GOVERNMENT OF GUAM OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 75-29

INTERIM CERTIFICATION OF PESTICIDE APPLICATORS AND LICENSING OF PESTICIDE DEALERS ON GUAM

WHEREAS, there is an urgent need to control the improper use of dangerous pesticides in order to protect our environment in general and drinking water sources in particular, and prevent injury to individual users,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ricardo J. Bordallo, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, do hereby order as follows:

- 1. Any person who uses or supervises the use of any pesticide declared to be "restricted," as indicated on the attachment of this Order, must receive an interim certification from the Administrator of the Guam Environmental Protection Agency. The certification shall only be given after the Administrator determines that the applicant for such certification is competent to use or supervise the use of restricted pesticides for which the certification is being sought.
- 2. Any person who sells or distributes restricted pesticides shall obtain a license from the Administrator of the Guam Environmental Protection.

 Agency. Under no circumstances shall any person sell or distribute restricted pesticides to any person who is not certified as defined in Item 1 of this Order. Sale or distribution of restricted pesticides shall conform to the conditions of the individual applicator's interim certification.
- 3. The importation of any pesticide without English labels or that have not been registered by the United States Environmental Protection Agency or the United States Department of Agriculture is prohibited.
- 4. In carrying out the directives of this order, the Administrator may enter into inter-agency agreements for the purpose of administering and/or seizure of improperly labelled or registered pesticides as defined in Item 3 of this Order.

The Administrator of the Guam Environmental Protection Agency or his designee(s) is directed and authorized to implement the above measures until the enactment and implementation of a comphrensive pesticide control law.

Any Executive Orders heretofore issued in conflict with this Order are hereby repealed insofar as they so conflict.

This Order shall be effective August 1, 1975 and shall remain in effect until superseded by legislative enactment.

Dated this

1975.

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BORDALLO

Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

RUDOLPH G. SABLAN Lieutenant Governor



GUAM ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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INTER-AGENCY MEMORANDUM

JUN 25 1976

TO:

The Governor

FROM:

Administrator

SUBJECT:

Governor's Office Request to Prepare Executive Order for the

Interim Control of Pesticide Sale and Use

At the request of Mr. Paul Souder in a meeting we had with him, Mr. Pete Toves (Public Works), Mr. Leonard Paulino (GHURA), and Mr. Mike Davis (Islandwide Pest Control) on June 3, 1975, we have prepared an Executive Order for your signature establishing interim control over the sale, distribution, and use of restricted pesticides on Guam.

As a result of the passage of comprehensive federal pesticide control legislation, Guam's existing pesticide law, the Uniform Insecticide, Rodenticide, and Fungicide Act (P.L. 10-142), has become obsolete. A new bill, which would be compatible with the Federal law, has been drafted and transmitted to your legal advisor. We had several meetings with him and it is our understanding that the bill is about to be transmitted to the Legislature.

Even though the new legislation is pending, the potential for serious damage caused by the improper use of dangerous pesticides remains. This is particularly true in potable groundwater areas since many pesticides are soluble in water and residual in nature, i.e., they do not breakdown readily and remain in the environment for many years. In cooperation with GEPA, the University of Guam, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, plans to train local pesticide applicators in the proper use of these chemicals through a federal grant via the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and U.S. Department of Agriculture. However, the actual training courses may not begin until September 1975 and graduation of the first class of applicators will not occur for several months thereafter.

In view of the fact that comprehensive legislative controls and needed training will take some time to implement, we have been requested to develop an Executive Order that will introduce a moderate amount of control as an interim measure. The Executive Order anticipates many of the requirements of the proposed pesticide legislation, although to a more moderate degree. This gradual imposition of control we hope, will acclimatize local applicators to the necessity for regulating use of dangerous pesticides while not instituting strict control until after they have had an opportunity to attend University provided training classes.

The Executive Order creates an "interim certification" to allow individuals to apply specific restricted pesticides (see attachment #1). The format of this "interim certification" and the fact sheet describing the extent of the individual's use and understanding of selected pesticides Is provided as attachment #2.

In addition, the Executive Order calls for the licensing of distributors/ sellers of restricted pesticides; this is the primary control mechanism to keep unauthorized individuals from securing dangerous pesticides. The proposed license format is attachment #3.

Lastly, the Executive Order authorizes the Administrator (or his agent) to seize pesticides which do not carry English labels or federal registration numbers. Such pesticides currently violate federal law, and ultimately local law.

In summary, while this program will not be a solution to our pesticide control problems, it does provide an Interim approach allowing us to implement some controls immediately while delaying strict regulation until local applicators have had an opportunity to be adequately trained.

