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Notice of Meeting and Agenda for the Pesticide Groundwater use Reporting Subcommittee of the Task Force on the Regulation of Structural Pest Management

The above subcommittee of the Task Force on the Regulation of Structural Pest Management (OPM Task Force) gives notice that it will hold a meeting open to the public on Tuesday, June 26, 2012 beginning at 8:00 a.m. in room 126 of the Arizona Department of Agriculture, 1688 W Adams Street, Phoenix. Members of the subcommittee will attend either in person or by telephone conference call.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Roll Call – Jack Peterson, Subcommittee Chairman
2. Committee member meeting minute suggested changes.
3. Discussion of draft rule - pesticide use reporting for groundwater protection - for subcommittee approval to forward to the full Task Force.
4. Call to the Public (2 minute limit per speaker)

This is the time for the public to comment on items relating to the Task Force's purpose and discussions held or wished to be discussed in the future. Members of the Task Force may not discuss items that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, in response to public comments made on issues that are not listed on the agenda, the Task Force is limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.

5. Set Next Meeting Date and Topic Discussion
6. Adjourn

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Dated this 21st day of June, 2012

R3-7-505. Groundwater Protection List Reporting

A. For each application of a soil-applied pesticide containing an active ingredient that appears on the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality groundwater protection list and has been detected in Arizona within the last five years, the QP shall submit the following information on a quarterly basis on a form approved by the Department:

1. The county of use,
2. The name of product used and the EPA registration number,
3. The amount applied,
4. The dates covered by the report, and
5. Business license number.

B. For the purposes of this section, “soil-applied pesticide” means a pesticide intended for application to or injection into the soil or for which the label requires or recommends that the application be followed within seventy-two hours by irrigation. Soil-applied pesticides include pesticides applied for final grade treatment, post-construction exterior trench or rod treatment, or pre-emergent weed control, but exclude pesticides applied at or above grade or within the stem wall or footer of a structure.

R3-7-503. Business Licensee, Registered Private Owner, and Political Subdivision Recordkeeping and Retention

B. A business licensee, registered private owner, or political subdivision shall maintain the records as follows:

12. Records under R3-7-505, two years.