Dear Producer:

You are making application for an initial Private Applicator Permit or the renewal of a Private Applicator Permit to use or supervise the use of restricted use pesticides for the purpose of producing agricultural commodities on the property owned, rented or controlled by you. To secure this permit, you will be required to demonstrate competency to use or supervise the use of restricted use pesticides by passing a standard core examination which will indicate that you possess knowledge in the following areas:

1. Pest to be controlled and the damage they cause.
2. Read and understand the label and labeling information.
3. Application of pesticides in accordance with the label instructions and precautions.
4. Recognition of poisoning symptoms and procedures to follow in the event of an accident.
5. Applicable state and federal laws and regulations.

The county agent’s office (Alabama Cooperative Extension Service) is the locally designated agency to train private pesticide applicators and the place to secure the private pesticide applicator training manual and other material and an application for the permit. Your county agent will hold various training sessions throughout the year to provide the required information for testing. If you desire not to attend the training sessions, you may secure the training package from your county agent and study the material in your home at your leisure.

Upon completion of a training session or your study at home you will need to take the enclosed test and complete the enclosed application for the permit and submit these with the required fee of $25.00 to the Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries. An addressed envelope for your use has been enclosed.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact your local agent or call us at 334-240-7241.

Sincerely,

Faye Golden, Program Director
Pesticide Management Section

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APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE APPLICATOR PERMIT

I hereby apply for a permit as a Private Applicator to purchase and use restricted pesticides pursuant to Chapter 27, Title 2, Code of Alabama (1975) and Chapter 80-1-13, AL Administrative Code.

I understand and will comply with the provisions of the above statute(s) and rules, as well as, product label instructions. Further, I understand that any violation of the statute(s), rules or label instructions constitutes grounds for suspension or revocation of permit and other penalties.

(     ) New Application   (     ) Renewal Application - Old RUP Number ______________________

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Last Name       First       Middle       County
_________       _______       _______       _______

Home Address

City     State     Zip       Home Telephone

PO Box     City     State     Zip

Along with this application, you must submit the private applicator examination (even for renewals) with a $25.00 check or money order payable to the Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries.

Mail To: Department of Agriculture and Industries
          Pesticide Management Section
          1445 Federal Drive
          Montgomery, AL. 36107-1123

I understand that this permit is valid only for purchasing, using or supervising the use of restricted use pesticide(s) on property owned/leased/controlled by me or by a full-time employee for the purpose or producing agriculture commodities. My signature is to attest that I have read and understand the rules and regulations of a Private Applicator.

Signature of Applicant ________________________________

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

New Permit Number

Issue Date ________________________  Test Score ______

CK/MO# ____________________________  Amt. Paid $_______