Dear Senators CORDER, Smyser, Bock, and Representatives ANDRUS, Boyle, Pence:

The Legislative Services Office, Research and Legislation, has received the enclosed rules of the Idaho State Department of Agriculture:

02.02.14 - Rules For Weights and Measures (Docket No. 02-0214-1101);

02.03.03 - Rules Governing Pesticide and Chemigation Use and Application (Docket No. 02-0303-1101).

Pursuant to Section 67-454, Idaho Code, a meeting on the enclosed rules may be called by the cochairmen or by two (2) or more members of the subcommittee giving oral or written notice to Research and Legislation no later than fourteen (14) days after receipt of the rules analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to call a meeting on the enclosed rules is no later than 08/06/2011. If a meeting is called, the subcommittee must hold the meeting within forty-two (42) days of receipt of the rules analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to hold a meeting on the enclosed rules is 09/03/2011.

The germane joint subcommittee may request a statement of economic impact with respect to a proposed rule by notifying Research and Legislation. There is no time limit on requesting this statement, and it may be requested whether or not a meeting on the proposed rule is called or after a meeting has been held

To notify Research and Legislation, call 334-4845, or send a written request to the address or FAX number indicated on the memorandum enclosed



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### **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Agricultural Affairs Committee and the House

Agricultural Affairs Committee

**FROM:** Principal Legislative Research Analyst - Katharine Gerrity

**DATE:** July 20, 2011

SUBJECT: Idaho State Department of Agriculture

02.02.14 - Rules For Weights & Measures (Docket No. 02-0214-1101)

02.03.03 - Rules Governing Pesticide & Chemigation Use And Application (Docket No. 02-0303-1101)

### 1. 02.02.14 - Rules For Weights & Measures

The Idaho State Department of Agriculture submits notice of a proposed rule at IDAPA 02.02.14 – Rules For Weights And Measures. According to the Department, the purpose of the rule is to update the incorporation by reference section to reflect the 2012 edition of the National Institute of Standards and Technology Handbook 44, Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices. This update is made on an annual basis to maintain uniformity throughout western state jurisdictions. The action appears to be authorized pursuant to Section 71-111, Idaho Code.

### 2. 02.03.03 - Rules Governing Pesticide & Chemigation Use And Application

The Idaho State Department of Agriculture submits notice of proposed rule at IDAPA 02.03.03 – Rules Governing Pesticide and Chemigation Use and Application. The Department states that the current rule requires professional applicators to be physically on site during the entire pesticide application. The Department notes that many chemigation applications take more than two days to complete and the proposed change will allow professional applicators to begin the chemigation application and then return at least once every four hours to check on the application. The Department states that the change was recommended by the Pesticide Licensing Advisory Committee.

The Department also notes that the rule does not regulate an activity not already regulated by the federal government. Idaho law prohibits applicators from using a pesticide in a manner inconsistent with labeling except as provided by rule. The Department notes that most labels allow a certified applicator to leave a chemigation site while the application is in progress. The proposed rule allows applicators to leave the site while the application is in progress but requires them to return at least once every four hours to check on the application. According to the Department, the proposed rule is therefore more stringent than some label requirements.

Mike Nugent Manager Research & Legislation Cathy Holland-Smith, Manager Budget & Policy Analysis

Don H. Berg, Manager Legislative Audits Glenn Harris, Manager Information Technology

The Department states that, although negotiated rulemaking was not conducted, an informal meeting was held with the Pesticide Licensing Advisory Committee. The action appears to be authorized pursuant to Section 22-3421, Idaho Code.

cc: Department of Agriculture Brian Oakey Kevin Merritt George Robinson

#### **IDAPA 02 - DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

# 02.02.14 - RULES FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DOCKET NO. 02-0214-1101

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 71-111, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than August 17, 2011.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To incorporate by reference the 2012 edition of the National Institute of Standard and Technology Handbook 44, Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices. NIST documents are available online at http://www.nist.gov/pml/wmd/index.cfm.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: None.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to Section 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because of the simple nature of the proposed amendment.

**INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE:** Pursuant to Section 67-5229(2)(a), Idaho Code, the following is a brief synopsis of why the materials cited are being incorporated by reference into this rule:

The reason to update this reference document is to maintain uniformity throughout western state jurisdictions.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Kevin Merritt, Section Manager at (208)332-8692.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before August 26, 2011.

DATED this 25th day of June, 2011.

