

PROCEDURE FOR LICENSING OF COMMERCIAL PESTICIDE DEALERS

1. The commercial pesticide dealers include fumigators, Pest controllers, Retailers, Whole sellers, Importers, Formulators and Manufacturers.

2. Procedure for Licensing of Pesticide Dealers in Tanzania:

- ⇒ Fill application form (PRC-4 & PRC 9) (Retailers and Whole sellers); PRC 4 & 8 (Fumigators); PRC 4 & 10 (Manufacturers, Repackers and Formulators) and Application for Importers (for Pesticide Importers)
- ⇒ Submit to the Registrar Business Licence, Registration certificate for Company, TIN Certificate (Optional) and Technical Staff Academic Certificate.

- ⇒ Inspection of premises for human safety, Staff competence, location, safety gears, equipment used etc
- ⇒ Award of Invoice for successful applicant.
- ⇒ Payment of fees
- ⇒ Permit Award

3. Fee to be paid by Pesticide Dealers are:

- ⇒ Application forms 10 USD (PRC 4 & 9); \$ 40 (PRC 4 & 8)
- ⇒ Pre-business \$50 (only once) for Retailers and Fumigators
- ⇒ Annual fee (Renewable) of \$ 25 for Retailers/ Wholesalers; \$ 50 for Fumigators and Pest Controllers; \$ 100 for Pesticide Manufacturers, Repackers and I\$ 150 for Importers

5. After payment of Fees a Permit is Granted (Renewable annually)

PROCEDURE FOR CARRYING OUT PESTICIDES BUSINESS IN TANZANIA

According to the Plant Protection Act (1997) and Plant Protection Regulations (1999), all pesticides business require clearance from the Office of the Registrar of Pesticides.



Contact:

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1. MANUFACTURE/FORMULATION OF PESTICIDES

1.1 PROCEDURE - SUBMIT TO THE REGISTRAR THE FOLLOWING:

Dully Fill (Application forms (PRC-10) Certified Copy of Academic certificate of the technical staff, Factory registration certificate and business license and TIN Certificate (Optional)

Sample to be manufactured/ formulated

Environmental impact assessment report from the National

Environment Management Council

If you are not the Registrant (owner) of the product, submit a duly signed, stamped and sealed letter of authorization from the Registrant

1.2. Inspection to assess the suitability of the premises, equipment, safety precautions, staff education and competence, location etc.

1.3 If approved for operations, then a fee of \$ 100 will be paid.

1.4 Upon payment, a Permit for Manufacturing/Formulating a Pesticide is issued. Its validity is one year, and is renewed for \$100.

2 SALE OF PESTICIDES (RETAILERS / WHOLESALLERS)

2.1 Fill form PRC-4 (Application for Clearance for Using or Altering Registered Pesticides for Commercial Purposes) and PRC-9 (Application for a Permit to Deal with Pesticides on Retail Basis) Form PRC-4 is obtained at \$ 20

2.2 Submit to Registrar the following:

- ⇒ Duly filled PRC-4 and PRC-9**
- ⇒ Business registration certificate, Business License and TIN (Optional)**
- ⇒ Certified copy of staff academic certificate TIC certificate**

2.3 A pesticides inspector will inspect the shop and assess the suitability of the premises, equipment, safety gear, safety precautions, staff competence etc.

2.4 If approved for business, the applicant pays the pre-business licence of \$ 50 (only once) and \$ 25 for the Permit.

2.5 Upon payment, a Permit to Sell Pesticides on a Retail or Wholesale Basis is issued. The Permit is renewable annually at a cost of \$ 25

2.6. NOTE:

- ⇒ Only Fully and Provisionally registered pesticides can be sold to the General Public. Restricted Products are for specifically authorized pesticides handlers.**
- ⇒ Impromptu visits by pesticides inspectors are usually carried out to ensure the business is carried out in accordance to the established laws.**