O. V. NATARAJAN, Ph.D.

Attachments



GUAM ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Interim Certification for Application of Restricted Pesticides

This certifies that	, of
(Name)	(Mailing and/or Home Address)
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is authorized to purchase and use the f	ollowing restricted pesticides for the
purpose of	:
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	ISSUANCE DATE:
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Certification No.	Head, Planning and Program Development

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION AS A PRIVATE

APPLICATOR OF RESTRICTED PESTICIDES

1.	Name of Applicant:	
2.	Mailing Address:	Residence Location:
3.	Phone No.: Residence	Business
*4.		plant nursery, etc. where restricted
* 5.	Crop(s) or animal(s) produced:	
*6 .		or yearly amount of each:
7.		
8.	Most of the instructions of information on tare obtained from:	the safe and proper use of pesticides
	/ Other farmers $/$ /	County agents
	/ / Pesticide salesman / /	Self instructed
9.	Equipment presently used: / / Tractor moun	nted boom $/$ Mist blower
	// Power duster	r / Knapsack sprayer
		sprayer / / Others (specify)
I ce	ertify that the statements made on this form a	are true to the best of my knowledge.
Sign	ned: Date: _	

*If additional space is needed, please use reverse side of this form.

Schedule of pesticide training classes to be conducted by the University of Guam, Cooperative Extension Service will come at a later date. A temporary certification will be issued to you upon completion of this form. Temporary certification will be valid upon completion of a formal training course and upon certification by this Agency or within one year from the date of issuance, whichever occurs first.

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION AS A COMMERCIAL

APPLICATOR OF RESTRICTED PESTICIDES

2. Name of Firm or Agency: 3. Mailing Address (Business): Location of Business: 4. Phone No.: Business Residence 5. Type of Commercial Certification: 6. Pesticides that are being used and amount: 7. Number of years experience in applying pesticides: 8. Most of the instructions or information on the safe and proper use of pesticides are obtained from: 9. Other Pesticide Applicator On—the—job Training Pesticide Salesman Self Instructed 9. Equipment present used: Tractor mounted boom sprayer Mist blower Power duster Rnapsack sprayer Power hose sprayer Others (specify) I certify that the statements made on this form are true to the best of my knowledge.	
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Resi 'ed use pesticides.

The following pesticide formulations or pesticide products when used in accordance with commonly recognized practices may be highly toxic or may cause unreasonable adverse effects on the environment including man, land and water together with desirable flora and fauna and for reasons based on the criteria as set forth are designated as restricted pesticides under these regulations.

- A. For Reasons of Human Health and Safety
- Pesticides highly toxic to man......

Pesticide/Pesticide Formulation	Restricted Concentration
Acrolein (Aqualin, Acryaldehyde) Aldicarb (Temik) Aluminum phosphide (Phostoxin) Arsenic compounds, inorganic	AII AII
Azinphos Methyl, ethyl Guthion	All All
cis-crotonamide]	All
Bomyl [dimethyl 3-hydroxyglutaconate dimethyl phosphate] Carbofuran (Furadan)	AII AII
Copper aceto arsenite (Paris Green)	AII
Dasanit [0,0-diethyl 0-p-(methylsulfinyl) phenyl- phosphorothioate] Demeton (Systox) Dioxathion (Delnav) Diphacinone	AII AII
Disulfoton, Di-syston [0,0-diethyl S-2-ethylthio ethyl	baits
phosphorothioate] DNBP, DNOSBP [dinoseb] DNOC [4, 6-dinitro-o-cresol and salts] Dyfonate [0-ethyl S-phenyl ethylphosphonodithioate] Endothal and salts	AII AII AII
Endrin EPN [O-ethyl O-p-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothioate] Ethion Ethylene dibromide, Ethylene dichloride	AII AII AII
FamphurFumarin [3−alpha−acetonylfurfuryl−4−hyḍroxy∞umarin]	

Pesticide/Pesticide Formulation	Restricted Concentration
Endosulfan (Thiodan) Mercury compounds Nicotine Nicotine salts Paraquat Phosphorus (white or yellow) Pentachlorophenol and salts Sodium chlorate (without a fire retardant)	 All All above 40% All above 0.2% cation All All above 5%
B. For Reasons of Environmental Protection	
I. Pesticides or pesticide formulations that are potential to the biosphere because they are determined to be of relat persistence, ecologically πobile, and biologically concentr	ively high
Pesticide/Pesticide Formulation	Restricted Concentration
Aldrin Cadmium compounds DDD, TDE DDT Dieldrin Heptachlor Selenium compounds Toxaphene 2. Other pesticides or pesticide formulations determined thazard to particular segments of the biota, for one or more include but not restricted to persistence, toxicity (either to particular segments of the biota, or due to manner in whomarketed or used.	All All All All All All All All end all all all all all all all all
Pesticide/Pesticide Formulation	Restricted Concentration or volume
Avitrol [4-Aminopyridine] [4-Nitropyridine, N-oxide] BHC Chlordane Diquat Fenthion (Baytex) Mirex [Dodecachlorooctahydro-1, 3, 4-metheno-1H-cyclobuta(cd) pentalene] Lindane Picloram (Tordon) Silvex 2, 4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic acid and its esters and salts	 All above 1% All above 10% *All All All All above 1% All All above 1% All *All
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PESTICIDE DEALER'S LICENSE APPLICATION

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GUAM ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Pesticide Dealer License

This certifies that	· , of
pursuant to Executive Order #75- is	authorized to sell the following restricted
pesticides:	
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This license is subject to the following	
	nly be made to individuals possessing a sued pursuant to Executive Order #75
B. The sale of any additional rest	tricted pesticides is prohibited without PA amending this license.
	ISSUANCE DATE:
	EXPIRATION DATE:
License No Head, P.	lanning & Program Development Division