Brian J. Oakey, Deputy Director Idaho State Department of Agriculture 2270 Old Penitentiary Rd. PO Box 790 Boise, ID 83701

Phone: (208) 332-8500 Fax: (208 334-2170

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE PROPOSED TEXT FOR DOCKET NO. 02-0214-1101

#### 004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

- **O1.** Required Reference Materials. The 20142 edition of Handbook No. 44 of the National Institute of Standards and Technology, United States Department of Commerce, "Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices," hereby incorporated by reference, shall be the specifications, tolerances and other technical requirements for commercial weighing and measuring devices, unless otherwise stated in these rules.
- **Required Reference Materials for Checking Prepackaged Commodities**. The 4th Edition of Handbook No. 133 of the National Institute of Standards and Technology, United States Department of Commerce, "Checking the Net Contents of Packaged Goods," hereby incorporated by reference, shall be the authority in checking packaged commodities, unless otherwise stated in these rules. (2-13-04)
- **O3.** Specifications for Diesel Fuel and Biodiesel Fuel. American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) D975-07a, "Standard Specification for Diesel Fuel Oils," and ASTM D6751-07a, "Standard Specification for Biodiesel Fuel (B100) Blend Stock for Distillate Fuels," intended for blending with diesel fuel are hereby incorporated by reference and are the specifications for diesel fuel and biodiesel fuel blend stock (B100 biodiesel).

  (4-2-08)
- **04. Specifications for Gasoline**. American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) D 4814-07a, "Standard Specification for Automotive Spark-Ignition Engine Fuel", dated October 17, 2007, is hereby incorporated by reference and is the specification for gasoline. (5-8-09)
- **05. Local Availability.** Copies of the incorporated documents are on file with the Idaho State Department of Agriculture, 2216 Kellogg Lane, Boise, Idaho 83712. Copies of NIST documents may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Copies are available for downloading on the internet. Copies of ASTM specifications are on file with the Idaho State Department of Agriculture or may be purchased from ASTM International, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, PO Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA, 19428. (4-7-11)

#### **IDAPA 02 - DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

# 02.03.03 - RULES GOVERNING PESTICIDE AND CHEMIGATION USE AND APPLICATION DOCKET NO. 02-0303-1101

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 22-3421, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than August 17, 2011.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The current rule requires professional applicators to be physically on site during the entire pesticide application. Many chemigation applications take more than two days to complete. This change will allow professional applicators to begin the chemigation application and then return at least once every four hours to check on the application. This rule change was recommended by the Pesticide Licensing Advisory Committee.

**IDAHO CODE SECTION 22-101A STATEMENT:** This rule does not regulate an activity not already regulated by the federal government. The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act ("FIFRA") governs the registration and use of pesticides. Under FIFRA, states also have enforcement authority for pesticides: "A State may regulate the sale or use of a federally registered pesticide or device in the State, but only if and to the extent the regulation does not permit any sale or use prohibited by" FIFRA. 7 U.S.C. § 136v. Under FIFRA, it is unlawful for any person "to use any registered pesticide in a manner inconsistent with its labeling." 7 U.S.C. § 136j(a)(2)(G). Under Idaho law, no person shall "[u]se a pesticide in a manner inconsistent with its labeling except as provided by rule." Idaho Code § 22-3420(1). Therefore, pursuant to federal and state law, applicators must follow the requirements on a pesticide label. The majority of pesticide labels allow a certified applicator to leave a chemigation site while the application is in progress. The proposed rule will allow a certified professional applicator to leave the chemigation site while the application is in progress, but they must return at least once every four hours to check on the application. This requirement is more stringent than some label requirements.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: None.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to Section 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, formal negotiated rulemaking was not conducted, because an informal meeting was held with the Idaho Pesticide Licensing Advisory Committee on March 11, 2011 to discuss and revise the rule.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact George Robinson at (208) 332-8531.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before August 24, 2011.

DATED this 29th day of June, 2011.

Brian J. Oakey Deputy Director Idaho State Department of Agriculture 2270 Old Penitentiary Road P.O. Box 790 Boise, Idaho 83701 Phone: (208) 332-8500 Fax: (208) 334-2170

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE PROPOSED TEXT FOR DOCKET NO. 02-0303-1101

#### 100. LICENSING PROFESSIONAL APPLICATORS AND PESTICIDE DEALERS.

#### **01.** Demonstration of Competence.

(3-20-97)

