



“From the Director”

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Hello,

As we move forward in 2015, DPR continues to be at the cutting edge of pesticide regulation as we protect California- its people and environment.

However, I think it's important to understand that a science based regulatory program, like ours, depends upon the work of many skilled individuals. Their range of expertise includes law, science, information technology (IT), administrative services, public outreach and more.

The actions described in the 2012-2014 DPR Progress Report do not fully capture the day-to-day activities of DPR staff. But hopefully, the report provides you with a glimpse of the amount, and complexity of work that is required in order to fulfill our mission. And it reflects the valuable contribution from our many stakeholders.

The activities mentioned in the report are the results of the highly dedicated and skilled staff that make up the DPR. They are just one reason why I continue to be immensely proud to be the director of this department.

You can read the report below or online at <http://bit.ly/1DKY8xh>

Brian Leahy, Director

