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REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO BLOSSOMING ALFALFA, CLOVER, AND MINT

I, Joe Dwyer, Director of Agriculture, by virtue of the authority vested in me under Chapter 17.21, RCW, after due notice as provided under Chapter 34.04 and 42.32, RCW and a public hearing held in Yakima on April 4, 1963, do promulgate the following regulations relating to the use and application of certain pesticides on blossoming alfalfa, clover and mint.

Regulation 1. Pesticides and Area Under Order. The following agricultural pesticides are by this order declared to be restricted use pesticides in all counties of the State of Washington: Aldrin, BHC (Benzene Hexachloride), Bidrin, Chlordane, Chlorthion, Diazinon, Dibrom, Dieldrin, Dilan, Dimethoate, Di-Syston, DDT, Delnav, Demeton (Systox), Dylox, Endrin, EPN, Ethion, Ethyl-Methyl Guthion, Guthion, Heptachlor, Imidan, Korlan, Lindane, Malathion, Menazon, Metacide, Metasystox, Methoxychlor, Methyl Parathion, Methyl Trithion, Parathion, Perthene, Phorate, Phosdrin, Phosphamidon, Phostex, TDE (Rhothane or DDD), TEPP, Thiodan, Toxaphene, Trithion, Vapona, and Zectran.

Regulation 2. The use or application of the following listed pesticides, or any formulation thereof on blossoming alfalfa and clover crops is prohibited in all counties of the State of Washington. Blossoming period of alfalfa or clover in a given field is whenever there are two or more blooms per square yard on the average. For the purpose of this regulation, a bloom is defined as any clover head or alfalfa raceme containing one or more open flowers.

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| a. Aldrin | m. Imidan |
| b. BHC (Benzene Hexachloride) | n. Lindane |
| c. Bidrin | o. Malathion (dust) |
| d. Chlordane | p. Metacide |
| e. Chlorthion | q. Methyl Parathion |
| f. Diazinon | r. Methyl Trithion |
| g. Dibrom (dust) | s. Parathion |
| h. Dimethoate | t. Phosdrin (dust) |
| i. EPN | u. Phosphamidon |
| j. Ethyl-methyl Guthion | v. Vapona |
| k. Guthion | w. Zectran |
| l. Heptachlor | |

Regulation 3. The use or application of the following listed pesticides or any formulation thereof on blossoming alfalfa and clover crops is restricted to applications only within the period beginning at two hours prior to sunset and ending at two and one-half hours after sunrise the following morning. Blossoming period of alfalfa or clover in a given field is whenever there are two or more blooms per square yard on the average. PROVIDED, THAT endrin may only be applied to blossoming clover crops pursuant to this regulation and its application to blossoming alfalfa shall be made pursuant to regulation 5.

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| a. DDT | e. Dieldrin (granular) |
| b. Delnav | f. Dilan |
| c. Demeton (Systox) | g. Di-Syston (granular) |
| d. Dibron (emulsifiable concentrate) | h. Dylox |

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| i. Endrin | q. Phorate (Thimet-granular) |
| j. Ethion | r. Phosdrin (liquid) |
| k. Heptachlor (granular) | s. Phostex |
| l. Korlan | t. TDE (Klothane or DDD) |
| m. Menazon | u. TSPF |
| n. Metasystox | v. Thiodan |
| o. Methoxychlor | w. Toxaphene |
| p. Perthane | x. Trithion |

Regulation 4. The use or application of the pesticides known as Dibrom (wetttable powder), Malathion, and Phorate in emulsifiable, liquid, or wetttable powder formulations applied as sprays on blossoming alfalfa or clover crops is restricted to applications only within the period beginning at two hours prior to sunset and ending at midnight of the same day. Blossoming period of alfalfa or clover in a given field is whenever there are two or more blooms per square yard on the average.


Regulation 5. The use or application of the pesticide Endrin in either spray or dust formulations applied on blossoming alfalfa is restricted to applications only within the period beginning at two hours prior to sunset and ending at midnight of the same day. Blossoming period of alfalfa in a given field is whenever there are two or more blooms per square yard on the average.

Regulation 6. The use or application of the pesticides known as Dieldrin and Sevin in either spray or dust formulations on blossoming alfalfa, clover and mint crops is prohibited in all counties of the State of Washington; PROVIDED, THAT sprays or dusts of Dieldrin or Sevin on these crops is permissible if applied seven days or more before there are two or more blooms per square yard on the average in a given field.

Regulation 7. The use or application of the pesticides known as Parathion, Metacide, Malathion, and Methyl Parathion on blossoming mint crops in dust formulations is prohibited. The use of emulsifiable or liquid formulations of Parathion, Metacide and Methyl Parathion on blossoming mint crops is restricted to applications only within the period beginning at two hours prior to sunset and ending at two and one-half hours after sunrise, if the mint field is located within one (1) air mile of a registered bee apiary; PROVIDED, THAT this restriction does not apply when the average temperature in the area at time of application is less than 60°F.

For the purpose of this order, the time of sunrise and sunset will be that of the official tables, U. S. Weather Bureau, Yakima, Washington.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the regulations promulgated by the Department of Agriculture.


 JOE DWYER
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 State of Washington

Signed at Olympia, Washington

April 22, 1963