



California Notice 2024-08

TO: Pesticide Registrants and Other Stakeholders

SUBJECT: WEBINAR ON PROPOSED REGISTRATION FEE INCREASE,
APRIL 23, 2024

The Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR) is holding a webinar on Tuesday, April 23, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. (PDT) to share information, answer questions, and receive feedback from registrants and other stakeholders on the department's intent to increase registration fees to a level that supports the current and future business needs of the pesticide registration program.

BACKGROUND

DPR has determined that current registration fees are not sufficient to support the ongoing work of the pesticide registration program. As such, DPR finds it necessary to raise pesticide product registration, amendment, and renewal fees.

Under the authority of the California Food and Agricultural Code (FAC) section 12812(a), "The director shall establish, by regulation, fees for the Department of Pesticide Regulation's registration program, as established pursuant to this division. The fees shall include, but are not limited to, the following: (1) annual fees for each product submitted for registration; (2) penalties for the late payment of registration fees; and (3) fees for amendments to registered products." Additionally, FAC section 12812(c) states, "The fees established pursuant to this section shall be set so that the total revenue collected each fiscal year is sufficient to support the expenditure levels for the registration program...."

WEBINAR DATE AND ACCESS INFORMATION

A webinar to discuss this proposal will be held on:

Tuesday, April 23, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. PDT.

The webinar will be offered through the remote webinar service Zoom for participants who intend to provide an oral question or comment. Prior to the webinar, DPR will issue another California Notice to provide Zoom participation information, an agenda, additional information about the proposal, and open a 30-day public comment period.

The webinar will also be webcast and may be accessed [online](https://video.calepa.ca.gov/) at <video.calepa.ca.gov/>.

During the public comment period and during the webinar, questions and comments may be sent to <regfees@cdpr.ca.gov>. If you have any questions, comments, need additional information, special accommodation, or language assistance, please email <regfees@cdpr.ca.gov>. Special

accommodation or language assistance requests to participate in this webinar must be submitted no later than April 9, 2024.

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