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**Subject: Amended Labeling; Response to EPA Letter Dated February 3, 2009  
856 Insect Repellent II, EPA Reg. No. 10900-72  
Your Submission Dated June 19, 2009**

Dear Ms. Zajac:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable with the following label revision provision(s):

Directions for Use section comment(s):

1. The statement "Read and Follow all Directions and Precautions on this Product Label." should be revised to appear as follows: "**READ AND FOLLOW ALL DIRECTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON THIS PRODUCT LABEL.**" This revised line of text should be CAPITALIZED and **bolded** to increase its prominence.
2. To facilitate inclusion of required language from the RED for DEET, revise this section to read "Remove protective cap from can. Hold can at least 12 inches away from skin and/or clothing to be treated, and spray with a slow sweeping motion. Do not apply over cuts, wounds, or irritated skin. Do not spray in enclosed areas. Use just enough repellent to cover exposed skin and/or clothing. Avoid over-application of this product. Do not allow children to handle this product. Do not apply to children's hands. When using on children, apply to your own hands and then put it on the child. Use of this product may cause skin reactions in rare cases. If you suspect that you or your child is reacting to this product, discontinue use, wash treated skin, and call your local poison control center. If you go to a doctor, take this repellent product with you. After returning indoors, wash treated skin with soap and water.

TO APPLY TO FACE: Spray palm of hand first and then apply sparingly and avoid eyes. Do not spray directly onto face. Do not apply near eyes and mouth. Apply sparingly around ears.

WORKS ON OUTER SURFACES OF CLOTHING: Do not use under clothing. Spray shirts, pants, socks, and hats. For ticks and chiggers, also spray cuffs, socks and around other openings in outer clothing. Wash treated clothing before wearing it again.

Will not damage cotton, wool, or nylon. Do not apply on or near: acetate, rayon, spandex or other synthetics (other than nylon), furniture, plastics, watch crystals, leather and painted or varnished surfaces including automobiles.

**NOTICE:** This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer."

First Aid Statement section comment(s):

3. Revise the last statement to read "Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. **For additional information on this pesticide product (including health concerns, medical emergencies or pesticide incidents), you may call 1-800-xxx-xxxx.**"<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Please note that the "1-800-xxx-xxxx" number listed must be available twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week for answering and responding to any medical emergencies or health concerns.

Storage and Disposal Statement section comment(s):

- 4. Revise the "**Pesticide Storage:**" subsection to read "Store in a cool, dry place, away from heat or open flame, in an area that is inaccessible to children and pets. In addition, store away from food or pet food."
  
- 5. Revise the subsection heading "**Pesticide Disposal and Container Handling:**" to read "**Container Disposal:**"

A copy of your label stamped "Accepted with Comments" is enclosed for your records. Please submit two (2) copies of the final printed labeling, incorporating the above changes, before releasing the product for shipment. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with section 6(e) of FIFRA. Your release for shipment of the product bearing amended labeling constitutes accepting of these conditions.

If you have any questions about this label review, please contact Mr. Carmen Rodia at (703) 306-0327 or via e-mail at [Rodia.Carmen@epa.gov](mailto:Rodia.Carmen@epa.gov).

Sincerely yours,



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Enclosure: *Copy of label stamped "Accepted with Comments"*  
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INSECT REPELLENT II

Repels Mosquitoes, Chiggers, Ticks, Deer Flies, Stable Flies, Black Flies, Gnats and Fleas on Exposed Skin Surfaces.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

DEET.....	25.00%
+N-Octyl bicycloheptene dicarboximide.....	5.00%
*Di-n-propyl isocinchomeronate.....	2.50%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:....	67.50%
TOTAL.....	100.00%

+MGK 264, Insecticide Synergist  
- MGK Repellent 326

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\*Refer to the bottom of container for production facility.

SPRAYON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION  
See Side Panel for additional First Aid Statements

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ACCEPTED  
With COMMENTS  
In EPA Letter Dated:  
*June 23, 2011*  
Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide  
and Rodenticide Act, As amended, for the  
pesticide Registered under EPA Reg. No:  
*10900-72*

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

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

Read and Follow all Directions and Precautions on this Product Label.

Do not apply over cuts, wounds, or irritated skin. Do not apply near eyes and mouth. Apply sparingly around ears. Do not allow children to handle this product, and do not apply to children's hands. When using on children, apply to your own hands and then put it on the child.

Do not apply more than 3 times per day to children ages twelve (12) and under. Use just enough repellent to cover exposed skin and/or clothing. Avoid over-application of this product. Do not use under clothing. After returning indoors, wash treated skin with soap and water. Wash treated clothing before wearing it again. If used on the face, spray on hands first and then apply sparingly and avoid eyes. Do not spray directly onto face.

To repel the insects listed on the front panel, first remove protective cap. Hold can at least 12 inches away, point valve in desired direction and press button to spray. Do not spray in enclosed areas. Apply to exposed skin areas. Do not apply over cuts, wounds, or irritated skin. Do not apply to eyes and mouth and do not apply to hands of young children. If used on the face, spray on hands first and then apply sparingly and avoid eyes. Do not spray directly onto face. Use just enough repellent to cover exposed skin and/or clothing.

Do not use under clothing. Avoid over-application of this product. For ticks and chiggers, also apply to shoe tops, socks and around openings in clothing. After returning indoors, wash treated skin with soap and water. Wash treated clothing before wearing it again.

Use of this product may cause skin reactions in rare cases. If you suspect that you or your child is reacting to this product, wash treated skin and call your local poison control center. If you go to a doctor, take this repellent with you.

Avoid contact with plastics, such as eyeglass frames, and such fabric as acetate rayon.

**NOTICE:** This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

HAZARDS TO HUMANS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

**PHYSICAL HAZARDS: Extremely Flammable!** Contents under pressure. Do not use near fire, sparks, or flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Exposure to temperatures above 130 degree F may cause bursting.

**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 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.

**IF INHALED**

- Move person to fresh air.
- If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**IF ON SKIN OR ON CLOTHING**

- If you suspect a reaction to this product, discontinue use, wash treated skin, and call your local poison control center. If you go to a doctor, take this product with you.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:**

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

**Pesticide Storage:** Store in original container in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets. Store away from food and pet food. **Pesticide Disposal and Container**

**Handling:** Do not Puncture or Incinerate! Nonrefillable container; do not reuse or refill this container. **If empty:** Offer for recycling if available. **If partially filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions.

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