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California Notice 2025-03

TO: Pesticide Registrants and Other Stakeholders

SUBJECT: 2025 PESTICIDE REGISTRATION AND RENEWAL FEE DETERMINATION

The California Food and Agricultural Code (FAC) section 12812(c) mandates that the Department of Pesticide Regulation’s (DPR) registration program fee structure shall be set so that the total revenue collected each fiscal year is sufficient to support the expenditure levels of the registration program. The fees include annual product license renewal and late payment fees, product registration fees, and fees for amendments to registered products. In accordance with FAC section 12812(f), DPR is required to notify pesticide registrants of possible fee increases determined necessary to sufficiently meet expenditure levels of the registration program by January 31 of the year of increase. DPR must complete an annual review of the proposed budget and projected revenues to determine whether any fee adjustments are needed. DPR intends to annually communicate this determination to stakeholders through a California Notice to Stakeholders.

After careful review, DPR has been determined that the current fees are sufficient to meet DPR’s registration program expenditures for fiscal year 2025-26. DPR is not changing the pesticide registration-related fees at this time. The current fees for pesticide product registration, amendment, and renewal fees can be found at the [Application Fees, Renewals](http://cdpr.ca.gov/docs/registration/fees.htm) webpage <cdpr.ca.gov/docs/registration/fees.htm>.

Governor Newsom signed Assembly Bill 181(Chapter 1001, Statutes of 2024) into law that resulted in significant salary increases over the next three years for rank-and-file staff within State Bargaining Units 8 and 10. The law impacts salaries for a majority of positions in DPR’s registration program. These increases were not accounted for in the registration fee increase adopted in September 2024 (California Notice CA-2024-17). DPR is working diligently to fill positions received as a part 2024-2025 Budget, however, the hiring process takes time and thus vacancies led to a temporary offset of revenue required to support complete staffing. DPR will continue to evaluate the proposed budget, projected revenues, and registration fees on an annual basis.

If you have questions regarding pesticide registration fees, please contact the registration Ombudsperson at <Registration.Ombudsperson@cdpr.ca.gov>.

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