

MAINE BOARD OF PESTICIDES CONTROL

STAFF POLICY

CONCERNING

ORAL EXAMINATIONS FOR PRIVATE APPLICATORS

- 1) Oral exams will be offered to individuals with recognized difficulty in reading with the approval of the certification and licensing specialist.
- 2) The person requesting the exam must identify another responsible adult able to provide advice and guidance concerning the safe and proper use of pesticides requiring certification.
- 3) The person identified as reader and advisor must be present during the exam and must acknowledge their willingness to assist the private applicator.
- 4) This acknowledgement must be in writing on forms provided by the Board and shall be forwarded to the Board's office with the completed exams.
- 5) The staff person administering the exams shall read each question and subsequent responses as many times as necessary but shall not paraphrase, interpret or define any section of the exam.

Adopted 4/25/90

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