

**VAN DIEST SUPPLY COMPANY CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZATION FOR LABEL USE AND CONTAINER REPACKAGING OF BULK PESTICIDES**

This Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging will permit the use of the registered pesticide labels for Van Diest Supply Company's bulk Cornbelt Atrazine 4L Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 11773-1), Cornbelt Metro (EPA Reg. No. 11773-20), Cornbelt 4 lb. Amine Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 11773-2), Cornbelt 4 lb. Lo Vol Ester Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 11773-3), Cornbelt 6 lb. Lo Vol Ester Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 11773-4), Cornbelt Salvan (EPA Reg. No. 11773-16) and/or Cornbelt Trifluralin (EPA Reg. No. 11773-17), in the transfer or repackaging of the bulk pesticides listed above. The authorization is limited to the extent that these pesticides transferred or repackaged conform to the registered pesticide label in all aspects and has not been contaminated, adulterated, misbranded, or otherwise altered from that originally received from Van Diest Supply Company. Transfer containers must comply with all Federal, State and Local laws, regulations and guidelines. The containers must be dedicated to, and refilled with, one specific pesticide. Whenever a container is cleaned and/or rededicated, Dealer is solely responsible for the thoroughness of the cleaning operation and proper management of the rinsate according to Van Diest Supply Company Pesticide Cleaning (Residue Removal) Guidelines for Bulk Storage and Containers (page 3 of 4) and corresponding pesticide label.

Dealer further agrees that as a condition of this Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging the Dealer shall inspect each transfer container and refuse to refill any containers that (a) are more than six years old, (b) show signs of cracks, holes, dents, cuts, or other defects, (c) have container fittings made of polyvinyl chloride, (d) have fittings that show visible signs of leaking, (e) are contaminated by other pesticides or other foreign material, or (f) do not have one-way outlets or intact tamper evident seals. All refilling of mini-bulk containers must be conducted at Dealer's EPA registered bulk storage site. Refilling of mini-bulks at a bulk site not authorized by Van Diest Supply Company in writing will void and cancel this Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging.

Evidence of acknowledgement of authorization is noted by the signature below of a duly designated company official. In so doing, you are acknowledging that you will comply with EPA requirements (FIFRA, Section 7), for registration of your establishment as a pesticide producer and affix your establishment number as needed and comply fully with the 2006 EPA Pesticide Container and Containment Rule.

The purpose of this Certification of Authorization is solely to permit the use of the registered pesticide label subject to the above-noted conditions. The transfer of authorization to any party other than the identified customer or the use of this Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging for any purpose other than storage, transfer or repackaging of pesticide in accordance with the terms hereof is prohibited. Failure to comply with these conditions will result in the immediate cancellation of this Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging. You further acknowledge that you are acting hereunder as an independent contractor and not as an agent of Van Diest Supply Company. Van Diest Supply Company may make copies of this Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging available to appropriate regulatory officials.

Dealer hereby indemnifies and holds Van Diest Supply Company harmless from any claim for damages, fines or penalties which may be imposed as a result of Dealer holding, repackaging, handling, selling or using the bulk pesticides transferred by the Dealer.

This Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging is effective \_\_\_\_\_ and expires \_\_\_\_\_ unless cancelled by written notice from Van Diest Supply Company.

Dealer \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

EPA Establishment # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Van Diest Supply Company

Area Manager \_\_\_\_\_

John Van Diest \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **GUIDELINES FOR REPACKAGING BULK PESTICIDES**

Follow these instructions when repackaging bulk pesticides:

1. Repackaging of pesticide products must occur only at the bulk tank site. Bulk tank site must meet all applicable Federal, State and Local laws, rules, regulations and guidelines, including the 2006 EPA Pesticide Container and Containment Rule.
2. Before repackaging a pesticide, a refiller must have each of the following for the specific pesticide being
  - ✓ Van Diest Supply Company Certificate of Authorization for Label Use and Container Repackaging of Bulk Pesticides.
  - ✓ Product label and labeling.
  - ✓ Van Diest Supply Company Pesticide Cleaning (Residue Removal) Guidelines for Bulk Storage and Refillable Containers.
  - ✓ List of Van Diest Supply Company Authorized Containers.
3. Repackaging of pesticides can be made only into portable refillable containers on the current list of Van Diest Supply Company Authorized Containers. All portable refillable containers must, as a minimum, meet DOT requirements for hazardous material packages and comply with DOT Packing Group III.
4. Refiller must visually inspect the container before filling to ensure the container meets the following criteria:
  - ✓ Container shows no signs of rupture or other damage that could reduce its structural integrity.
  - ✓ Container has no visible pitting, significant reduction in material thickness, metal fatigue, damaged threads or closures, or other significant defects.
  - ✓ Container has no cracks, warpage, corrosion or any other damage that might render it unsafe for
  - ✓ No damage to the fittings, valve, tamper-evident devices or any other appurtenances that may cause the container to fail.
  - ✓ Container has the proper DOT markings and a serial number or some other unique identifying code durably marked and clearly legible on the container.
5. Refiller does not have to clean a container prior to refilling if each tamper-evident device and one-way valve (if required) is intact and either of these conditions is met:
  - ✓ Refillable container is being refilled with the same product (refiller must identify the pesticide previously held in the container to determine if it is necessary to clean the container), or
  - ✓ Container previously held a pesticide with a single active ingredient, the container is being used to repackage a pesticide with the same active ingredient, and there is no change that causes the repackaged pesticide to not meet the product integrity standard.
6. Refiller can repackage any quantity of pesticide into a refillable container, up to the rated capacity of the container. There are no limits on the size of a refillable container.
7. All containers must be properly labeled with the EPA Establishment Number of the facility where the container was filled and the net contents written in the appropriate place on the label, and must have a current label booklet containing all directions for use attached.
8. Products must be handled in accordance with the SDS and label directions.
9. A separate, dedicated piping/packaging system must be utilized to allow for the transfer of each pesticide from the bulk tank directly to the container. The system must be capable of preventing cross contamination with residual pesticides left in a common line system.
10. Refillers must comply with EPA pesticide repackaging recordkeeping requirements:
  - ✓ Refiller must maintain copies of the cleaning (residual removal) procedures and the list of acceptable containers for the current operating year and for three years after.
  - ✓ Each time a pesticide is repackaged, the refiller must record the following information and keep for three years after the date of repackaging:
    - EPA registration number of the pesticide repackaged
    - Date of repackaging
    - Serial number of some other unique identifying code of the container.
11. Refiller must comply with all pertinent governmental requirements and Van Diest Supply Company guidelines regarding storage and handling of pesticides and disposal of wastes.

**THESE GUIDELINES ARE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS ONLY AND SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED AS A LIMITATION ON NECESSARY REPACKAGING GUIDELINES. ALWAYS EXERCISE BEST JUDGEMENT AND FOLLOW BEST BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT INDUSTRY STANDARDS AND PRACTICES WHEN REPACKAGING BULK PESTICIDES.**

## **VAN DIEST SUPPLY COMPANY\* PESTICIDE CLEANING (RESIDUE REMOVAL) GUIDELINES FOR BULK STORAGE AND REFILLABLE CONTAINERS**

Follow these instructions to clean a refillable container before refilling or rededicating:

1. Determine the last product in the container using the pesticide product label along with the container's unique serial number or identifier code. Visually inspect all containers and any associated transfer equipment.
2. Containers with tamper-evident seals and one-way valves that are not intact must be cleaned if they are to be refilled. Containers that have intact tamper-evident devices and one-way valves may not require cleaning.
3. Stage containers on a containment pad during the cleaning process, so the rinsate can be collected and managed.
4. Thoroughly rinse or pressure-wash the exterior of the container to remove dirt and residue. If needed, tank cleaners may be used on the exterior. Wash until all visible residues are completely gone.
5. Using a sprayer, rinse the interior of the container using only enough water to completely remove the residue. If the container is equipped with an internal pump, the water must be flushed through the entire delivery system until the rinsate is clear.
6. Repeat high pressure rinsing until container is clean and rinsate is clear. Inspect the inside of the container to determine if additional cleaning is needed. Drain and collect the rinsate from the container.
7. Using a high-pressure sprayer and rinse nozzle, thoroughly flush the interior of the container again. If the container is equipped with an internal pump, the tank cleaning solution followed by water must be flushed through the entire delivery system until the rinsate is clear. For stubborn residues, hot water with a cleaning solution, such as a commercial tank-cleaning compound suitable for use with pesticides (exempt from a tolerance) may be used.
8. Inspect the inside of the container. If a tank cleaner was used, insure the last rinse is water only and that the water is flushed through the delivery system. If needed, use a light or mirror to thoroughly inspect and insure visible pesticide residue has been removed.
9. Drain the container. A pump or dedicated wet-dry shop vacuum may be used to remove any remaining rinsate.
10. After cleaning the container be sure to check the interior to be sure it is dry before refilling.

**THESE GUIDELINES ARE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS ONLY AND SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED AS A LIMITATION ON NECESSARY CLEANING PROCEDURES. ALWAYS EXERCISE BEST JUDGEMENT AND FOLLOW BEST BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT INDUSTRY STANDARDS AND PRACTICES WHEN CLEANING (REMOVING RESIDUE) PESTICIDE CONTAINERS.**

\* Consistent with 1994 Revised ACPA and CLA Guidelines

### **VAN DIEST SUPPLY COMPANY APPROVED CONTAINERS**

BRAND NAME	EPA REG. NO.	CONTAINER
Cornbelt Atrazine 4L	11773-1	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *
Cornbelt 4# Amine	11773-2	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *
Cornbelt 4# LV Ester	11773-3	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *
Cornbelt 6# LV Ester	11773-4	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *
Cornbelt Salvan	11773-16	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *
Cornbelt Metro	11773-20	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *
Cornbelt Trifluralin	11773-17	DOT UN PG I, II, III HDLPE *

\* HDLPE (High Density Linear Poly Ethylene)

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 220 gallon capacity</li> <li>• Tamper evident one-way valve and vent on the top of the shuttle</li> <li>• Gravity flow bottom unload tank</li> <li>• Meets 2011 EPA Rule Requirements: <b>YES</b></li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 120 gallon capacity</li> <li>• Tamper evident one-way valve and vent on the top of the shuttle</li> <li>• Gravity flow bottom unload tank</li> <li>• Meets 2011 EPA Rule Requirements: <b>YES</b></li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 250 gallon capacity</li> <li>• Tubular steel frame</li> <li>• Gravity flow bottom unload tank</li> <li>• Meets 2011 EPA Rule Requirements: <b>YES*</b></li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>* One-Way Container</b></p>

### OTHER VAN DIEST SUPPLY COMPANY APPROVED CONTAINERS

Other Intermediate Bulk Containers (IBC) or portable tanks manufactured with FIFRA-compliant components and tested by the original manufacturer at an approved testing facility may be used by refillers providing EPA Pesticide Container and Containment Rule and DOT design, construction and marking requirements are met.

- ✓ Must be constructed of LDPE, HDLPE, or Stainless Steel
- ✓ Must have DOT Packing Groups I, II or III identification/UN markings and tested by original manufacturer
- ✓ Must have unique identification clearly marked such as a serial number or other ID code
- ✓ Must have a one-way valve or a tamper evident device or both on all openings (other than the vent)
- ✓ Refiller must inspect tank according to required cleaning guidelines and confirm integrity of the tank