



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

Karen Ross, Secretary

September 10, 2014

TO: CALIFORNIA ORGANIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (COPAC)
INTERESTED PARTIES

A meeting of the California Organic Products Advisory Committee has been scheduled.
Enclosed is the agenda.

Date: Wednesday, September 24, 2014
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Location: California Department of Food and Agriculture
2800 Gateway Oaks Drive
Conference Room 267
Sacramento, CA 95833
(916) 900-5030

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Please find the enclosed agenda. If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Danny Lee
Supervising Special Investigator
State Organic Program

Enclosures

cc: Gary Leslie, County/State Liaison



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1. Roll Call/Introductions
2. Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - i. May 7, 2014 – Attachment A
 - ii. June 4, 2014 – Attachment B
3. California Department of Public Health Update – Patrick Kennelly
4. State Organic Program (SOP) Reports
 - i. Vacancies and Terms
 - ii. Revenue from Registration – Attachment C
 - iii. New Registrations – Attachment D
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 - vi. Residue Analysis – Attachment G
5. Pesticide Drift
6. Review of Committee Rules and Procedures
 - i. 2.1 Regular Meetings
7. County Office Audits
8. New Items – Discussion Only
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10. Next Meeting/Agenda Items
11. Adjournment

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Sampling Fiscal Year 2013/2014

DATE	Sample Form Number	WHO SAMPLED	COUNTY WHERE SAMPLED	PRODUCER	HANDLER	RETAIL	CFM	Wholesale	Chain	OTHER	COMMODITY	SUBSTANCE DETECTED/ ALLOWABLE (Y/N)	AMOUNT DETECTED	EPA TOLERANCE	ABOVE 5% of EPA TOLERANCE & IN VIOLATION	COMMENTS
7/16/2013	R13O00027	San Diego	San Diego					x			Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
7/23/2013	R13O00028	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
7/25/2013	R13O00029	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Artichokes	Esfenvalerate/ No	.064 ppm	1.0 ppm	Yes	Part of an on-going investigation
											Chlorantraniliprole/ No	.092 ppm	4.0 ppm	No		
7/25/2013	R13O00030	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Cauliflower	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
7/25/2013	R13O00031	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
7/25/2013	R13O00032	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/1/2013	R13O00033	San Diego	San Diego			x					Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/5/2013	R13O00035	Sant Clara	Santa Clara			x					Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/8/2013	R13O00036	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/8/2013	R13O00037	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Peach	Spinosad (A+D)/ Yes	.068 ppm	.2 ppm	N/A	Allowable substance; not in vioaltion
8/8/2013	R13O00038	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Pepper	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/12/2013	R13O00039	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Pear	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/9/2013	R13O00040	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Apple	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/13/2013	R13O00041	San Diego	San Diego	x							Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/14/2013	R13O00042	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Carrot	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/14/2013	R13O00043	San Joaquin	San Joaquin				x				Beet	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/14/2013	R13O00044	San Diego	San Diego	x							Romaine Lettuce	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/21/2013	R13O00045	Sutter	Sutter	x							Prunes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8/22/2013	R13O00046	Sutter	Sutter							x	Prunes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Sample taken from packing shed
8/15/2013	R13O00047	San Benito	San Benito	x							Artichokes	Propargite/No	.027 ppm	No Tolerance Established	N/A	No Tolerance Established; in violation. Part of an ongoing investigation
9/3/2013	R13O00048	San Diego	San Diego			x					Red Leaf Lettuce	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/3/2013	R13O00049	San Diego	San Diego			x					Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/3/2013	R13O00050	San Diego	San Diego			x					Bell Pepper	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/5/2013	R13O00051	San Diego	San Diego				x				Apple Gala	Chlorantraniliprole/ No	.038 ppm	2.5 ppm	No	Initial residues are not in violation, however, investigation ongoing to source contamination
											Phosmet/ No	.227 ppm	10 ppm	No		
											Lambda-Cyhalothrin	.01 ppm	2.50 ppm	No		
											Diphenylamine	.016 ppm	10 ppm	No		
9/5/2013	R13O00053	Sonoma	Sonoma				x				Asian Pear	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00054	Santa Clara	Santa Clara				x				Celery	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00055	Santa Clara	Santa Clara				x				Cauliflower	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00056	San Benito	San Benito	x							Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00057	San Benito	San Benito	x							Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00058	San Benito	San Benito	x							Melon	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00059	San Benito	San Benito	x							Squash	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
9/10/2013	R13O00060	San Benito	San Benito	x							Corn	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	

