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Dear Primary Principal:

Effective Date: January 22, 2004

We are currently in the process of finalizing regulations which will certify only **primary** principals of pest control companies to purchase, use or supervise the use of restricted use pesticides in Nevada. Under the new regulations, only **primary** principals of Nevada pest control companies will be traditionally certified as long as they hold a valid Nevada pest control license in the category(ies) of their license. These applicators (primary principals) do not have to obtain a separate certification credential as was previously required to purchase restricted use pesticides. Once it is determined by a RUP Dealer that you are a primary principal (this is designated on the back of your pest control license as "PP" and states "certified for restricted use pesticides only in categories marked PP"), the dealer will then make sure that you are licensed in the appropriate category. When a dealer logs the sale, they will record your individual pest control ID number from the front of their card. This is a six digit number under the barcode (example: 598765). All of the following license categories apply for Primary Principal certification:

Agriculture Aerial Categories:

- A1- insecticides
- A2-herbicides
- A3-dessiccants and defoliantes
- A4-fungicides and bactericides

Agriculture Ground Categories:

- B1-insecticides
- B2-herbicides
- B3-dessiccants and defoliantes
- B4-fungicides and bactericides
- B5-rodenticides

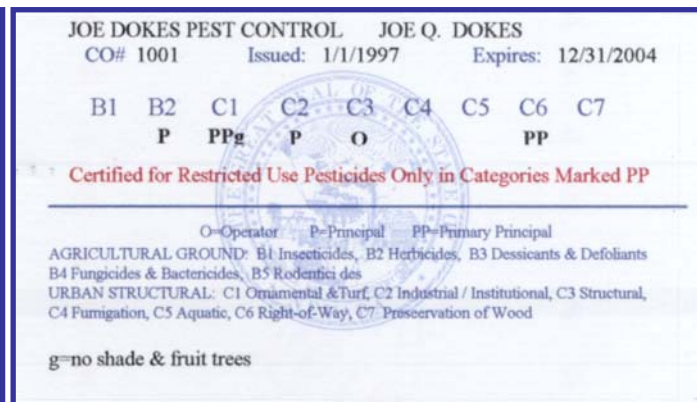
Urban/Structural Categories:

- C1-ornamental, turf, and tree
- C2-industrial and institutional
- C3-structural
- C4-fumigation
- C5-aquatic
- C6-right of way
- C7-preservation of wood

License card front



License card back



This applicator would be able to purchase, use or supervise the use of restricted use pesticides in categories C1 (ornamental & turf – with a restriction of “no shade & fruit tree control”) and C6 (right of way) only.

[You're just a click away from accessing Nevada Certified Applicators On-line!](#)

As you know, many Nevada Certified Applicators Certifications expired 12/31/2003 and are up for renewal. The Nevada Department of Agriculture has implemented a new system for accessing and verifying Nevada Certified Applicators Certification Numbers. It's very simple, go to the Nevada Department of Agriculture web site at www.agri.nevada.gov and click on Nevada RUP Certification Program under the heading PROGRAMS (to the left of the page), or simply bookmark the following link: http://www.agri.nevada.gov/pest_index.htm#pesticide.

Here you will see the following screen:

***** NEW:** To verify a Certified Applicators certification number or to look up a Nevada certified applicator by Name, go to [Kelly Solutions](#) or select one of the following search links:

- ◇ [Search for a Certified Applicator by Last Name](#)
- ◇ [Verify a Certified Applicator's Certification Number](#)

Additional Nevada Certified Applicator searches can be made by clicking on one of the following links

- ◇ [Search for a Certified Applicator by City, or Zip Code](#)
- ◇ [Search for a Certified Applicator by their Certification Category](#)

At this point click on the link you want - type in the information (name or certification number). The results will show up by Name. **Make sure you click on the applicators name you are checking and look at the expiration date(s). The data is historical in nature so expired certifications will show up under the applicators name or certification number.** This screen shows the applicators address on file with the NDOA, the certification categories of the applicator and the expiration date of the applicator. The data is updated daily and is current (more so than paper updates).

Current Certifications of individual pest control operators (primary principal, principal or operator) are still valid until they expire. Once a certification of an individual pest control operator expires it will not be renewed.

Supervision: Supervision of non-certified licensees will remain the same. Any licensed applicator can apply restricted use pesticides under the supervision of the primary principal as long as the applicator is licensed in the category.

Monthly Reporting: Remains the same. If you use a restricted use pesticide, a monthly report of that use is due on the 15th day of the following month. If you do not use restricted use pesticides, monthly reporting is not required. When reporting use of restricted use pesticides, either the log form or summary form is acceptable.

For any questions, call 1-702-486-4690 or e-mail scottc@agri.state.nv.us

Thank You from Your Department of Agriculture – Pest Control Program

