

Pesticides Control

BELIZE:

**STATUTORY INSTRUMENT
No. 8 of 1989**

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 15 of the Pesticides Control Act, 1985 (No. 32 of 1985), as amended by Act No. 18 of 1988, and all other powers thereunto him enabling.

(Gazetted 14th January, 1989)

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| 1. These Regulations may be cited as the | Short Title |
| REGISTERED AND RESTRICTED PESTICIDES
(MANUFACTURE, IMPORT AND SALE) REGULATIONS,
1988 | |
| 2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires – | Interpretation |
| (a) “Board” means the Pesticides Control Board established under Section 3 of the Pesticides Control Act; | |
| (b) “End-use licence” means a licence for importation of a single consignment of pesticides for use of the importer only in a specified manner. | |
| (c) “Form” means the Form annexed to these Regulation; | |
| (d) “Multiple licence” means a licence for importation of multiple consignments of pesticides or for pesticides imported for sale. | |
| (e) “Secretary” means the Secretary of the Board; | |
| (f) Words and expressions used in these Regulations and not defined but defined in the Pesticides Control Act, 1985 shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in that Act. | |
| 3. Any person wishing to sell a registered pesticide, or manufacture or import any pesticide, shall send an application to the Secretary in Form 1. | Licence to sell, manufacture or import a Registered pesticide |
| 4. (1) The following fees shall be payable for manufacture or import of registered or restricted pesticides, or for sale of registered pesticides, or for authorization to sell restricted pesticides: - | Fees for sale, manufacture or import of a pesticide |
| (a) Sale of registered pesticide approved by the Board for domestic use (containing less than 2% active ingredient) \$25
per annum | |
| (b) Sale of other registered pesticides or authorization to sell restricted pesticides \$100
per annum | |

- (c) manufacture of pesticides \$250
per annum
- (d) importation of pesticides –
 - (i) End-user licence -
 - I. Value of import less than \$500 \$25
 - II. Value of imports \$500-\$2000 \$75
 - III. Value of imports more than \$2000 \$100
 - (ii) Multiple licence \$500
per annum

(2) A licence issued under these regulations shall not be of less than One year's duration.

Authorization to sell restricted pesticide

5. Any person wishing to sell restricted pesticide shall send an application to the Secretary in Form I for authorization to sell the same.

Procedure for dealing with application

6. Every application received under regulations 3 and 5 shall be placed by the Secretary before the Board and after making such enquiry as it thinks fit, may grant a licence in Form II:

Provided that if the Board refuses to grant the licence, it shall convey to the applicant reasons for such refusal and shall also refund to the applicant the fee paid by him.

7. Any person aggrieved by the decision of the Board may appeal to the Minister within 30 days of the receipt of the communication, referred to in the proviso to Regulation 6, and the decision of the Minister shall be final.

Publication of a copy of Registers kept under section 10 (1) of the Act
Penalty

8. The Secretary shall cause to be published in the Gazette in the month of February each year a copy of each Register kept by him pursuant to Section 10(1) of the Pesticides Control Act.

9. Every person who knowingly contravenes the provisions of these Regulations shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$1000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or to both such fine and imprisonment.

Storage

10. (1) Pesticides other than those approved by the Board for domestic use (containing) less than 2% active ingredient) shall not be stored in or sold from the same premises as food for human consumption by any licensee.

(2) Every licensee shall keep pesticides approved for domestic use separate from food storage and display areas.

Experimental samples

11. Persons wishing to import pesticides not registered in the Register of Pesticides to be used as experimental samples shall obtain authorization from the Board, giving details of the pesticides, purpose of the experiment, institution by which the experiment will be carried out, experimental protocol, quantity of pesticide required, nature and location of the facilities to be used.

12. The particulars to be entered in the Registers maintained by the Secretary under Section 10(1) of the Pesticides Control Act shall be as given in Forms III, IV and V.

Particulars to be entered in the Registers

13. A person wishing to import a consignment of pesticides shall present to the Customs Officer a certificate in Form VI signed by any person authorized in that behalf by the Board, stating that the pesticides listed in the Customs Entry Form are permitted or prohibited under the Pesticides Control Act, 1985 and that the importer has a valid licence to import the permitted pesticides.

Certification of imports

MADE by the Minister of Agriculture this 29th day of December, 1988.

HENRY V. YOUNG
Ag. Minister of Agriculture

Form I

Regulations 3 and 5

Application for Licence to Handle Pesticides

To: The Secretary, Pesticides Control Board
Central Farm, Cayo, Belize, C. America

Name of * importer/manufacturer/seller

For end-user import licence (Regulation 4 c i)
state pesticides and amounts required,
crop or use and acreage, as applicable:

For end-user import licence (Regulation 4 c i)
state value of proposed imports:

Business address

*Nature of facilities
(for importation or manufacture):

*Nature of business
(for sale of Restricted pesticides):

*Facilities for storage and display
(for sale of Restricted pesticides):

Fee(s) included: *Importation	- Multiple	\$5000.00
	- End-user	\$100.00
	\$75.00
	\$25.00
	*Manufacturer	\$250.00
	*Sale	
	- Domestic use only	\$25.00
	- Other pesticides	\$100.00
	Total	

Date of application:
*Delete as appropriate
For Board use only: -

Signature of applicant:

Form II
Regulation 6

PESTICIDES CONTROL BOARD
Belize, C.A.

LICENCE NUMBER: Date:

This is to certify that
of

is Licence to *import (multiple, end-user) / manufacture / sell
*Registered/Restricted pesticides and has paid the appropriate fee(s).

*For end-user licence, maximum value of imports:

Valid from to

(Signed)

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Board Secretary

*Delete as appropriate

Form III

**Regulation 12
Register of Pesticides**

accepted common name:
alternative common name(s):
chemical name (IUPAC):
trade name(s) and formulations:
uses:
toxicity to mammals:
other hazards:
withholding period:
PCB registration no:

Form IV

**Regulation 12
Register of Licences**

Name of licence holder	Business address	Nature of facilities or business	Date of expiry of licence

**Form V
Regulation 12**

Register of Authorized Persons and Registered Premises

Name of authorized person	Business address	Nature of business	Particulars of facilities for storage and display

Form VI
Regulation 13

Date:

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:

This is to certify that

of

a valid licence to import pesticides and that the following pesticides listed on Customs entry

Form dated and corresponding to Bill of Lading (BOL) or

Air Way Bill (AWB) No. are permitted or prohibited in Belize un-

der the Pesticides Control Act, 1985 (No. 32 of 1985).

Permitted Pesticides:

Prohibited Pesticides:

(Signed)

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(Position)