



PRIA Update to the PPDC

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AGENDA

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PRIA 4 Status

- The expiration date of PRIA 3 is specified in the law as September 30, 2017, but was extended through December 8, 2017, by the Continuing Resolution;
- A 7-year reauthorization of PRIA was passed in the House of Representatives by unanimous consent on March 20, 2017;
- A 3-year extension of PRIA authority passed out of the Senate Agriculture Committee on June 29, 2017; the bill is awaiting vote by the full Senate;
- If passed by the Senate, the amended bill would go back to the House to be reconciled before being forwarded to the President for signature.



PRIA 4 Overview- Maintenance fees

- Extends maintenance fee provisions
- Increases maintenance fees from \$27.8 million to \$31 million per year, an increase of \$3.2 million per year;
- Allows EPA to average across years to correct for over or under collection during PRIA 4;
- Eliminates appropriations constraint (“one to one”) on spending maintenance fees currently in FIFRA section 4(k)(2)(A);



PRIA 4 Overview- Maintenance Fees (cont'd)

- Replaces IT set-aside (\$800,000 per year) with a new set-aside of \$500,000 per year to develop and finalize rulemaking and guidance for product performance data requirements for certain invertebrate pests of significance public importance;
 - Establishes a mandatory schedule for the development of product performance guidance and rulemaking for the above pests:
- Creates a new set-aside of \$500,000 per year for good laboratory practices inspections;
 - Funds to be utilized by OECA to hire additional inspectors;



PRIA 4 Overview- Pesticide Registration Service Fees

- Extends the PRIA set-aside for worker protection, partnership grants, and pesticide safety education programs; further emphasizes that activities relating to worker protection shall focus on field worker populations in the United States;
- Directs EPA to look for opportunities to streamline review processes for new chemical and new use applications, and to provide prompt feedback to applicant during process;



PRIA 4 Overview- Reporting Requirements

- Extends the annual reporting requirements and amends the required content of the reports to encourage greater transparency in pesticide registrations;
- Reporting requirements include:
 - Amended registration review and IT reporting requirements
 - Progress in meeting mandatory schedule in developing efficacy guidelines for invertebrate pests of significant public health and/or economic importance;
 - Progress in priority review and approval of new pesticides to control vector borne public health pests for use in the U.S., including territories and military bases globally;
 - # of GLP inspections/audits conducted;
 - # of approvals granted in connection with Design for the Environment program;
 - Worker protection, partnership grants, and pesticide safety education- use of funds, effectiveness of activities, engagement of stakeholders



PRIA 4 Overview- Fee Category Updates

- The number of covered fee categories increases from 189 to 212;
- New and amended categories requested by the regulated community to:
 - Better align fee and time frame structure to EPA resources necessary to evaluate those actions (inert ingredients, actions involving public health efficacy data and review);
 - Additional AD and RD categories created to account for increase in number of organisms/pests requiring efficacy data and review;
 - Provide incentive for U.S. harmonization with international residue levels
 - Provide fee incentive for reduced-risk submissions by raising fees by 20% for the corresponding non-reduced risk categories (new conventional AIs and new uses);



PRIA 4 Fee Category Updates (cont'd)

- Fee Categories (cont'd):
 - Align antimicrobial categories to be consistent with Part 158W;
 - Add new PIP categories for BPPD;
 - Create new inert ingredient categories for safeners
 - New categories added to Table 19 (Miscellaneous):- non-FIFRA determinations (e.g., device determination, treated article exemption, minimum risk determination), DfE logo amendments, conditional ruling on pre-application substantial similarity



