Proposed Regulations
Pest Control Aircraft Pilots

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Prior to AB 527

• Unlawful for a pilot to operate an aircraft in pest control without a valid pest control aircraft pilot’s certificate issued by DPR
  • Journeyman
  • Apprentice
AB 527 (Caballero, 2017)

• Unlawful to operate a manned aircraft in pest control without a manned pest control aircraft pilot’s certificate
  • Journeyman
  • Apprentice

• Unlawful to operate an unmanned aircraft in pest control without either a manned or unmanned pest control aircraft pilot’s certificate
  • Journeyman
  • Apprentice
  • Vector Control
AB 527 (Caballero, 2017)

- Manned pest control aircraft pilot certificate applicants are required to have
  - Valid commercial pilot’s certificate
  - Medical certificate issued by FAA
- Unmanned pest control aircraft pilot certificate applicants are required to have
  - Authorization by the FAA to operate an approved UAS to conduct pest control
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• Align regulations with current state law
• Incorporate revised application forms by reference
Questions?