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WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD Family Business Inspection

Company or Farm Name: _____
 Person Interviewed: _____
 Inspection # _____

Date REI expired for reviewed application 30 days or less (Tier I) 31 days-6 months (Tier II)

What makes you a Worker?
 Doing tasks such as weeding,
 planting, cultivating and harvesting,
 and also moving or operating
 irrigation equipment.

What makes you a Handler?
 * Mixing, loading, transferring or applying pesticides
 * Cleaning, handling, adjusting or repairing pesticide contaminated equipment
 * Entering an enclosed space production area before ventilation criteria is met
 * Adjusting or removing outdoor fumigation coverings

* Handling open pesticide containers
 * Acting as a flagger
 * Assisting with pesticide application
 * Disposing of uncleaned containers

Workers Are workers and handlers all owners or immediate family members? Y N If no, not a Family Business.
(Spouse, parents, stepparents, foster parents, children, stepchildren, foster children, brothers, sisters, all in-laws,
 # Handlers *grandparents, grandchildren, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and first cousins.)*

WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD REQUIREMENTS (Parentheses below (xx) indicates pages in EPA's 2015 How To Comply Manual)

- Y N N/A Do commercial applicators notify you of required information before the application takes place? (83) How?
- Y N N/A Do you notify commercial applicators regarding location of treated areas and REIs? (83) How?
- Y N N/A Has everyone required to wear a respirator been fit tested annually, completed a medical evaluation and specific training, and the associated recordkeeping? (70-73)
- Y N N/A Do you make sure pesticide applications do not touch people, other than trained and equipped handlers? (6-7,91) How?
- Y N N/A Are non-handlers prohibited in the treated areas during application and until the REIs have expired? (41-47,91) How?
- Y N N/A Are non-handlers prohibited in Outdoor Production areas and the Application Exclusion Zones (AEZ) during application? (37-38) How?
- Y N N/A Are non-handlers prohibited in Enclosed Space Production areas during application and until ventilation is met? (39, 40) How?
- Y N N/A Do handlers use the label-specified Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) during application? (62-63)
- Y N N/A Do owners or family members use the PPE listed on pesticide labeling? (91)
 - Y N N/A Ensure immediate family members are kept out of treated areas until REI expires? (91)
 - Y N N/A Ensure pesticide is applied so does not contact anyone, including immediate family members? (91)
 - Y N N/A Keep everyone, including members of immediate family away, from treated area during application & application exclusion zone? (91)
 - Y N N/A Ensure that any pesticide applied is used in a manner consistent with the product's labeling? (91)

Comments

Pesticide Inspector's Signature

Date