Fees Collected in FY17

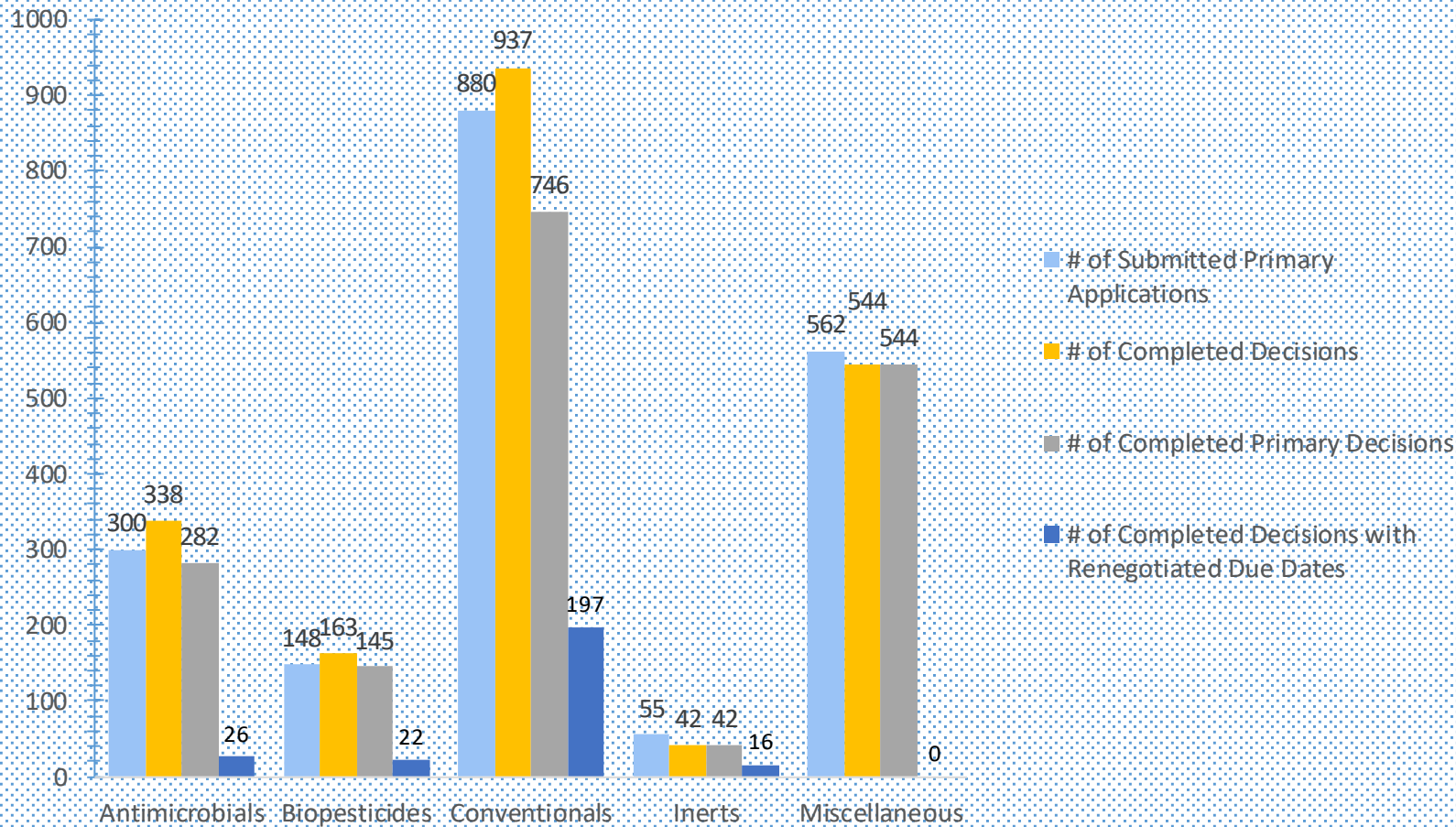


PRIA Fees: \$18.265M

Maintenance Fees: \$27.99M



PRIA 3 Summary for FY'17





Historical % of Completed PRIA Decisions with Renegotiated Due Dates

FY	Antimicrobials	Biopesticides	Conventionals	Misc.	Inerts
2010	108/310 = 34.8%	85/138 = 61.6%	277/1069 = 25.9%		
2011	85/346 = 24.6%	48/134 = 35.8%	236/1074 = 22.0%		
2012	86/333 = 25.8%	74/133 = 42.8%	235/1068 = 22.0%		
2013	73/329 = 22.2%	34/111 = 30.6%	205/1039 = 19.7%	0/562 = 0%	1/7 = 14.3%
2014	41/287 = 14.3%	30/129 = 23.2%	259/895 = 28.9%	1/575 = 0.2%	9/45 = 20%
2015	44/319 = 13.8%	28/154 = 18.2%	229/960 = 23.8%	2/622 = 0.3%	18/56 = 32.1%
2016	31/350 = 8.9%	22/151 = 14.6%	254/977 = 26.0%	2/643 = 0.3%	21/49 = 42.9%
2017	26/338 = 7.7%	22/163 = 13.5%	197/937 = 21.0%	0/544 = 0%	16/42 = 38.1%