- **a.** Professional applicators shall not recommend the application or make an application of any pesticide for any purpose, unless they have demonstrated competence for that purpose, which competence must be demonstrated by passing Department examinations and becoming licensed in the appropriate categories listed in Subsection 100.02. (3-20-97)
  - **b.** An applicant shall demonstrate competency in the following areas: (3-20-97)
  - i. Labels and labeling, including terminology, instructions, format, warnings and symbols. (3-20-97)
- ii. Safety factors and procedures, including protective clothing and equipment, first aid, toxicity, symptoms of poisoning, storage, handling, transportation and disposal. (3-20-97)
  - iii. Laws, rules, and regulations governing pesticides. (3-20-97)
- iv. Environmental considerations, including the effect of climate and physical or geographical factors on pesticides, and the effects of pesticides on the environment, and the animals and plants living in it. (3-20-97)
- v. Mixing and loading, including interpretation of labels, safety precautions, compatibility of mixtures, and protection of the environment. (3-20-97)
- vi. Methods of use or application, including types of equipment, calibration, application techniques, and prevention of drift and other types of pesticide migration. (3-20-97)
  - vii. Pests to be controlled, including identification, damage characteristics, biology and habitat. (3-20-97)
- viii. Types of pesticides, including formulations, mode of action, toxicity, persistence, and hazards of use. (3-20-97)
- ix. Chemigation practices involving the application of chemicals through irrigation systems, calibration, management, and equipment requirements. (4-5-00)
- x. For use of the Livestock Protection Collar (LPC), in addition to the requirements of Subsection 100.01.b.i. through 100.01.b.viii., professional applicators shall have training in and knowledge of the following:

  (3-19-99)
  - (1) Characteristics and habits of predatory animals, and particularly, coyotes. (3-19-99)
  - (2) Properties of the collars and of Sodium Fluoroacetate (Compound 1080). (3-19-99)
- (3) Recordkeeping requirements set forth in Subsection 150.01 that will additionally include a record of each animal found poisoned or suspected of having been poisoned as a result of the use of Compound 1080, including target and non-target species. (3-19-99)
- (4) The requirement for immediate reporting of suspected poisonings of non-target species and suspected poisonings of humans or domestic animals by the use of Compound 1080 to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) and the Idaho State Department of Agriculture (ISDA). (3-19-99)

- (5) How to properly dispose of animal remains, vegetation, or soil contaminated by a punctured LPC. (3-19-99)
- (6) Practical treatment of Compound 1080 poisonings in humans and domestic animals. (3-19-99)
- (7) Safe handling, attachment, and storage of LPC collars. (3-19-99)
- (8) The requirement to post and maintain bilingual (English/Spanish or other second language appropriate for the region) signs at logical points of access to areas where LPCs are in use. (3-19-99)
- (9) The requirement to perform inspections once every week to ensure that collars in use are accounted for, property positioned, and intact. (3-19-99)
  - (10) Knowledge of alternative controls of predation. (4-5-00)
- xi. For use of the LPC, in addition to the requirements of Subsections 100.01.b.i. through 100.01.b.x., professional applicators shall have training in and the ability to: (3-19-99)
- (1) Recognize potential hazards to humans, domestic animals, and non-target wildlife from the use of the LPC. (3-19-99)
  - (2) Read and understand the labeling specific to the LPC. (3-19-99)
- (3) Recognize general symptoms of poisoning by Compound 1080 in humans and domestic animals and take appropriate action. (3-19-99)
- (4) Recognize where the LPC can be used safely and effectively and, conversely, where alternative methods of control would be more appropriate. (3-19-99)
  - (5) Assess damaged LPCs to determine which can be repaired and which must be disposed of properly. (3-19-99)
  - (6) Properly dispose of the LPCs. (3-19-99)
- **02. Certification**. A person shall be certified by passing Department examinations with a minimum of seventy percent (70%) in the applicable pesticide categories. (5-8-09)
- **a.** Professional applicators shall be certified and licensed in one (1) or more of the following categories: (3-20-97)
- i. Law and Safety (LS). This shall include general knowledge of pesticides including proper use and disposal, product characteristics, first aid, labeling, and laws. Certification in this category is required when certifying in Subsections 100.02.a.ii. through 100.02.a.ix. (3-20-97)
- ii. Agriculture. For persons conducting field crop applications. Agriculture Herbicide (AH). Certification in this category shall also certify a person to make herbicide applications in rights-of-way, forests, and rangelands. Agriculture Insecticide/Fungicide (AI). Certification in this category shall also certify a person to make insecticide/fungicide applications in rights-of-way, forests, and rangelands. Soil Fungigation (SF). (4-5-00)
- iii. Forest Environment (FE). For U.S. Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management personnel, contractors, and private industry personnel who control pests in forests and on rangelands. (3-20-97)
- iv. Right-of-Way Herbicide (RW). For railroads, highway departments and others, for roadside weed control, soil sterilant herbicides, and weed control on public lands (non-crop). Certification in the Agricultural Herbicide category shall exempt the applicant from the need to certify in this category. (3-20-97)
  - v. Public Health Pest (PH). For abatement districts and others controlling mosquitoes and other public