9/10/2013	R13O00061	San Benito	San Benito	x							Corn	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/10/2013	R13O00062	San Benito	San Benito	x							Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/10/2013	R13O00063	San Benito	San Benito	x							Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/10/2013	R13O00064	San Benito	San Benito	x							Corn	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/11/2013	R13O00066	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Apples	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/11/2013	R13O00067	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/11/2013	R13O00068	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Apple	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/11/2013	R13O00069	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Apple	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/11/2013	R13O00070	Sonoma	Sonoma					x			Green Beans	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9/24/2013	R13O00071	San Diego	San Diego							x	Red Grapes	Fenhexamid/No	.178 ppm	4.0 ppm	No	Sample taken from storage location; residues not in violation, however, part of an ongoing investigation	
												Myclobutanil/No	.025 ppm	1.0 ppm	No		
												Spinosad A/ Yes	.017 ppm	.50 ppm	N/A		
9/24/2013	R13O00072	San Diego	San Diego							x	Green Grapes	Myclobutanil/No	.026 ppm	1.0 ppm	No	Sample taken from storage location; residues not in violation, however, part of an ongoing investigation	
												Spinosad/ Yes	.065 ppm	.50 ppm	N/A		
9/24/2013	R13O00073	San Diego	San Diego							x	Apples	Diphenylamine/ No	.122 ppm	10 ppm	No	Sample taken from storage location; residues not in violation, however, part of an ongoing investigation	
												Phosmet/ No	.430 ppm	10 ppm	No		
												Trioxystrobin/ No	.014 ppm	5.0 ppm	No		
9/24/2013	R13O00074	San Diego	San Diego							x	Apples	Diphenylamine/ No	.620 ppm	10 ppm	Yes	Sample taken from storage location; residues of Diphenylamine in violation, and part of an ongoing investigation	
												Flubendiamide/ No	.014 ppm	1.5 ppm	No		
												Phosmet/ No	.027 ppm	10 ppm	No		
												Spirodiclofen/ No	.019 ppm	.80 ppm	No		
9/24/2013	R13O00075	San Diego	San Diego							x	Apples	Diphenylamine/ No	.078 ppm	10 ppm	No		
10/3/2013	R13O00076	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00077	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00078	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00079	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00080	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00081	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00082	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00083	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00084	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00085	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00086	Mendocino	Mendocino	x							Wine Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/8/2013	R13O00087	San Joaquin	San Joaquin	x							Apple	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/8/2013	R13O00088	San Joaquin	San Joaquin	x							Apple	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/8/2013	R13O00089	San Joaquin	San Joaquin							x	Apple	Diphenylamine/No	.019 ppm	10 ppm	No	Follow-up sample taken from packing Shed; part of ongoing investigation.	
10/3/2013	R13O00090	Lake	Lake	x							Pear	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00091	Lake	Lake	x							Pear	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00092	Lake	Lake	x							Pear	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/2/2013	R13O00093	Lake	Lake	x							Walnuts	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/2/2013	R13O00094	Lake	Lake	x							Walnuts	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00095	Lake	Lake	x							Walnuts	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10/3/2013	R13O00096	Lake	Lake	x							Walnuts	None	N/A	N/A	N/A		

