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**TO: ALL RESTRICTED MATERIALS PERMIT HOLDERS
ALL OPERATOR IDENTIFICATION NUMBER HOLDERS**

This year, the Agricultural Commissioner's Office will begin issuing permits and Operator I.D. Numbers **as early as December 7, 2009** for pesticide usage during the 2010 calendar year.

As a reminder, please note the following:

1. Person(s) wishing to obtain a 2010 Restricted Permit or an Operator I.D. Number must call their local Agricultural Commissioner's district office and arrange for an **appointment in advance** of coming into the office. *
2. Persons should plan on at least forty-five minutes in order to complete the Restricted Material Permitting process.
3. It is mandatory that persons bring with them all necessary materials to complete the process, including:
 - (a) complete, updated maps of each site (including locations of wellheads)
 - (b) crops, locations, acreages (or estimates of same)
 - (c) list of requested pesticides to be used
 - (d) Assessor parcel numbers (APN's) for each site
4. If you are not sure what documents are needed, please call well ahead of your appointment to discuss this with the Pesticide Division Investigator.
5. If a permittee has not filed Pesticide Use Reports or is delinquent in doing so, permits must be refused until that problem is resolved. If you are uncertain as to your Pesticide Use Report status, please call the district Pesticide Division Investigator immediately.

Sincerely,

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