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health pests. (3-20-97)

- vi. Livestock Pest Control (LP). For persons treating livestock pests.
- vii. Ornamental Herbicide (OH). For persons conducting outside urban or residential herbicide applications, with the exception of soil sterilant applications (see Subsection 100.02.a.iv.). Ornamental Insecticide/Fungicide (OI). For persons doing outside urban or residential insecticide and fungicide applications, including exterior applications to residential, urban or commercial buildings, excluding structural destroying pests (see Subsection 100.02.a.ix.). (4-5-00)
- viii. General Pest Control Operations (GP). For persons controlling pests in and around residential, commercial, or other buildings, excluding structural destroying pests. (3-20-97)
- ix. Structural Destroying Pest (SP). For persons involved in the control of pests which destroy wooden structures, such as bridges, houses, offices, and warehouses. (3-20-97)
- x. General Vertebrate Control (GV). For Wildlife Services (WS) personnel of the United States Department of Agriculture-Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, for controlling vertebrates such as rodents, predators, and birds. (4-5-00)
- xi. Rodent Control (RC). For rodent districts and others, for the control of field rodents. Certification in the General Pest Control category shall exempt the applicant from the need to certify in this category. (3-20-97)
- xii. Aquatic Weed and Pest Control (AW). For irrigation districts, canal companies and others, for weed and pest control on aquatic sites. (4-5-00)
  - xiii. Seed Treatment (ST). For persons doing treatments to protect seeds used for plant reproduction. (3-20-97)
  - xiv. Commodity Pest Control (CP). For persons controlling pests in stored commodities. (3-20-97)
  - xv. Potato Cellar Pest Control (PC). For persons who apply sprout inhibitors in potato cellars. (3-20-97)
  - xvi. Wood Preservative (WP). For persons who apply wood preservatives. (3-20-97)
- xvii. Pest Control Consultant-Statewide (SW). For persons who make recommendations or supply technical advice concerning the use of any pesticide for agricultural purposes. (3-20-97)
- xviii. Demonstration and Research (DR). For persons who apply or supervise the use of restricted use pesticides at no charge to demonstrate the action of the pesticide or conduct research with restricted use pesticides. A person shall be eligible to license in this category by passing the Pest Control Consultant examination. (3-20-97)
- xix. Chemigation (CH). For persons who apply chemicals through an irrigation system, excluding Aquatic Weed and Pest Control applicators (see Subsection 100.02.xii.). (4-5-00)
- xx. Livestock Protection Collars (LPC). For use of Livestock Protection Collars (LPC) containing the restricted use pesticide Compound 1080 to control predatory coyotes. (3-19-99)
- **b.** Pesticide Dealers shall be certified and licensed in any category listed in Subsection 100.02 that pertains to the types of restricted use pesticides sold or distributed. (3-23-98)
- **c.** Persons with an active license category on June 30, 1996, shall retain said category under the rules which became effective on July 1, 1996, until the expiration of the certification period or suspension of the license by the Department. (3-23-98)
  - **d.** Mixer-Loaders. Effective December 31, 1998, mixer-loader licenses issued by the Department shall

expire. No person shall act as a mixer-loader for a professional applicator without first obtaining annual training. (3-23-98)

- i. Training shall be conducted and certified by the professional applicator who employs the mixer-loader. Certification of training shall be on a form prescribed by the Department and must include the signatures of both the mixer-loader and the professional applicator providing the training. (3-23-98)
- ii. Training shall include areas relevant to the pesticide mixing and loading operation and instruction on the interpretation of pesticide labels, safety precautions, first aid, compatibility of mixtures, and protection of the environment.

  (3-23-98)
- iii. Employers of mixer-loaders shall comply with federal and state laws related to hazardous occupations and shall provide and ensure the use of personal protective equipment required in the label directions.

  (3-23-98)

#### 03. Department Examination Procedures.

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**a.** Examinations shall be administered by a designated agent.