10/2/2013	R13O00098	Lake	Lake	x						Walnuts	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
10/4/2013	R13O00099	Sutter	Sutter	x						Rice	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
10/9/2013	R13O00100	Sutter	Sutter						x	Walnuts	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Sample taken from packing shed
10/17/2013	R13O00101	Sutter	Sutter	x						Rice	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
11/15/2013	R13O00102	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Avocados	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
11/15/2013	R13O00103	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
11/15/2013	R13O00104	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Red Cabbage	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
11/21/2013	R13O00105	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Cantaloupe	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
11/21/2013	R13O00106	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
12/3/2013	R13O00107	Sonoma	Sonoma						x	Oregano	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
12/21/2013	R13O00108	San Francisco	San Francisco							Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/4/2014	R14O00001	San Francisco	San Francisco							Greenleaf Lettuce	Famoxadone/No	.093 ppm	25 ppm	No	Residues not in violation, however, part of an on-going investigation
1/9/2014	R14O00002	Sutter	Sutter	x						Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/9/2014	R14O00003	Sutter	Sutter							Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/9/2014	R14O00004	Sutter	Sutter							Avocados	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/9/2014	R14O00005	Sutter	Sutter							Fuji Apples	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/9/2014	R14O00006	Sutter	Sutter							Bananas	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/14/2014	R14O00007	Glenn	Glenn							Mandarin	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/14/2014	R14O00008	Glenn	Glenn							Rice	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/23/2014	R14O00009	San Mateo	San Mateo							Carrots	Linuron/No	.03 ppm	1.0 ppm	No	Residues in violation. Notice of Non Compliance issued, and operation ordered to Cease the sale of Carrots as organic. Part of on-going investigation. (Referred to ACA)
										Pyraclostrobin/No	.028 ppm	.40 ppm	Yes		
1/23/2014	R14O00010	San Mateo	San Mateo							Strawberries	Etoazole/No	.125 ppm	.50 ppm	Yes	Residues in violation. Notice of Non Compliance issued, and operation ordered to Cease the sale of Strawberries as organic. Part of on-going investigation. (Referred to ACA)
										Spiromesifen/No	.243 ppm	2.0 ppm	Yes		
										Hexythiazox/No	.229 ppm	6.0 ppm	No		
										Bifenthrin/No	.108 ppm	3.0 ppm	No		
										THPI/No	.832 ppm	20.0 ppm	No		
										Triflumizole/No	.0193 ppm	2.0 ppm	No		
1/23/2014	R14O00011	San Mateo	San Mateo							Spinach	Imidacloprid/No	.134 ppm	3.5 ppm	No	Not in violation, but part of an on-going investigation. (Referred to ACA)
										Mandipropamid	.789 ppm	2.0 ppm	No		
										Spinetoram	.025 ppm	8.0 ppm	No		
1/28/2014	R14O00012	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Brussel Sprout	Acetamidrid/No	.011 ppm	1.2 ppm	No	Not in violation, however, part of an ongoing investigation to source contamination
										Azoxystrobin/No	.039 ppm	3.0 ppm	No		
										Clothianidin/No	.015 ppm	1.9 ppm	No		
1/28/2014	R14O00013	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Radish	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/28/2014	R14O00014	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Avocados	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/28/2014	R14O00015	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Carrot	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
1/28/2014	R14O00016	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara							Turnip	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/3/2014	R14O00017	Glenn	Glenn							Apples	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/7/2014	R14O00018	Santa Clara	Santa Clara	x						Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Follow-up sample taken as part of an investigation (Referred to ACA)

2/7/2014	R14O00019	Santa Clara	Santa Clara	x						Spinach/Soil/Foliage	Imidacloprid/No	.036 ppm	N/A	N/A	EPA Tolerance can not be established. Sample consisted of a composite of spinach, soil, and foliage. Results used to support ongoing investigation (Referred to ACA)
											Mandipropamid	.088 ppm	N/A	N/A	
2/7/2014	R14O00020	Santa Clara	Santa Clara	x						Carrot	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Follow-up sample taken as part of an investigation (Referred to ACA)
2/12/2014	R14O00021	Sutter	Sutter			x				Apple	Thiabendazole/No	.01 ppm	5.0 ppm	No	Part of an on-going investigation
2/12/2014	R14O00022	Sutter	Sutter			x				Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/12/2014	R14O00023	Sutter	Sutter			x				Bananas	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/12/2014	R14O00024	Sutter	Sutter			x				Grapes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/12/2014	R14O00025	Sutter	Sutter			x				Grapefruit	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/12/2014	R14O00026	Sutter	Sutter			x				Yams	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/26/2014	R14O00027	Imperial	Imperial	x						Kale	Pendimethalin/No	0.017 ppm	.20 ppm	Yes	Residues in violation. Notice of Non-Compliance issued. Operation ordered to cease the sale of kale as organic. Part of on-going investigation (referred to ACA).
2/26/2014	R14O00028	Orange	Orange				x			Carrots	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2/26/2014	R14O00029	Orange	Orange				x			Apples Fuji	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/5/2014	R14O00030	Imperial	Imperial	x						Kale	Pendimethalin/No	.048 ppm	.20 ppm	Yes	Residues in violation. Notice of Non-Compliance issued. Operation ordered to cease the sale of kale . Part of on-going investigation (referred to ACA), and CDPDR for residues without Tolerances.
											Permethrin/No	.048 ppm	No Tolerance Established	N/A	
											Mandipropamid/No	.018 ppm	No Tolerance Established	No	
											Famoxadone/No	.17 ppm	NTE	N/A	
3/7/2014	R14O00031	Imperial	Imperial	x						Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/7/2014	R14O00032	Imperial	Imperial	x						Swiss Chard	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/8/2014	R14O00033	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/8/2014	R14O00034	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Tangerines	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/8/2014	R14O00035	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/18/2014	R14O00036	San Diego	San Diego						x	Lemons	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/24/2014	R14O00037	San Diego	San Diego			x				Apple Fuji	Diphenylamine	.02 ppm	10.0 ppm	No	Not in violation. Product produced and distributed in Washington. Results forwarded to NOP for follow-up
3/23/2014	R14O00038	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/23/2014	R14O00039	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Lettuce	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/25/2014	R14O00040	Orange	Orange				x			Tangelo	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/25/2014	R14O00041	Orange	Orange				x			Avocados	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/26/2014	R14O00042	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
3/26/2014	R14O00043	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara				x			Leek	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4/7/2014	R14O00044	Butte	Butte			x				Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4/7/2014	R14O00045	Butte	Butte			x				Parsley	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4/8/2014	R14O00046	Alameda	Alameda				x			Beets	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4/8/2014	R14O00047	Alameda	Alameda				x			Chard	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4/10/2014	R14O00048	Butte	Butte				x			Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4/11/2014	R14O00050	San Diego	San Diego			x				Apples	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	

