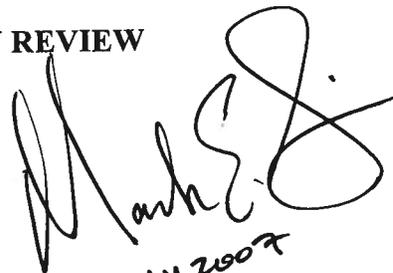


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PRODUCT PERFORMANCE / EFFICACY REVIEW

Mark Suarez, Entomologist - IB



4 MAY 2007

DATE: 4 May 2007

EPA REG. NUMBER: 81824-I

PRODUCT NAME: Borathor

REGISTRANT: Ensystem II, Inc.

PM: Richard Gebken, PM10
REVIEWER: Melody Banks

DECISION #.: 379379
DP BARCODE: 334042

ACTION: R31

ACTIVE INGREDIENT(S): 011103, Boron Sodium Oxide, tetrahydrate
.....99.98%

TYPE: Liquid Concentrate

OPPTS GUIDELINE(S): 810.1000
810.3000
810.3600

MRID: See Below

SITES: Structural Protection

PESTS: Termites

STUDY SUMMARIES:

MRID:

40196501	Submitted	GLP? No.
40196502	Submitted	GLP? No.
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The data submitted were public literature and assorted unpublished citations. The data were not product specific and do not expand support for claims against termites beyond those currently accepted for powder borates. The database and the citations provided by the registrant support wood protection claims for this product. However, they do not support claim that use of the product will provide structural protection.

ENTOMOLOGIST'S COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

The label is generally acceptable, but all reference to structural protection must be removed. The product has not been demonstrated to provide such results. Remove all references to structural protection. This includes, but is not limited to, the label sections and subsections "Preventative Treatment of Wood in Structures Under Construction With A Liquid Solution (Pretreatment or Pretreat)" and "Subterranean Termite Only Preventative Treatment to Structures Under Construction (Subterranean Termite Pretreatment)."

Enclosure
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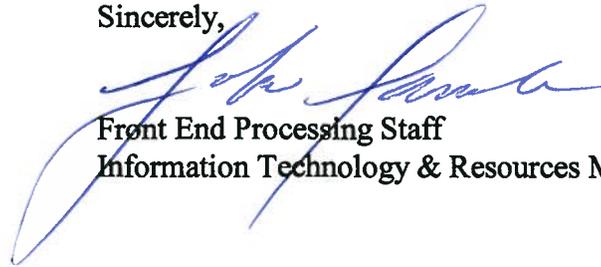
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Sincerely,



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