The Environmental Protection Agency has recently approved Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and other label changes for Fyfanon ULV Mosquito Insecticide. The PPE label changes enhance applicator comfort and flexibility for aerial applications.

Specifically, pilots are no longer required to wear chemical-resistant gloves during aerial applications and are no longer required to operate in enclosed cockpits under restrictive air flow. Together, these changes greatly improve operating conditions.

Instrumental to helping make these label changes is Lee County Mosquito Control, a major mosquito abatement district using both helicopters and fixed wing aircraft in their southwest Florida operation. FMC has been working with Lee County and EPA for nearly a decade to clarify concerns and develop label language that improve pilot comfort and efficiency.

"We are committed to improving the conditions under which mosquito control professionals apply Fyfanon products," says Donald Powers, FMC Public Health market specialist. "We appreciate the guidance provided by Lee County and will continue to seek label improvements that meet user needs."