

PRIA Fiscal Year 2018 Summary to the PPDC

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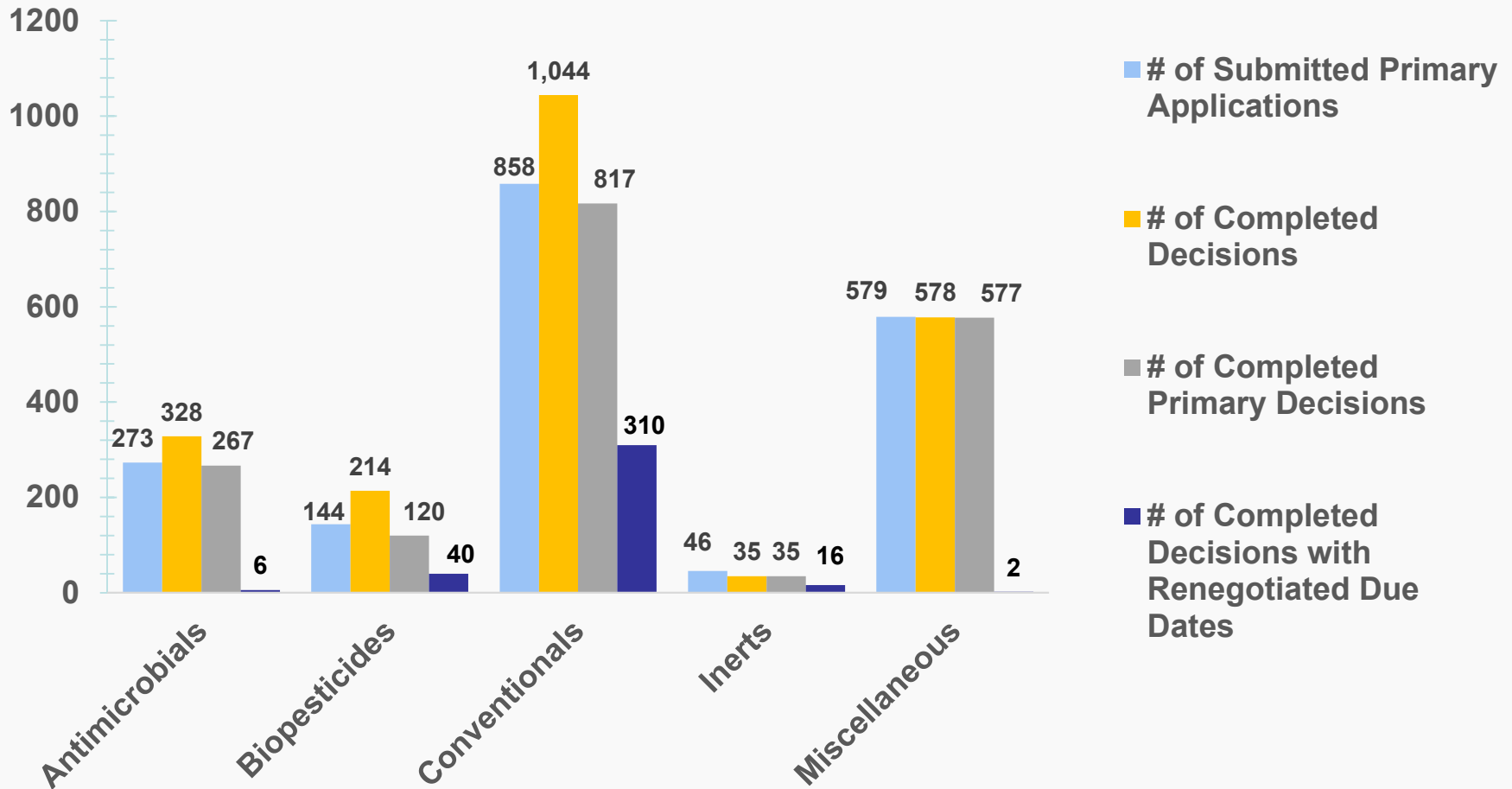


PRIA Updates

- PRIA 3 expiration date was extended through December 7, 2018, by the Appropriations Continuing Resolution signed on September, 28, 2018. Authority to collect registration service fees and maintenance fees is extended for this duration.
- PRIA 4 bill reauthorizing PRIA through fiscal year 2023 passed unanimously in the House in March 2017.
- The Senate passed a PRIA 4 amended bill in June 2018, with limits on pesticide worker protection rules.
- PRIA 4 bill is pending reconciliation of the two versions.
- The House Farm Bill (H.R. 2) includes a provision enacting the House version of PRIA 4 (H.R. 1029).



