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Ms. Lenora J. Jones Registration Specialist Washington State Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Building P.O. Box 42560 1111 Washington ST SE Olympia, WA 98504-2560

Subject: FIFRA 24(c) Registration –SLN Acknowledgment Letter

SLN Registration Number: WA220002

EPA Decision Number: 582204 SLN Expiration Date: 12/31/2026 Parent EPA Reg. No.: 62719-597

Product Name: Opensight® Specialty Herbicide or Chaparral

Dear Ms. Jones:

This letter acknowledges receipt for the above-listed Special Local Need (SLN) registration pursuant to Section 24(c) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended. This SLN registration permits use of the product Opensight® Specialty Herbicide or Chaparral (aminopyralid and metsulfuron-methyl) to control Scotch broom, Thistles, Hawkweed and other weeds in forest plantations in the state of Washington. This SLN is a replacement of the expired SLN WA110011 for the same use. This SLN will expire 12/31/2026.

The Agency has completed a review of this use and acknowledges the State's SLN registration. Please inform the registrant that we have placed a copy of the SLN label in our files. If you have any questions, please contact Maya Wheeler by phone at (202) 566-2957 or via email at wheeler.maya.b@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Opensight®

SPECIALTY HERBICIDE EPA Reg. No. 62719-597 24(c) Special Local Need Registration SLN WA-220002

For Control of Scotch broom, Thistles, Hawkweed, and Other Weeds in Forest Plantations

FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Expiration date: This label for Opensight Specialty Herbicide expires and must not be distributed or used in accordance with this SLN registration after December 31, 2026.

ATTENTION

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of application.
- Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, Worker Protection Standard requirements, and precautions on the EPA registered label.

Directions for Use

Opensight[®] herbicide may be applied to forest plantations, using aerial or ground broadcast application for site preparation prior to planting, or as a spot application or directed spray application for conifer release (see Application Methods section) to control Scotch broom, thistle, hawkweed, herbaceous broadleaf weeds and woody plants. Opensight may be applied alone or in tank-mix combinations with labeled rates of other herbicides provided: (1) the tank mix product is labeled for the timing and method of application for the use site to be treated and (2) mixing is not prohibited by the label of the registered tank mixed products. Use as directed in the Directions of Use section of the tank-mix partner.

Follow mixing instructions under the Application Methods section of the main label for Opensight. Unless otherwise directed, use an agricultural labeled crop oil concentrate, methylated seed oil, or non-ionic surfactant for all treatments. Apply surfactants at a minimum rate of 0.25% v/v (1 quart per 100 gallons spray solution) or at the manufacturers recommended rate.

RESTRICTIONS/PRECAUTIONS

- For use under this SLN label do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
- Read and follow all directions, restrictions, and precautions for manure management on the Section 3 label for Opensight.
- Do not harvest hay or forage treated with Opensight.
- Do not treat more than 50% of an acre using spot treatment.
- Do not apply more than a total of 0.11 lb acid equivalent aminopyralid per acre (3.3 oz per acre of Opensight) per annual growing season (365 days) as a result of broadcast, spot or repeat applications.

Application Methods

For best control from broadcast and directed spray applications of Opensight, use a spray volume that will provide thorough plant coverage. Recommended spray volumes are usually 10 to 30 gallons per acre by air or 10 to 100 gallons per acre by ground.

Forest Site Preparation (Not for Conifer Release)

Use up to 3.3 oz per acre of this product and apply in a total spray volume of 10 to 30 gallons per acre. Tank mixtures with other herbicides registered for forest use, such as Accord XRT II, may improve control of woody brush, grasses, and herbaceous plants. When tank mixtures of herbicides are used for forest site preparation, labels for all products in the mixture must be followed; use the most restrictive label directions, including the longest recommended waiting period before planting.

Note: Conifers planted sooner than 2 months west of the Cascade Mountains and 4 months east of the Cascade Mountains after treatment with Opensight herbicide may be injured.

Directed Spray Applications for Conifer Release

Use up to 3.3 oz per acre of Opensight and apply in a total spray volume of 10 to 30 gallons per acre.

PRECAUTION: To prevent injury to or loss of desirable trees, including conifers, avoid spray contact with the foliage, especially small trees and their terminal buds, and in the root zone when making directed spray applications or spot treatments.

Use Opensight to release conifers from competing invasive and broadleaf weeds such as thistles, marestail, bracken fern, wild carrot, mustards, knapweeds, tansy ragwort, and sensitive woody plants such as blackberry, snowberry, locust, and wild roses. The spray mixture should be directed onto foliage of competitive plants using knapsack or backpack sprayers with flat fan nozzles or equivalent any time after plants have reached full leaf size, but before autumn coloration. The majority of treated hardwoods should be less than 6 feet in height to ensure adequate spray coverage. Care should be taken to direct spray away from contact with conifer foliage, particularly foliage of desirable conifers.

Spot application for site preparation or conifer release: Spot applications may be made at rates equivalent to the broadcast-applied rates of Opensight at 2 to 3.3 oz. per acre per annual growing season depending on the target species. Spray volume should be sufficient to thoroughly and uniformly wet weed foliage. Repeat treatments may be made, but the total amount of Opensight applied must not exceed 3.3 oz per acre per year. To prevent misapplication, spot treatments should be applied using calibrated application systems. Apply the spray mixture using a calibrated boom, boomless nozzle and, hand-held, or backpack sprayers.

Environmental Hazards

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 contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

Non-Target Organism Advisory: This product is toxic to plants and may adversely impact the forage and habitat of non-target organisms, including pollinators, in areas adjacent to the treated site. Protect the forage and habitat of non-target organisms by following label directions intended to minimize spray drift.

Groundwater Advisory: Aminopyralid is known to leach through soil into groundwater under certain conditions as a result of label use. This product may leach into groundwater if used in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow. Users are advised not to apply this product where soils have a rapid to very rapid permeability (such as loamy sand to sand) and the water table of an underlying aquifer is shallow or to soils containing sinkholes over limestone bedrock, severely fractured surfaces, and substrates which would allow direct introduction into an aquifer. Your local agricultural agencies can provide further information on the type of soil in your area and the location of groundwater.

Surface Water Advisory: This product may impact surface water quality due to runoff of rainwater. This is especially true for poorly draining soils and soils with shallow groundwater. This product is classified as having high potential for reaching both surface water and aquatic sediment via runoff for several months after application. A level, well-maintained vegetative buffer strip between areas to which this product is applied and surface water features such as ponds, streams, and springs will reduce the potential loading of picloram and aminopyralid from runoff water and sediment. Runoff of this product will be reduced by avoiding applications when rainfall or irrigation is expected to occur within 48 hours.

WSDA Container Disposal Guidance: Pesticide containers must be properly cleaned prior to disposal. The best time to clean empty pesticide containers is during mixing and loading, because residue can be difficult to remove after it dries. Triple rinse (or pressure rinse) the pesticide container, empty all pesticide rinse water into the spray tank, and apply to a labeled crop or site. Recycling cleaned containers is the best method of container disposal.

Information regarding the recycling of empty and cleaned plastic pesticide containers in Washington is available on the WSDA Waste Pesticide Program web site at https://agr.wa.gov/wastepesticide. Cleaned containers may also be disposed of in a sanitary landfill if permitted by the county. Burning is not a legal method of container disposal in Washington.

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