

Additional Instructions required for the Sale of Second Generation Anticoagulant Rodenticides (SGARs)

Instructions for possession, custody and use of suspended chemical products

In accordance with sections 41(1)(b) and 41(2) of the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Scheduled to the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994 (Agvet Code), the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA) has suspended the product registrations and label approvals set out in Table 1 and Table 2 below for a period of 1 year commencing on 24 March 2026

Table 1: Product registration(s) and label approval(s) products that are suspended – domestic use situations

Registration number	Product name	Holder	Label approval number(s)	Pack Size Limit
67652	Fast Action Ratsak Wax Blocks – 80gm (I/N: 0739862)	Dulux Group (Australia) Pty Ltd.	67652/56541, 67652/60303	300g
69119	Fast Action Ratsak Reusable Rodent Bait Station with Wax Blocks (I/N:2961766)	Dulux Group (Australia) Pty Ltd.	69119/60011	Up to the maximum approved pack size of 120 g
69158	Fast Action Ratsak Disposable Mouse Bait Station with Wax Block (I/N:2961764)	Dulux Group (Australia) Pty Ltd.	69158/60095	Up to the maximum approved pack size of 120 g
81664	The Big Cheese Home Choice Rat Killer Bait Station (I/N:3010419)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	81664/103580	Up to the maximum pack size of 120g
81665	The Big Cheese Ultra Power Disposable Mouse Kill Bait Station (I/N:3010418)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	81665/103581	Up to the maximum approved pack size of 40g.
84831	Ratsak Rapid Strike Dual Active Wax Blocks – 90gm (I/N:0037852)	Zapi S.P.A	84831/111524, 84831/113394	300g
87869	The Big Cheese Ultra Power All Weather Block Bait – 9x20gm (I/N: 0194485)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	87869/119608, 87869/123663, 87869/127037	300g
87870	The Big Cheese Home Choice All Weather Block Bait – 4x25gm (I/N: 0194482)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	87870/119609, 87870/123664	150g
56632	Fast Action Ratsak Throw Packs Kills Rats & Mice 100gm (I/N: 0739861)	Duluxgroup (Australia) Pty Ltd	56632/0309, 56632/1102, 56632/51139, 56632/62792, 56632/149304	150g
84832	Ratsak Rapid Strike Advanced Dual Active Soft Baits – 100gm (I/N: 0037854)	Zapi S.P.A	84832/111525, 84832/113395	150 g

Table 2: Product registration(s) and label approval(s) products that are suspended – commercial use situations

Registration number	Product name	Holder	Label approval number(s)	Pack Size Limit
81663	The Big Cheese Ultra Power Fast Action Bait Blocks – 540gm (I/N:0090573)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	81663/103579, 81663/146689	Limited to existing registration.
81663	The Big Cheese Ultra Power Fast Action Bait Blocks – 120gm (I/N:3010415)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	81663/103579, 81663/146689	Limited to existing registration.
81663	The Big Cheese Ultra Power Fast Action Bait Blocks – 1KG (I/N:3010450)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	81663/103579, 81663/146689	Limited to existing registration.
81666	The Big Cheese Ultra Power Fast Action Bait Packs – 125g (I/N: 3010449)	Pelgar International (Aus) Pty Ltd	81666/103583, 81666/146690	Limited to existing registration.
90839	Stratagem Soft Bait Rodenticide – 3.2KG - (I/N: 0289023)	BASF Australia Ltd.	90839/130175	Limited to existing registration.
90839	Stratagem Soft Bait Rodenticide – 2.4KG (I/N: 0289026)	BASF Australia Ltd.	90839/130175	Limited to existing registration.

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For the purposes of section 45B(3) of the Agvet Code the following instructions apply for a person who possesses, has custody of or uses a suspended product bearing a suspended label listed in Table 1 or Table 2.

Additional Instructions for use

A person may use a suspended product bearing a suspended label referred to in Table 1 or Table 2 for the duration of the suspension according to the following instructions.

A suspended product listed in Table 1 or Table 2 may be used according to the instructions on the suspended label listed in Table 1 or Table 2, except where the label directs use outdoors for control of mice, directs baits be placed in areas potentially accessible to non-target animals, pets or children without a tamper resistant bait station, directs use outdoors for rats without a tamper resistant bait station and/or more than 2 m from buildings, directs baits to be placed in burrows, and/or provides disposal instructions.

These instructions on the suspended labels must be replaced with the following instructions for products intended for domestic use or commercial use, as listed in Table 1 or Table 2 respectively. If there appears to be a conflict between instructions on the suspended label and the instructions provided below, the user must follow the instructions provided in this notice.

For all products:

All instructions where the label is contradictory to the instructions and the restraints listed above must not be followed from the date of suspension and are replaced by the instructions in this notice.

A suspended product listed in Table 1 or Table 2 of Attachment 2 of this notice may be used according to the instructions in a current permit issued by the APVMA for use of that product.

For products listed in Table 1 which currently have instructions for use in domestic situations:

DO NOT use this product outdoors.

DO NOT use unless secured in a tamper resistant bait station. Where possible, fix tamper-resistant bait stations to the ground or other structures.

DO NOT use the product for longer than 35 days when treating an infestation. If rodent activity is still observed after 35 days, seek advice from the product supplier or call a pest control service.

Hazardous to wildlife. Search for and dispose of dead rodents and slugs/snails in the infested area at each visit to prevent secondary poisoning. In case slugs/snails are present, move bait station to another location within the rodent infested site, away from slugs/snails. Dispose of slugs/snails, dead rodents and uneaten bait by wrapping in paper, placing in plastic bag and putting in garbage.

When using the product wear disposable gloves. During cleanup and disposal operations of bait and bait stations, wear disposable gloves. Wear disposable gloves when handling rodent carcasses. Wash clothes after performing re-handling activities.

For products listed in Table 2 which currently have instructions for use in commercial situations:

DO NOT place bait stations outdoors for control of mice

DO NOT use in areas accessible to non-target animals, pets or children unless secured in a tamper resistant bait station.

DO NOT place bait outdoors unless it is secured in a tamper-resistant and weather-resistant bait station which is secured in place.

DO NOT place bait stations more than 2 meters from buildings

DO NOT apply this product directly into burrows.

DO NOT use the product continuously for more than 35 days without an evaluation of the state of the infestation and of the efficacy of the treatment.

Hazardous to wildlife. Search for and dispose of dead rodents and slugs/snails in the infested area at each visit to prevent secondary poisoning. In case slugs/snails are present, move bait station to another location within the rodent infested site, away from slugs/snails. Dispose of slugs/snails, dead rodents and uneaten bait in compliance with local, state or territory government regulations.

When using the product wear disposable gloves. During cleanup and disposal operations of bait and bait stations, wear disposable gloves. Wear disposable gloves when handling rodent carcasses. Wash clothes after performing re-handling activities.

