TITLE 357 INDIANA PESTICIDE REVIEW BOARD

Notice of Public Comment Period for Rule Readoption

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Readopts rules in anticipation of <u>IC 4-22-2.6</u>, providing that an administrative rule adopted under <u>IC 4-22-2</u> expires January 1 of the fifth year after the year in which the rule takes effect unless the rule contains an earlier expiration date. Effective 30 days after filing with the publisher.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: IC 15-16-5-44; IC 15-16-5-51; IC 15-16-5-72

OVERVIEW

Rules to be readopted without changes are as follows:

357 IAC 1-16-6 Pesticide use restrictions

357 IAC 1-16-7 Pesticide storage restrictions

357 IAC 1-16-8 Pesticide notification

Rules to be repealed without changes are as follows:

None

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS UNDER IC 4-22-2.6-4

Based on the regulatory analysis performed by the Indiana Pesticide Review Board:

- (1) There is a continued need for this rule.
- (2) Civil penalties for failure to comply are reasonable and justified.
- (3) Complaints and comments encountered by OISC or the regulated communities have been relatively nonexistent since the first couple of years of implementation.
- (4) Difficulties encountered by OISC or the regulated communities have been relatively nonexistent since the first couple of years of implementation.
- (5) Economic conditions have not changed appreciably since original implementation.
- (6) Technology advancements (all e-communications) since original implementation have made compliance easier.

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS

At this time, the Indiana Pesticide Review Board solicits the following:

- (1) The submission of alternative ways to achieve the purpose of the rule.
- (2) The submission of suggestions for the development of draft rule language.

Comments may be submitted in one of the following ways:

(1) By mail or common carrier to the following address:

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(2) By electronic mail to scottde@purdue.edu. To confirm timely delivery of submitted comments, please request a document receipt when sending the electronic mail. PLEASE NOTE: Electronic mail comments will NOT be considered part of the official written comment period unless they are sent to the address indicated in this notice.

COMMENT PERIOD DEADLINE

All comments must be postmarked or time stamped not later than October 13, 2023.

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