4/16/2014	R14O00051	Alameda	Alameda						x	Coffee Beans	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Collected from warehouse
4/16/2014	R14O00052	Alameda	Alameda						x	Coffee Beans	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Collected from warehouse
4/16/2014	R14O00053	Alameda	Alameda						x	Coffee Beans	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Collected from warehouse
4/16/2014	R14O00054	Alameda	Alameda						x	Coffee Beans	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	Collected from warehouse
4/30/2014	R14O00055	San Diego	San Diego					x		Tomatoes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/7/2014	R14O00056	San Diego	San Diego					x		Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/7/2014	R14O00057	San Diego	San Diego					x		Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/12/2014	R14O00058	San Diego	San Diego					x		Mangos	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/8/2014	R14O00059	San Diego	San Diego					x		Squash	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/14/2014	R14O00060	San Francisco	San Francisco					x		Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/16/2014	R14O00061	San Diego	San Diego					x		Tangelo	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/16/2014	R14O00062	San Diego	San Diego					x		Red Cabbage	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/16/2014	R14O00063	Napa	Napa					x		Lettuce	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/16/2014	R14O00064	Napa	Napa					x		Fava Beans	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/17/2014	R14O00065	Napa	Napa					x		Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/17/2014	R14O00066	Napa	Napa					x		Tomatoes	Bosalid/ No	.011 ppm	3.0 ppm	No	Results forwarded to certifier for further follow-up
5/17/2014	R14O00067	Alameda	Alameda					x		Brussel Sprout	Methoxyfenozide/ No	.026 ppm	7.0 ppm	No	Results forwarded to certifier for further follow-up
											Permethrin Total/ No	.031 ppm	1.0 ppm	No	Results forwarded to certifier for further follow-up
5/20/2014	R14O00068	Shasta	Shasta					x		Spinach	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/20/2014	R14O00069	San Diego	San Diego					x		Eggplant	Acetamidrid/No	.022 ppm	.20 ppm	Yes	Part of an on-going investigation/Referred to their Certifier