FY'17: Rate of On-Time Completions

Type of decision	FY'17 Late Completions	FY'17 Rate of on-time Completions	FY'16 Rate of on-time Completions	FY'15 Rate of on-time Completions	FY'14 Rate of on-time Completions
Antimicrobial	1	99.7%	99.4%	96%	78%
Biopesticide	2	98.8%	97.4%	98%	79%
Conventional	12	98.7%	98.6%	99%	78%
Inert	2	95.2%	95.9%	96%	91%
Misc	1	99.8%	99.8%	99%	99%
Total	18	99.1%	98.9%	98%	85%



FY'17 Non-PRIA Fast-Track Amendments & Notifications

- In FY'17 OPP completed **2,302** non-PRIA fast track amendments;
- At fiscal year's end, OPP had **1,048** non-PRIA fast-track amendments pending, **521** of which were in backlog status (pending > 90 days).
- OPP completed **2,787** notifications in FY'17;
- At fiscal year's end, OPP had **622** notifications pending, of which **463** were in backlog status (pending > 30 days);



FY'17: All Stakeholder Registration Submissions by Type of Product

Type of Product	Total # of Submissions	# Paper Submissions	# CD/DVD Submissions	# of Portal Submissions	% Paper Submission	% CD/DVD Submission	% Portal Submission
Conventional	8,683	4,878	57	3,748	56%	1%	43%
Antimicrobial	2,589	1,046	32	1,511	40%	1%	59%
Biopesticide	1,105	633	26	446	57%	2%	41%
Total	12,371	6,551	115	5,705	53%	1%	46%



Update on 2017 – 2018 PRIA Supported Worker Protection Activities

- **Association of Farmworker Opportunity (AFOP) - National Farmworker Training Program - Cooperative Agreement- \$500,000**
- AFOP is responsible for developing and administering a pesticide safety training program that will support a national network of pesticide safety trainers providing pesticide worker safety training to migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their families.



Update on 2017 – 2018 PRIA Supported Worker Protection Activities

- **Pesticide Educational Resources Collaborative (PERC) UC Davis/OR State Cooperative Agreement - \$500,000**
- This cooperative agreement will develop or coordinate the development of pesticide education materials. An advisory board and EPA will help in setting national priorities. PERC will use subject matter experts and production professionals. PERC will focus on WPS materials in its first year because of the urgent need for training materials consistent with the newly updated regulation. PERC will focus on C&T materials in its second year in response to anticipated changes in categories/needs nationwide.



Update on 2017 – 2018 PRIA Supported Worker Protection Activities

- **PERC Cooperative Agreement (cont'd)**
- Current Projects:
 - How to Comply with the WPS - Manual
 - Train the Trainer Manual
 - Train the Trainer Online Modules
 - WPS Interactive Website
 - Videos for Training Workers
 - Videos for Training Handlers
 - Updated Central Posting Materials
 - Clearinghouse of WPS Training Materials
 - Respirators 101 Training Module



Update on 2017 – 2018 PRIA Supported Partnership and Pesticide Safety Education Programs Activities

- **National Pesticide Information Center (NPIC) - Cooperative Agreement - \$500,000** (PRIA partnership set aside)
- This cooperative agreement facilitates informed decision-making about pesticides and supports the protection of human health and the environment by serving as a bi-lingual, factual source of information for professional and public audiences on pesticide-related issues.
- **eXtension Foundation – Cooperative Agreement - \$1,500,000** (PRIA Pesticide Safety Education Programs set aside)
- This cooperative agreement will establish a Pesticide Safety Education Funds Management Program to help support state cooperative extension programs conduct their certified pesticide applicator training activities. This is a five year agreement supported by current year PRIA funds (\$500,000) and two years of PRIA un-expended funds(\$1,000,000).



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