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Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

Definition: The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act was enacted in June 25, 1947. The Act instructs the EPA to regulate: 1) the registration of all pesticides used in the United States, 2) the licensing of pesticide applicators, 3) re-registration of all pesticide products, 4) the storage, transportation, disposal and recall of all pesticide products. FIFRA's home page (http://www4.law.cornell.edu/uscode/7/ch6.html) provides many more details.

Acronym: FIFRA

Insecticide

Definition: A pesticide compound specifically used to kill or prevent the growth of insects.

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