5/20/2014	R14O00070	Napa	Napa					x		Kohlrabi	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/21/2014	R14O00071	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara					x		Carrots	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/21/2014	R14O00072	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara					x		Zucchini	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/27/2014	R14O00073	Shasta	Shasta					x		Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/29/2014	R14O00074	San Diego	San Diego					x		Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/29/2014	R14O00075	San Diego	San Diego					x		Celery	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/29/2014	R14O00076	San Diego	San Diego					x		Cucumbers	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
5/29/2014	R14O00077	San Diego	San Diego					x		Broccoli	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/2/2014	R14O00078	San Diego	San Diego					x		Peach	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/4/2014	R14O00079	San Francisco	San Francisco					x		Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/10/2014	R14O00080	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara					x		Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/11/2014	R14O00081	Placer	Placer					x		Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/14/2014	R14O00082	San Mateo	San Mateo					x		Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/14/2014	R14O00083	San Mateo	San Mateo					x		Kale	Chlorthal-dimethyl/ No	.031 ppm	5.0 ppm	No	Results forwarded to certifier for further follow-up
											Azoxystrobin/No	.44 ppm	25 ppm	No	Results forwarded to certifier for further follow-up
6/14/2014	R14O00084	San Mateo	San Mateo					x		Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/17/2014	R14O00085	Tehama	Tehama					x		Lettuce	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/17/2014	R14O00086	Tehama	Tehama					x		Artichokes	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/17/2014	R14O00087	Tehama	Tehama					x		Melon	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/12/2014	R14O00088	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara					x		Strawberries	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/16/2014	R14O00089	Plumas	Plumas					x		Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/18/2014	R14O00090	Placer	Placer					x		Potatoe	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	
6/17/2014	R14O00091	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara					x		Kale	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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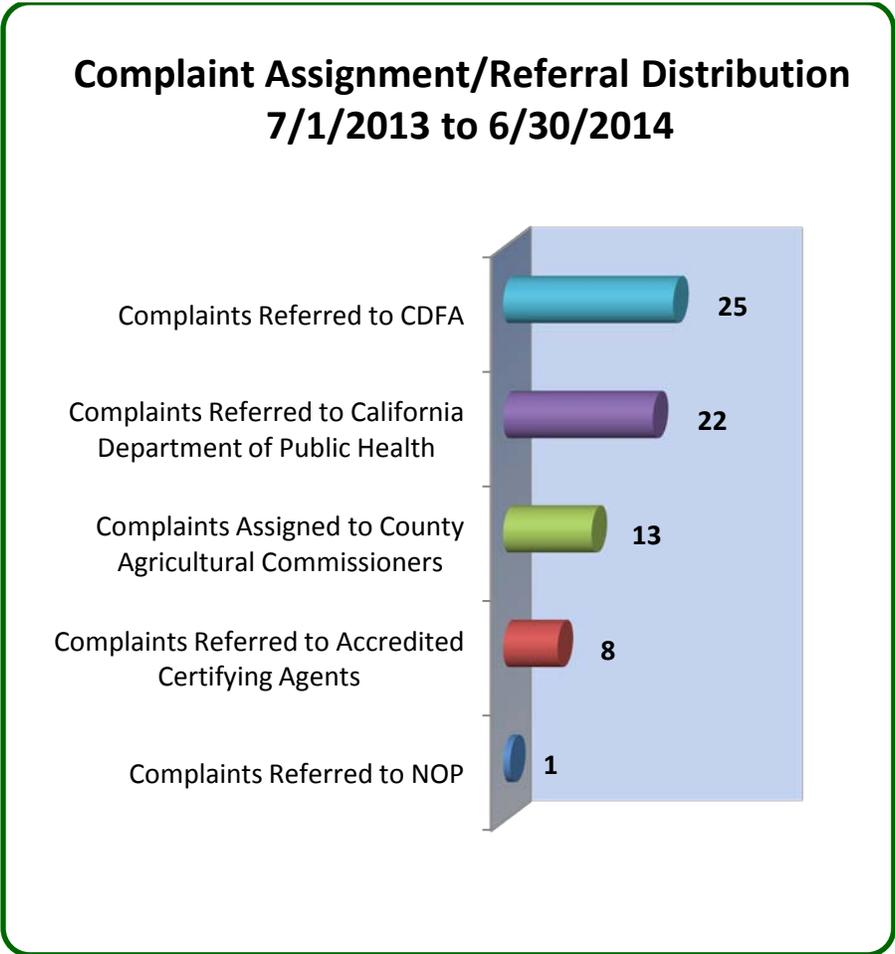
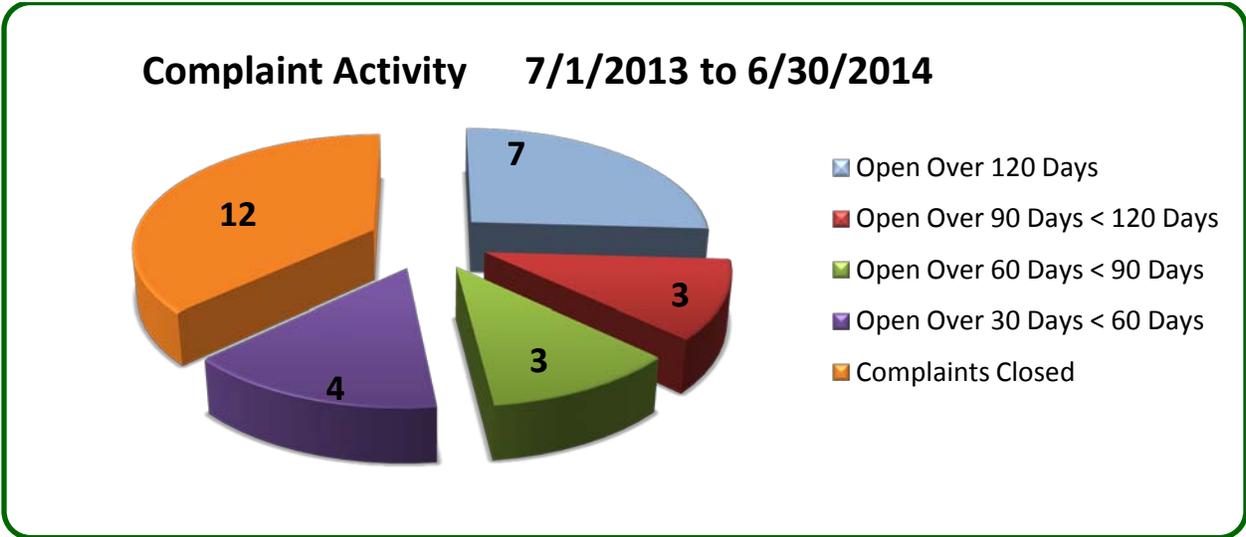
APPEALS STATUS REPORT
Fiscal Year Report
2013/2014

