B: GENERAL PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following permit conditions apply to all Stanislaus County Restricted Materials Permits except those specifically conditioned otherwise.

1. A notice of intent (NOI) shall be **submitted a minimum of 24 hours prior** to the use of California Restricted Materials. For weekend and early Monday applications of Restricted materials, NOIs shall be submitted by 3:00 pm Friday prior. NOI's shall be received by 3:00 pm the business day prior to a Stanislaus County Holiday. Agricultural use **NOIs must be transmitted to or submitted electronically** via www.CalAgPermits.org, all other submittal methods will no longer be accepted unless a hardship exemption has been granted. See updates to Title 3 California Code of Regulations, Section 6434 for further details.

2. Use of **Paraquat** pesticides is restricted to **certified pesticide applicators only**; noncertified persons working under the supervision of a certified applicator are **prohibited** from using paraquat, including mixing, loading, applying the pesticide, and other pesticide-related activities.

a) Please note that the employees of a Pest Control Business must possess a valid QAL or QAC license to be considered a certified applicator. PAC certification is limited only to growers and their employees.
b) All paraquat labels include a link to paraquat-specific training. The training provides important information about paraquat's toxicity, new label requirements and restrictions, and the consequences of misuse. The training must be retaken every three years per label use instructions.
c) A copy of this certificate should be retained by the certified applicator as required by label and available upon request during NOI evaluation, during pre-application site monitoring inspection or during a pesticide use monitoring inspection.

3. NOIs for Aluminum Phosphide used for treatment of burrowing vertebrates may be submitted per site for the entire month during which the application is intended to take place, followed by pesticide use reports due on the 10th day of the following month for property operators and within 7 days of the application for Pest Control Businesses.

4. Field fumigant NOIs shall be submitted **96 hours** in advance. For field fumigations proposed for Monday, the NOI must be submitted by Tuesday prior (See specific regulations for methyl bromide field fumigations).

5. Notices of intent meet the permit requirement of time-specific notification. The pesticide use may commence within **4 days** of the intended application date if delays are caused by uncontrollable conditions such as adverse weather or unavailability of equipment. Once commenced, the application must be finished by the 3rd day. If the intended application does not take place within **4 days** of the proposed application date submitted on an NOI, the permittee must resubmit another NOI to the Agricultural Commissioner for the new proposed application date. The replacement NOI should be marked **"RESUBMITTAL" or "DATE CHANGE"**. If the application is cancelled please notify our office.

6. NOI waiver requests are limited to critical situations where immediate control measures are needed to prevent substantial economic loss. Requests will be approved or denied at the Commissioner's discretion.

7. Pesticide application restrictions for production agricultural use within a **quarter-mile** of a school site will also apply to Private Schools, K-12, Monday through Friday, during the hours of 6:00 am – 6:00 pm. Please refer to Title 3 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 6691, for restrictions on distance, application equipment, and the type of pesticide applied.

8. Metam Sodium and Metam Potassium Permit Conditions will be issued at the time of submission of NOI, 96 hours in advance.

9. Emergency exemption (Section 18) permits expire at the same time as the current Section 18 registration expires. If the Section 18 pesticide is subsequently re-registered, the permittee must appear in person to renew the Section 18 permit. The Section 18 label is a part of the registered label and must be present at the application site at the time of use.

NOTICE: FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE CONDITIONS AND OTHER PERTINENT LAWS AND REGULATIONS MAY RESULT IN THE REVOCATION OF YOUR PERMIT AND THE POSSIBILITY OF FURTHER ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION BY THIS DEPARTMENT.