(3-20-97)

- **b.** To pass a Department examination, professional applicators and pesticide dealers shall obtain a score of seventy percent (70%) or higher. (3-23-98)
- **c.** Payment of examination fees shall be received by the Idaho Department of Agriculture before examination results may be released. (3-20-97)
- **d.** A minimum waiting period of one (1) week shall be required before an applicant may retake an examination. (4-6-05)
- **O4. Licensing Periods and Recertification.** Beginning August 31, 2000, Pesticide Dealer licenses shall expire on August 31, of even numbered years and have a twenty-four (24) month duration. A Pesticide Dealer License application form shall accompany each new license or license renewal request. Professional applicator licenses shall be renewed by satisfying the recertification provisions of this section. Licenses belonging to professional applicators with last names beginning with A through L, inclusive, shall expire on the last day of the year in every odd-numbered year, and licenses belonging to professional applicators with last names beginning with M through Z, inclusive, shall expire on the last day of the year in every even-numbered year. Any professional applicator with less than thirteen (13) months in the licensing period shall not be required to obtain recertification credits during the initial licensing period. The recertification period for professional applicators shall be concurrent with their two (2) year licensing period. Recertification requirements may be accomplished by complying with either Subsection 100.04.a. or 100.04.b. (4-5-00)
- **a.** A person shall accumulate recertification credits by attending Department-accredited pesticide instruction seminars. (3-20-97)
- i. A minimum of fifteen (15) credits shall be earned by a professional applicator during each recertification period. (3-23-98)
- ii. A completed request for accreditation of a seminar shall be received by the Department not less than thirty (30) days prior to the scheduled seminar. Such a request shall be submitted on a form prescribed by the Department. Under exceptional circumstances, as described in writing by the person requesting accreditation, the thirty (30) day requirement may be waived. (3-20-97)
- iii. Credit will be given only for those parts of seminars that deal with pesticide subjects as listed in Subsection 100.01.b. No credit will be given for training given to persons to prepare them for initial certification.

  (3-20-97)
- iv. The number of credits assigned in advance for a seminar, or a part of a seminar, shall be tentative, and may be revised by the Department if it is later found that the training does not comply with Subsection

100.04.a.iii. (3-20-97)

- v. Effective July 1, 1998, a recertification credit shall be based upon one (1) credit for each one (1) hour of instruction, as described in Subsection 100.04.a.iii. Should an applicator's recertification period include credits earned prior to July 1, 1998, those credits based on one hundred fifty (150) minutes of instruction shall be converted to three (3) credits for recertification purposes. (3-23-98)
- vi. Verification of attendance at a seminar shall be accomplished by validating the attendee's pesticide license, using a stamp, sticker, or other method approved by the Department. A designated agent shall ensure that such attendance records are properly completed. Verification of attendance must be submitted with the license renewal application. (3-20-97)
- vii. If a person has accumulated more than fifteen (15) credits during the recertification period, the excess credits may not be carried over to the next recertification period. (3-23-98)
- viii. Upon earning the recertification credits as described above, a person shall be considered by the Department to be recertified for the next recertification period corresponding with the next issuance of a license.

  (3-20-97)
- **b.** A person shall pass the Department's recertification examinations for all categories in which a person intends to license. (3-20-97)
- i. Recertification examinations may be taken by a professional applicator beginning the thirteenth month of the recertification period. (3-23-98)
  - ii. The examination procedures as outlined in Subsection 100.03 shall be followed. (3-23-98)
- iii. In addition to examinations for categories listed under Subsections 100.02.a.ii. through 100.02.a.ix., a person must also pass a Law and Safety recertification examination. (3-23-98)
  - iv. Recertification shall not be achieved by passing an entry-level examination. (3-20-97)
- v. Upon passing the recertification examination(s), a person shall be considered by the Department to be recertified for the next recertification period. (3-20-97)
- **c.** Any person who fails to accumulate the required recertification credits prior to the expiration date of their license shall be required to pass the appropriate recertification examination(s) before being licensed. (3-20-97)
- **05. Licensed Professional Applicator.** Only a licensed professional applicator shall operate or supervise the operation of commercial application equipment by being present during the time of operation. <u>Licensed professional applicators that start the application of chemicals through chemigation equipment do not have to be present during the entire application, but must return to monitor the proper application at least once every four (4) hours for the duration of the application.</u>
- **06. Interim Exemption from Pesticide Dealer Licensing and Recordkeeping.** Until such time as the director promulgates specific rules pertaining to distribution of general use pesticides (GUPs), persons selling only GUPs shall not be required to obtain a pesticide dealer license or maintain distribution records of these products.

(3-30-01)