As of: June 30, 2014

Report Categories	Number
Total Appeals Logged	12
Total Active Appeals	0
Appeals Resolved	12
Active Appeals Over 120 days	0

Active appeals referred to DOJ	0
Active appeals being reviewed by CDFA	0

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 Complaint Activity Report



CDFA State Organic Program Fiscal Year 2013/2014	
Month	Total Number of New Registrations
Jul-13	46
Aug-13	50
Sep-13	28
Oct-13	27
Nov-13	17
Dec-13	16
Jan-14	30
Feb-14	46
Mar-14	36
Apr-14	63
May-14	64
Jun-14	53
Total	476

Operation Types	Producer	Handler	Processor	Retailer
July				
August				
September				
October				
November				
December				
January				
February				
March				
April	52	10	0	1
May	49	10	4	1
June	44	6	1	2
Total	145	26	5	4

NOTE: The number of operation types may not match the number of new operations, since operations may fall under more than one type.

CDFA Organic Program Revenue from Registrations by Month and Year

Fiscal Year	July	August	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	Total	Projected
2013/14	116,227	113,259	76,144	94,975	86,258	99,268	158,648	149,191	143,174	126,670	121,451	135,606	1,420,871	1,350,000
2012/13	101,726	100,237	75,529	91,100	78,629	92,682	157,620	140,554	140,252	111,714	96,450	89,064	1,275,556	1,200,000
2011/12	121,663	108,102	75,903	69,493	73,721	87,982	145,999	127,058	91,541	134,586	86,682	98,183	1,220,914	
2010/11	70,555	82,212	104,311	62,902	66,948	99,831	136,658	91,803	119,711	93,580	102,369	92,386	1,123,266	
2009/10	72,789	79,513	67,856	63,285	55,128	96,998	120,063	93,642	74,998	90,254	55,807	83,036	953,368	
2008/09	72,876	73,911	63,563	64,835	71,398	102,695	127,727	94,913	78,774	78,316	83,492	79,279	991,777	
2007/08	51,985	65,914	61,989	54,560	59,894	91,955	121,776	89,574	71,088	92,462	72,107	83,241	916,544	
2006/07	46,461	57,168	57,897	47,474	61,087	59,966	103,670	86,253	81,104	76,115	75,212	61,989	814,397	
2005/06	32,852	39,343	42,662	37,768	47,815	71,678	93,852	72,458	63,557	58,160	43,641	50,775	654,558	
2004/05	34,576	35,788	28,366	43,254	48,329	77,550	77,306	65,274	54,583	56,563	36,227	47,334	605,150	
2003/04	33,043	42,659	36,098	34,441	42,785	64,011	57,045	51,563	47,807	46,945	41,934	41,569	539,900	
2002/03	36,765	29,122	35,448	31,206	30,289	49,412	71,462	62,472	31,798	36,968	34,566	35,508	485,016	
2001/02	30,143	28,672	19,912	24,087	37,670	44,729	76,118	40,109	36,732	29,573	41,208	24,760	433,714	
2000/01	27,060	29,889	28,742	21,563	43,640	49,804	63,351	44,783	45,720	26,429	27,672	38,250	446,905	
1999/00	22,526	23,869	16,693	20,547	34,509	59,557	50,269	30,234	41,024	29,894	45,974	25,110	400,205	
1998/99	16,525	18,709	14,539	14,809	22,533	35,884	76,993	33,772	26,290	23,267	23,546	32,196	339,064	
1997/98	13,894	16,251	17,843	16,827	15,180	39,324	65,617	30,022	24,268	19,793	11,592	28,919	299,530	
1996/97	14,656	11,809	7,628	11,390	13,714	37,654	52,142	22,680	20,561	13,555	11,209	21,007	238,003	
1995/96	7,001	15,117	8,568	9,152	17,263	33,826	59,630	29,776	17,357	11,750	8,413	6,412	224,265	
1994/95	13,286	9,643	6,882	7,608	18,913	45,430	49,026	20,402	14,903	7,616	10,067	10,891	214,667	
1993/94	9,834	9,613	3,979	6,758	12,703	33,361	42,882	22,364	15,471	5,548	9,931	11,577	184,021	
1992/93	3,174	3,863	2,897	2,859	2,053	14,533	54,253	25,498	11,401	6,775	4,136	12,298	143,739	
1991/92				938	6,438	11,338	47,478	89,611	23,702	6,300	2,055	5,592	193,451	



