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TO: COUNTY AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT: PESTICIDE SAFETY INFORMATION SERIES
LEAFLETS

The Worker Health and Safety Branch recently completed revising the "A" series Pesticide Safety Information Series (PSIS) leaflets. Revisions were necessary to include the provisions of the Worker Protection Standards. Spanish translations of these documents are also complete.

The PSIS has been divided into two series; the "A" series covers requirements for production agriculture, while the "N" series explains the regulations and guidelines for all other pesticide use situations. Currently, only the "A" series are complete. Completion of the "N" series is expected by the first of March.

The "A" series (English and Spanish) is currently available on, and can be downloaded from the Department of Pesticide Regulation home page. Briefly, to locate the PSIS documents click on "Current DPR Publications", then on "Pesticide Safety Information Series Leaflets." Just follow the instructions to view and then print a document. These documents will soon be available through normal channels from the Pesticide Enforcement Branch.

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If you have questions about the PSIS leaflets, or how to obtain them, please contact Susan Edmiston, Senior Environmental Research Scientist, Worker Health and Safety Branch, at (916) 445-4278.

Sincerely,

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