

Meeting Agenda – Region 10 Pre-SFIREG Meeting*

Meeting Date: May 31, 2024

Time: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Pacific Time)

Time	Item	Facilitator	Notes
9:00 A	Introduction and Opening Remarks	Takatori, ISDA	
9:20 A	CT Plan Implementation Discussion		
10:00A	ESA Workplan Implementation Discussion		
10:30 A	Break		
10:40A	Bulletins Live Two Discussion		
11:00 A	Dicamba Discussion		
11:20 A	Chlorpyrifos Discussion		
11:40A	Paraquat Mandated Training Discussion		
11:50A	Biostimulant Registration Discussion		
12:00 P	Meeting Adjourn		

* - Note the times are *approximate*. Discussion times are dependent on the interest level of the attendees.

Meeting Report – Region 10 Pre-SFIREG Meeting

The Pre-SFIREG Region 10 meeting began on time with a review of the objectives of the meeting (to record the information from the states on the subjects stated on the agenda). Also brought up that there will be a time at the end of the meeting to bring up any issues that were not covered at the meeting. Introductions of participants was tabled because of the online format of the meeting and in respect to time constraints and the number of participants involved.

Notes: CT Plan implementation was facilitated by Marie Hallinen, Region 10 EPA, taking care of things. Good presentation to the meeting participants. Most of the questions were pertaining any changes to the state's certification plans and what needed to coordinate or present to EPA for review and approval. Marie did a very good job of explaining what items needed to be discussed and approved by EPA and which are incidental. Coordination with EPA on any changes should be done to ensure there are no issues. Some discussion of modifications to timeline and other state specific issues, discussed.

Most of the discussion centered around the ESA implementation and BLT regarding the information and how this would be implemented especially at the grower level. The issues with enforcement of the eventual ESA standards was discussed with no clear resolve. It was apparent that more guidance was needed at the federal level to be able to effectively plan for this implementations and the possible enforcement actions that could be forthcoming.

BLT was integrated into the ESA discussion with similar results as to the delivery of the bulletins, the relative updates and relevancy of the information and the overall effect on enforcement.

No significant issues with Dicamba, Paraquat, and Biostimulants. The discussion around chlorpyrifos was more to the note of the reinstated tolerances and the registrants that had the products to offer. Again (as in other issues), more guidance from EPA is necessary for this specific issue for states to understand the direction of product sales in the state.

No new or other information was brought up after the last agenda item. Facilitator Takatori thanked the participants for their input on the agenda items and the meeting was concluded at 11:15 AM (Pacific Time).