



**RULE-MAKING ORDER**  
(RCW 34.05.360)

**CR-103 (10/1/89)**

Agency: **Washington State Department of Agriculture**

- Permanent Rule
- Emergency Rule

(1) Date of adoption: **3/27/90**

(2) Purpose: **Restricts the use of certain herbicides and pesticides.**

(3) Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed:

Amended: **16-228-164 and 16-230-615**

Suspended:

(4) Authority for adoption:

Statute: **15.58 RCW and 17.21 RCW**

Other Authority:

**(5.1) PERMANENT RULE ONLY**

Pursuant to notice filed as WSR \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:

**(5.2) EMERGENCY RULE ONLY**

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- (a) That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
- (b) That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.

Reasons for this finding: **The new private applicator's fee required by HB 2222 has discouraged citizens in these three counties from renewing their private applicator's license. These licenses are required to purchase 2,4-D in one gallon containers which sells at a much lower price than smaller containers. The control of noxious weeds is very important to agriculture and this change would be of great assistance in empowering landowners to control noxious weeds in this area. There are no commercial noxious weed applicators available in this area. The only change for weed control is keeping land owners enlisted on controlling their noxious weeds.**

(5.3) Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

- Yes  No If yes, explain:

(6) Effective date of rule:

**Permanent Rules**

31 days after filing

Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_ \*

\*(If less than 31 days after filing, specific finding in 5.3 under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required)

**Emergency Rules**

Immediately

Later (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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DEPARTMENT OF  
GENERAL SERVICES  
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TITLE

**Director**

DATE

**3/27/90**

AMENDATORY SECTION

WAC 16-228-164 State restricted use pesticides for use by certified applicators only. (1) Pesticides containing the following active ingredients are hereby declared state restricted use pesticides for the protection of groundwater and shall be distributed only by licensed pesticide dealers to certified applicators or their duly authorized representatives. These pesticides shall be used or applied only by certified applicators or persons under the direct supervision of a certified applicator and only for those uses covered by the certified applicator's license category(s).

| <u>Common Chemical Name</u> | <u>Also Known As*</u> |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| alachlor                    | Lasso                 |
| aldicarb                    | Temik                 |
| atrazine                    |                       |
| bromacil                    | Hyvar, Krovar         |
| carbofuran                  | Furadan               |
| cyanazine                   | Bladex                |
| DCPA                        | Dacthal               |
| 1,3-dicloropropene          | Telone                |
| disulfoton                  | Di-Syston             |
| diuron                      | Karmex, Krovar        |
| heptachlor                  |                       |
| hexazinone                  | Velpar                |
| metolachlor                 | Dual                  |
| metribuzin                  | Lexone, Sencor        |
| oxamyl                      | Vydate                |
| picloram                    | Tordon                |
| prometon                    | Pramitol              |
| simazine                    | Princep               |
| tebuthiuron                 | Spike                 |

\*This column is to be used only as a guide and may not include all brand or trade names under which these chemicals are distributed.

(2) Pesticides defined by the following categories are hereby declared state restricted use pesticides and shall be distributed only by licensed pesticide dealers to certified applicators or their duly authorized representatives. These pesticides shall be used or applied only by certified applicators or persons under the direct supervision of a certified applicator, and only for those uses covered by the certified applicator's license category. Dealers shall keep records as defined in subsection (4) of this section, and shall furnish the records to the director as defined in subsection (7) of this section.

(a) Any EPA restricted use pesticide not listed in this rule.

(b) 2,4-D - all dry formulations and all liquid formulations distributed in packages of one gallon and larger to be used in counties located east of the crest of the Cascade Mountains. The following types of formulations are exempt from this requirement:

(i) Dry formulations labeled and intended for home and garden use only;

(ii) One gallon containers of liquid amine formulations packaged as ready-to-use products, labeled for consumer use; and

(iii) One gallon containers of liquid amine formulations containing fifteen percent or less of restricted use herbicides, labeled for consumer use.

(iv) Liquid formulations of any concentration in containers up to and including one gallon in size when purchased and used within Ferry, Stevens, and Okanogan Counties for noxious weed control.

(3) Pesticides which are not classified as EPA restricted use pesticides and which are labeled and intended only for the following uses are exempt from the requirements of this section:

(a) Home and garden use;

(b) Pet products;

(c) Cooling tower, air conditioner, industrial systems and humidifier biocides;

(d) Use within wholly enclosed structures (with floors) or fumigation chambers. Greenhouses are not considered as wholly enclosed structures.

(4) Pesticide dealers shall keep records of distribution of state restricted use pesticides specified by common chemical name in subsection (1) and (2) of this section for a period of seven years from the date of distribution. The records shall contain the following information:

(a) Name and address of purchaser;

(b) Name and address of certified applicator (if different from (a) above);

(c) Name of authorized agent (if applicable);

(d) Brand and specific pesticide name and/or EPA registration number;

(e) Number of pounds or gallons of the pesticide distributed;

(f) Date of distribution;

(g) Certified applicator number.

(5) Certified applicators may designate authorized agent(s) for the purpose of purchasing or receiving restricted use pesticides listed in subsections (1) and (2) of this section by making previous arrangements with the pesticide dealer, or the authorized agent may provide written authorization to the dealer at the time of purchase. At the time of purchase by an authorized agent the pesticide dealer shall require the certified applicator's name and license or certification number.

(6) Certified applicators shall keep records of applications of state restricted use pesticides specified by common chemical name in subsection (1) and (2) of this section for a period of seven years from the date of application, and the records shall contain the information specified in WAC 16-228-190.

(7) Records required by subsections (4) and (6) of this section shall be furnished to the director immediately upon request.

AMENDATORY SECTION

**WAC 16-230-615 Restricted use herbicides--eastern Washington--sale and distribution.** Liquid formulations of restricted use herbicides distributed in packages of one gallon or larger in counties located east of the crest of the Cascade Mountains shall be sold and distributed only by licensed pesticide dealers to certified applicators or their duly authorized representatives except for liquid amine formulations of ready-to-use products, or liquid amine formulations containing fifteen percent or less of restricted use herbicides, labeled for consumer use in containers up to and including one gallon in size or liquid formulations of any concentration of 2,4-D in containers up to and including one gallon in size when purchased and used within Ferry, Stevens, and Okanogan Counties for noxious weed control.