

# State of Nevada - Department Of Agriculture

## **Rodent Burrow Fumigation License Change Notification**

June 13, 2012

All Licensed C4 Fumigators:

RE: Changes to your 2013 Fumigation - C4 License

The reason you are receiving this notification is because EPA recently mandated that all phosphine gas fumigant labels undergo re-registration. One result of the reregistration process is new safety and use requirements for those who use phosphine fumigants have been incorporated into the new labels.

The new use requirements are intended to increase protection of workers and people who live, work, or otherwise spend time near areas where phosphine gas is being used as a fumigant. All phosphine fumigants are currently being distributed with new labeling. The new labeling affects all formulations of aluminum phosphide and magnesium phosphide.

What is being required of all C4, C4r (no soil fumigation) or C4i (restricted to rodent burrow) Licensees? By December 31, 2012, all C4, C4r or C4i Licensees (Principals and Operators) will need to comply with one of the two provisions below to maintain their C4, C4r or C4i Licenses.

- 1) All C4, C4r or C4i Licensees will be required to take phosphine gas specific training (see reverse for available trainings); or,
- 2) Take and pass the new Rodent Burrow/Phosphine exam at the NDA (\$25.00).

Should a licensee (Principal or Operator) fail to receive training or take the new exam, the NDA will place a "NO RODENT BURROW FUMIGATION" restriction on their C4 or C4r License or suspend their C4i License, starting with the 2013 licensing year. After 12/31/2012, the license restriction or suspension can be removed only by taking the new Rodent Burrow/Phosphine exam.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please call:

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#### Reno

#### November 6, 2012 Verdi – Cabela's

Registration for this program must be made through the CTN Educational Services.

For on-line registration go to

http://www.ctnedu.com/nevada ceu reg reno.php, for questions about this event, call 512-829-5114.

Course # TBA –up to 6.0 CEU's (est. up to 1.0 Law / 5.0 General) <<C4 – Fumigation phosphine training will be available>>

### Las Vegas

October 18, 2012 (Day 1)

Las Vegas –Sam's Town Hotel and Gambling Hall 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration for this program must be made through the Desert Green Foundation. For on-line registration go to http://www.desert-green.org/ for questions about this event, call 702-454-3057.

Course # NV-12-034 –up to 6.0 CEU's (up to 2.0 Law / 4.0 General) <<C4 – Fumigation phosphine training will be available>>

**December 17, 2012** Las Vegas – The Orleans Hotel & Casino 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

(Day 1) Registration for this program must be made through the CTN Educational Services. For on-line registration go to

> http://www.ctnedu.com/nevada\_ceu\_reg\_vegas.php, for questions about this event, call 512-829-5114.

Course # NV-12-013 -up to 6.0 CEU's (up to 2.0 Law / 4.0 General Course # NV-12-013a -up to 8.0 CEU's (up to 4.0 Law / 4.0 General <<C4 – Fumigation phosphine training will be available>>