[Burn within sight]



[Keep away from things that catch fire]



[Keep away from children]

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY.** Never leave any burning candle unattended. Do not use indoors or in enclosed areas [including garages, porches, or tents]. Do not blow out or extinguish with water or expose to water. Smother to extinguish with non-flammable material.

To help repel mosquitoes use more than one [Insert Brand Name] candle in still air. Place multiple candles, spaced 18 [in.] (OR) [inches] apart, around the perimeter of the outdoor space within [3 ft.] (OR)[3 feet] of where people will gather.

Place candle on a heat-resistant surface away from anything flammable and away from children and pets. Container and wax will be hot when candle is lit. Keep wick trimmed to 1/4 inch or less at all times. Always extinguish flame before moving. Do not allow wick trimmings, matches or other foreign material to accumulate in wax pool. Discontinue use when 1 inch of wax remains. Store indoors when not in use.

(For containers with lids:) [Do not place lid on lit candle].]

(For metal containers:) [Remove label before burning; keep label during its use.]

### [(Refillable Container Directions for Use)

Wash vessel thoroughly with soap and water making sure all wax residue has been removed before reuse. This vessel can be reused for a variety of purposes including home décor, planter, decoration, and storage. This vessel cannot be reused for food related purposes.

(optional marketing language:) Vessel can be reused for a variety of non-pesticidal purposes.

(or)

(optional marketing language:) Vessel can be reused as a planter.]

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

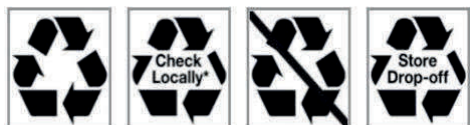
**STORAGE:** Store in cool, dry place. Store in original container at room temperature.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container except as allowed in the direction for use. Before disposing, empty container by using the product according to the label. **If empty:** Rinse thoroughly before discarding. Place in trash or offer for recycling, if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

(When packaging is recyclable, a recycling symbol may appear on final printed label. Below are examples:)



[



(This above symbol will be accompanied by one of the following packaging qualifiers:)

[[packaging] [package] [tray] [sleeve] [tag] [bag] [carton] [bottle] [tray] [insert] [box] [bag] [wrap] [can] [film] [pouch]]

(This above symbol will be accompanied by one of the following material qualifiers:)

[[PLASTIC] [PAPER] [METAL] [COATED PAPER] [GLASS] [CERAMIC]]

(This above symbol can be accompanied by one of the following qualifiers:)

[[Empty Before Recycling] [Rinse before Recycling] [Recycle if Clean & Dry] [Remove Label Before Recycling]]

(Optional:)

**[NOTICE:]**[**WARRANTY:**] To the extent consistent with applicable law, buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.]

Made in [China] [Vietnam]]/Hecho in [China] [Vietnam]

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[Find More at Walmart.com]

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**(Optional pictograms that may appear on any panel)**

(Electronic Product Code (EPC®) symbol may appear on label if RFID (Radio Frequency Identification) technology is embedded into label.)



(Flames showing number of wicks that may or may not have number of wicks listed on label. Below is example)



**(Social Media)**



**(Below are examples of Pictograms illustrating some of the types of products and setting the candles can be used)**



(Information in parentheses ( ) are notes to Reviewer.

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Text in brackets [ ] are optional or alternate text or pictograms that may or may not appear in final printed label.)



[Optional Brand Logo(s)]



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*CAC*

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