**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (CDFA)
CALIFORNIA ORGANIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (COPAC)**

**June 4, 2014
Meeting Minutes
Teleconference**

MEMBERS PRESENT

Melody Meyer
Patrick Baur
Steven Sherman
Bridget Montesanti
Jenny Lester Moffitt
Sean Swezey
Mindee Jeffery
David Will
Karen Klonsky
Garff Hathcock
Steve DeMuri
Lauree Bradley

MEMBERS ABSENT

Thomas Azwell
Adele Gemignani
Blake Alexandre
Ione Conlan
Thomas Chapman
Sandra Schmaier
Stacy Carlsen
Pat Kennelly

CDFA

Danny Lee
David Carlson
Sarah Cardoni

INTERESTED PARTIES

Steve Beckley, OFAC
Ed Williams, LA County
John Foster, Earthbound Farm

ITEM 1: ROLL CALL

The Committee was called to order at 11:01 a.m. by Mr. Steven Sherman, Chairperson. Roll was called, a quorum was established, and self introductions were made.

ITEM 2: MATERIAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS (MROs)

Ms. Jenny Lester Moffitt discussed a letter that was drafted by the Committee regarding Material Review Organizations. The letter outlined the efforts that are being made to create a regulatory framework for MROs under the National Organic Program for material review and uniform enforcement.

MOTION: Ms. Melody Meyer moved to adopt the letter to the CDFA Secretary regarding MROs as amended. Ms. Jenny Lester Moffitt seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Ms. Lauree Bradley abstained. The motion passed by majority vote.

The Chairperson will submit to the CDFA Secretary the letter on behalf of the Committee outlining the Committee's positions on MROs.

ITEM 3: NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business.

ITEM 4: PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

ITEM 5: NEXT MEETING

The next COPAC meeting will be held on September 24, 2014, in Sacramento at 10:00 a.m. Agenda items will include CDFA reports.

ITEM 6: ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 11:21 a.m. by Mr. Sherman, Chairperson.

Respectfully submitted by:



Danny Lee, Supervising Special Investigator
State Organic Program



**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (CDFA)
CALIFORNIA ORGANIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (COPAC)**

May 7, 2014

Meeting Minutes

2800 Gateway Oaks Drive, Sacramento, CA 95833

MEMBERS PRESENT

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MEMBERS ABSENT

Lauree Bradley
Thomas Azwell
Steve DeMuri
Adele Gemignani

INTERESTED PARTIES

Debbie Murdock, Calif. egg producer
Alexis Randolph, QAI

CDFA

Steve Patton
Danny Lee
Paul Collins
David Carlson
Scott Renteria
Sarah Cardoni

ITEM 1: ROLL CALL

The Committee was called to order at 10:03 a.m. by Mr. Steven Sherman, Chairperson. Roll was called, a quorum was established, and self introductions were made.

ITEM 2: REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF JANUARY 23, 2014 MEETING MINUTES

MOTION: Mr. Blake Alexandre moved to approve the January 23, 2014 Meeting Minutes as submitted. Ms. Melody Meyer seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

ITEM 3: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATE

Mr. Patrick Kennelly provided a California Department of Public Health (CDPH) update. He reported that 2,297 registrants are currently registered with CDPH. Since the last reporting period, CDPH has received 10 complaints. Four complaints were substantiated, three complaints were not substantiated, and three complaints are pending. The natures of the complaints are mostly unregistered, uncertified operations.

