## MINUTES OF THE STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL BOARD CE IPM REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING July 16, 2014

The meeting was held July 16, 2014 at the Structural Pest Control Board, Lake Tahoe Conference Room, 2005 Evergreen Street, Sacramento, California

#### **Committee Members Present:**

Darren Van Steenwyk, Chairman Nita Davidson Naresh Duggal Sylvia Kenmuir Brandon Kitagawa Jim Steed Andrew Sutherland Dave Tamayo

#### **Board Staff Present:**

Susan Saylor, Executive Officer Robert Lucas, Assistant Executive Officer Valerie Connelly, Continuing Education Analyst David Skelton, Administrative Analyst

#### **Departmental Staff Present:**

Kyle Muteff, Legal Counsel

#### **ROLL CALL / ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM**

Mr. Van Steenwyk read roll call at 9:03 A.M., quorum established.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE MAY 13, 2014 COMMITTEE MEETING

Mr. Steed moved and Mr. Tamayo seconded to approve the minutes of the May 13, 2014 Committee Meeting. Passed unanimously.

# REVIEW OF CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS SECTIONS 1950, 1950.5, AND 1984 – CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS AND HOURS WITH A FOCUS ON INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES AND POTENTIAL RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE BOARD.

Mr. Duggal arrived at 9:16 A.M.

The Committee discussed a variety of topics relating to the role of IPM in continuing education, including-

- The criteria used by the Board to approve IPM courses.
- The scope of the Applicator license in regards to possible changes to IPM continuing education.
- The continuing education categories and how an increased IPM CE requirement would affect the categories.
- Water quality issues in the context of IPM CE.
- The possibility of renaming CE categories (Application & Intervention to replace Technical), defining categories more specifically and/or reallocating the hour requirements across each of category.
- The possibility of increasing the total number of CE hours that are required.
- The definition of IPM as written in California Code of Regulation Section 1984 and possibly requiring all approved IPM CE courses include a statement of the definition.

### PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

There were no public comments for items not on the agenda.

#### FUTURE MEETING DATES

The next meeting was previously scheduled for August 20, 2014 in Sacramento.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 3:06 P.M.

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Darren Van Steenwyk, Committee Chair

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