Suggested Control Measures For Common Aquatic Weeds Of Florida

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The importance of aquatic weed control was brought to the attention of the Hyacinth Control Society at its second annual meeting in July 1962 at Fort Lauderdale, Florida. The information contained in this report is a brief summary of the suggested control measures for common aquatic weeds of Florida.

Recommended (status “R”) and suggested (status “S”) control measures are based mainly on aquatic weed control investigations in Florida. Only commercially available herbicides are recommended or suggested for use.

This information is provided for the benefit of those informed about the general nature and use of herbicides and familiar with the equipment and techniques employed in the application of such herbicides. Time does not permit a full discussion of the properties of the herbicides mentioned in this report; so users are advised to read package labels carefully and to heed all directions and precautions printed there. Persons not familiar with herbicides and their use should seek competent advice before proceeding with any of the control measures suggested. Herbicides should not be applied to water that is used for domestic purposes.

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EDITOR'S NOTE:

The Editor regrets to announce that due to our inability to obtain the material contained in the paper entitled “Dacamine Granules for Hyacinth Control”, which was presented at the third annual meeting of the Hyacinth Control Society at Tampa, July 9th, 1963, by Elmer Osborne, Agricultural Chemical Technical Service Representative, for Diamond Alkali Company, Memphis, Tennessee, this article will not appear in this issue of the Hyacinth Control Journal.