

Evaluation Report for Category B, Subcategory 3.3 and 3.11 Application

Application Number: 2008-4088
Application: To amend the label to add a new pest and a maximum number of applications.
Product: Demand CS Insecticide
Registration Number: 27428
Active ingredients (a.i.): Lambda-cyhalothrin
PMRA Document Number : 1931128

Purpose of Application

The purpose of this application was to add a new pest, bed bugs, to the label of the registered product Demand CS Insecticide (100g/L lambda-cyhalothrin; Reg No. 27428), and to designate a maximum number of applications.

Chemistry and Environmental Assessment

Chemistry and environmental assessments were not required for this application.

Health Assessments

A toxicology assessment was not required as there was no change to the product formulation.

No increase in mixer/loader/applicator, post-applicator or bystander exposure is anticipated for the request to add the target pest (bed bugs) as this use fits within the existing indoor crack and crevice use pattern. Additionally, the request to designate a maximum number of applications is not expected to result in an increase in exposure as the previously registered use had no maximum application limit. Therefore, no mixer/loader/applicator, post-application or bystander exposure risk assessments were required for this application.

Value Assessment

Five studies were submitted for review. The data demonstrated that Demand CS Insecticide applied at a concentration of 0.03% lambda-cyhalothrin killed bed bugs after contact. Therefore, the use of Demand CS Insecticide for control of bed bugs is acceptable. Re-application after re-infestation is required.

Conclusion

The PMRA has completed an assessment of available information for Demand SC Insecticide and has found the information sufficient to support amendments to the label to include bed bugs as a pest and set a maximum number of applications.

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