ITEM 4: STATE ORGANIC PROGRAM REPORTS

I. Vacancy and Terms

Ms. Sarah Cardoni provided a vacancy report. Vacancies include: six producer alternates; two processor alternates; two technical representative alternates; and two consumer representative alternates. Members whose terms will be expiring October 31, 2015, and are eligible for reappointment are: Mr. Blake Alexandre; Ms. Ione Conlan; Ms. Jenny Lester Moffitt; Mr. Steve DeMuri; Mr. Thomas Azwell; Mr. Patrick Baur; Mr. Sean Swezey; Ms. Karen Klonsky; and Ms. Sandra Schmaier.

II. Revenue from Registration

Mr. Scott Renteria provided an overview of the State Organic Program (SOP) revenue from registration by month and year. The projection is that the program will collect roughly \$1.35 million dollars in revenue from registration by the end of the fiscal year (FY).

III. New Registrations

Mr. Renteria provided an overview of new registrant demographics. From July 2013 through the present time, there have been 296 new registrants. The vast majority of the new registrants are producers, followed by handlers, dairy and livestock, retail operations, and commission merchants, respectively.

IV. Complaints

Mr. Paul Collins provided an overview of the SOP Complaint Report. From March 1, 2013, through April 1, 2014, the SOP received a total of 56 complaints. Currently the SOP is investigating nine complaints. One complaint has been referred to the National Organic Program (NOP); 14 were assigned to County Agricultural Commissioners (CAC); nine were assigned to accredited certifying agents (ACA); and 23 have been referred to the CDPH. Referred complaints remain open with the SOP until the referring agency contacts the SOP with closure to the complaint.

V. Appeals

Mr. Danny Lee provided the SOP Appeals Status Report. These records are from 2007, when the appeals regulations were promulgated until the present. As of April 14, 2014, the SOP has received 11 appeals. All 11 appeals received have been resolved.

VI. Residue Analysis

Mr. Renteria provided the SOP Residue Analysis Report. Since the last reporting period, there have been a total of 121 samples pulled by SOP and county staff. There were prohibited substances detected on 17 of the samples, which are currently being investigated to determine the source of contamination.

VII. State Organic Program Fund Condition

Mr. Lee provided an overview of the SOP fund condition. As of December 31, 2013, the SOP's total resources were \$2.8 million dollars.

VIII. State Organic Program FY 2014/15 Budget

Mr. Lee provided an overview of the SOP FY 2014/15 Proposed Budget and requested that the Committee approve the proposed budget.

MOTION: Mr. Garff Hathcock moved to recommend the CDFA Secretary approve the SOP FY 2014/15 Proposed Budget, as submitted. Ms. Ione Conlan seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

ITEM 5: CITRUS GREENING

Mr. Hathcock shared his knowledge of the Asian Citrus Psyllid (ACP) issue organic citrus farmers are facing. The ACP is a pest that spreads Huanglongbing, a devastating bacterial disease of citrus trees. There are several conventional applications to treat for the ACP. There is one organic treatment available for use; however, it is not being widely used because the conventional products are mandated in the quarantine zones.

ITEM 6: SB 1381 – FOOD LABELING: GENETICALLY ENGINEERED FOOD

The Committee discussed Senate Bill 1381 Food labeling: genetically engineered food introduced by Evans (2013-2014). The CDPH will be responsible for the enforcement piece of this bill. The SOP added that no standards or thresholds have been established by the NOP for Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs) testing. GMOs are currently classified as excluded methods under the NOP.

ITEM 7: NEW ITEMS

Mr. Thomas Chapman discussed the Cost Share Program. \$1.4 million dollars has been projected to be allocated to California. The Cost Share application is located on the SOP's website and can be filed online.

Ms. Melody Meyer discussed Material Review Organizations (MROs) and the efforts that are being made to create a regulatory framework for MROs under the NOP for material review and uniform enforcement. The Committee will draft a letter to the CDFA Secretary and will discuss the letter at an upcoming teleconference.

ITEM 8: PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

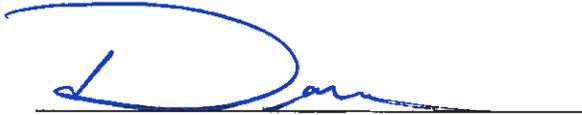
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ITEM 10: ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 12:44 p.m. by Mr. Sherman, Chairperson.

Respectfully submitted by:



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