



Department of Pesticide Regulation



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TO: County Agricultural Commissioners

SUBJECT: CALIFORNIA POISON CONTROL SYSTEM

The California Poison Control System (CPCS) plans to begin facilitating illness reports this coming Monday, October 2. Later today, Worker Health and Safety will send a message to the e-mail address(es) you or your pesticide deputy designated to receive illness notifications. That message will provide instructions for retrieving information on the cases reported through CPCS.

We expect this system to provide you with very prompt notification of events in your county, enabling efficient and informative investigations.

If you have any questions, please contact Louise Mehler at lmehler@cdpr.ca.gov or by phone at (916) 445-4190.

Sincerely,

(original signed by S. Edmiston for C. Andrews)

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