

Department of Agriculture

635 Capitol Street NE Salem, OR 97301-2532

Use Expiration Advisory Zinc Phosphide and Grass Grown for Seed



There are three Special Local Need (SLN) labels for the use of zinc phosphide above-ground in/on grass grown for seed (labels amended April 2008). To prevent zinc phosphide exposure to geese, label statements on the SLNs include, but are not limited to:

- ♦ Applications are only allowed May 1 through August 31. Do NOT apply from September 1 through April 30.
- ◆ Do not make applications if geese or other migratory birds have been observed in the field within the last seven (7) days.
- ♦ If geese are observed in the treated field within seven (7) days of the application (ie. after the application), hazing is recommended. A hazing permit is not required.
- ◆ Users are advised that the Migratory Bird Treaty Act makes it unlawful to kill any migratory bird except as permitted by regulation. Any bird deaths caused by application of this pesticide is a violation of both state and federal law. In North America, all birds are considered migratory except for upland game birds (e.g. grouse, ptarmigans, prairie-chickens, quail, ring-necked pheasant and wild turkey) and introduced bird species (e.g. European starling, house sparrow, and rock dove).

ALL ABOVE GROUND USE OF ZINC PHOSPHIDE MUST END AUGUST 31, 2008

The three SLN labels amended (April 30, 2009 expiration date) are:

- (1) HACCO/ Prozap Zinc Phosphide Oat Bait, (EPA Reg. No. 61282-14), OR-990009.
- (2) Bell/ZP Rodent Bait AG (EPA Reg. No. 12455-17), OR-990034
- (3) HACCO/ Prozap Zinc Phosphide Pellets (EPA Reg. No. 61282-49), OR-050009.

Labels are available at http://www.pnn.wsu.edu/pnnor.html#Section24cs

If you have any questions please contact Rose Kachadoorian or Janet Fults at ODA at (503) 986-4635.

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