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<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED 7005-0390-0000-4847-1682

Re: Vacation of Stop Sale, Use or Removal Order Docket No.: FIFRA-08-2008-0001

John Adams, President Chemical Specialists, LLC D.B.A. Chemstation 3309 Empire Street Evans, CO 80620

Dear Mr. Adams:

On October 31, 2007, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) received a letter from Chemical Specialists, LLC D.B.A. Chemstation which included a faxed copy of a Bill of Lading sales invoice from Univar USA, Inc. The Bill of Lading record documents that Chemical Specialists, LLC D.B.A. Chemstation is using Univar, formerly known as Van Waters & Rogers, as a supplier of 12.5% sodium hypochlorite active ingredient for Chemstation 3030, EPA Registration No. 65072-20001-75617.

The EPA issued a Stop Sale, Use or Removal Order (SSURO) to Chemical Specialists, LLC D.B.A. Chemstation on October 16, 2007, for Chemstation 3030, EPA Registration No. 65072-20001-75617. The condition of the issuance of this Vacation requires Chemstation of Denver to do the following according to Chemstation 3030's Confidential Statement of Formula:

- 1. Use approved sodium hypochlorite suppliers for production of Chemstation 3030
- 2. Produce Chemstation 3030 at the approved concentration, 12.5% sodium hypochlorite
- 3. Alert EPA Region 8 in writing to when and if the Confidential Statement of Formula is approved to reflect additional or alternate sodium hypochlorite suppliers, any difference in percentage of active ingredients, or any new labeling reflecting any of the mentioned changes.

Based on the above actions completed by Chemical Specialists, LLC D.B.A. Chemstation and EPA's receipt of the required information, the SSURO is hereby vacated for all sizes and quantities of the misbranded pesticide which had been covered by this Order, and is EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY. This action does not preclude EPA from taking additional enforcement action and assessing penalties authorized under FIFRA for this or other violations of FIFRA. Thank you for your courtesy during the inspections and for taking the necessary steps to resolve the issues as stated in the SSURO. If you have any questions regarding this matter, you may contact Amy Hambrick at (303)312-6883.

Sincerely,

Mark A.R. Chalfant, Director

Technical Enforcement Program

Office of Enforcement, Compliance

and Environmental Justice