PRIA 3 Summary for FY18





Historical % of Completed PRIA Decisions with Renegotiated Due Dates

FY	Antimicrobials	Biopesticides	Conventionals	Misc.	Inerts
2010	108/310 = 34.8%	85/138 = 61.6%	277/1069 = 25.9%		
2011	85/346 = 24.6%	48/134 = 35.8%	236/1074 = 22.0%		
2012	86/333 = 25.8%	74/133 = 42.8%	235/1068 = 22.0%		
2013	73/329 = 22.2%	34/111 = 30.6%	205/1039 = 19.7%	0/562 = 0%	1/7 = 14.3%
2014	41/287 = 14.3%	30/129 = 23.2%	259/895 = 28.9%	1/575 = 0.2%	9/45 = 20%
2015	44/319 = 13.8%	28/154 = 18.2%	229/960 = 23.8%	2/622 = 0.3%	18/56 = 32.1%
2016	31/350 = 8.9%	22/151 = 14.6%	254/977 = 26.0%	2/643 = 0.3%	21/49 = 42.9%
2017	26/338 = 7.7%	22/163 = 13.5%	197/937 = 21.0%	0/544 = 0%	16/42 = 38.1%
2018	6/328 = 1.8%	40/214 = 18.7%	310/1044 = 29.7%	2/578 = 0.3%	16/35 = 45.7%



FY'18: On-Time Completion Rates

Type of decision	FY'18 Late Completions	FY'18 Rate of on-time Completions	FY'17 Rate of on-time Completions	FY'16 Rate of on-time Completions	FY'15 Rate of on-time Completions
Antimicrobial	1	99.7%	99.7%	99.4%	96%
Biopesticide	0	100%	98.8%	97.4%	98%
Conventional	3	99.7%	98.7%	98.6%	99%
Inert	0	100%	95.2%	95.9%	96%
Misc	2	99.7%	99.8%	99.8%	99%
Total	6	99.7%	99.1%	98.9%	98%



Fees Collected in FY18



PRIA Fees: \$16.8M

Maintenance Fees: \$28.4M



Summary of 2018 PRIA-Supported Worker Protection Activities

PRIA set-aside funding for the following three worker protection activity cooperative agreements totaled \$1,000,000 for FY18;

- 1. Association of Farmworker Opportunity (AFOP) - National Farmworker Training Program** - Develops and administers a pesticide safety training program to support a national network of pesticide safety trainers providing pesticide worker safety training to migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their families.



Summary of 2018 PRIA-Supported Worker Protection Activities (cont'd)

National Farmworker Training Program FY 2018 Accomplishments:

- 150 pesticide safety trainers in 30 states delivered WPS pesticide safety training to 7,649 farm workers
- Trained 2,014 women on pesticide exposure and pregnancy
- Delivered 28 Train-the-Trainer courses for 230 new WPS pesticide safety trainers
- Distributed over 16,000 materials to farm workers and their families on preventing take home exposure (laundry bags, brochures, magnets, WPS Central Posting poster)
- Distributed 13,062 long-sleeved shirts to farm workers for its annual National Long Sleeve Shirt Drive during National Farmworker Awareness week in March
- Developed a new WPS pesticide safety training flipchart for farm workers to align with revised regulations



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- 2. Pesticide Educational Resources Collaborative (PERC) UC Davis/OR State Cooperative Agreement** - Develops and coordinates the development of pesticide education materials. An advisory board helps set national priorities. PERC uses subject matter experts and production professionals.



Summary of 2018 PRIA-Supported Worker Protection Activities (cont'd)

FY 2018 PERC Accomplishments

- New WPS pesticide safety training videos for farm workers and pesticide handlers in English and Spanish
- WPS Respiratory Protection Guide
- WPS Compliance Assistance Library – information for the regulated community filtered by responses to questions
- New WPS pesticide safety poster
- Seed Treatment study manual for pesticide applicators and exam questions for use by certifying authorities



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3. **Pesticide Education for Medical Professionals – UC Davis/OR State Cooperative Agreement** – Through outreach, technical assistance and training, seeks to achieve improved health for farmworkers and agricultural communities by increasing knowledge and awareness of environmental and occupational health risks. The program expands on previous programs by including additional healthcare practice sites, improving existing educational materials, and targeting larger audiences of providers, including doctors, nurses, emergency response personnel and other clinical staff.
 - **FY 2018 Accomplishments**
 - Newly established in March 2018



Summary of 2018 PRIA-Supported Worker Protection Activities (cont'd)

PRIA set-aside for Partnership Grants: National Pesticide Information Center (NPIC) – OR State University cooperative agreement - \$500,000 - Facilitates informed decision-making about pesticides and supports the protection of human health and the environment by serving as a bi-lingual, factual source of information for professional and public audiences on pesticide-related issues.

- **FY 2018 NPIC Accomplishments**
 - Responded to 10,626 inquiries
 - Developed 195 original posts on web page
 - Website had 6.4 million views



Summary of 2018 PRIA-Supported Worker Protection Activities (cont'd)

PRIA set-aside for Pesticide Safety Education Programs (PSEPs): eXtension Foundation - Cooperative Agreement – \$500,000 – Distributes funds to PSEPs to provide pesticide applicator training on the safe use of restricted use pesticides in agricultural, commercial, residential, and public settings.

- **FY 2018 PSEPs Accomplishments**

- \$1.1M to the 46 PSEPs that applied for funding (46 out of 57)
- PSEPs committed to developing pesticide applicator materials for state, regional, and national use on topics such as respirator use and care, pollinator protection, and spray drift awareness



Process Improvements-Pesticide Submission Portal

Improvements implemented in FY 2018

- **Consortium application: allows companies to band together to submit information for shared data requirements**
- **Passphrase enhancements**
 - Separate data submission passphrases
 - Passphrase hints, reminder that passphrases are case sensitive
- **File limit/size validations: to mitigate processing delays for large submissions**
 - Registration Review Label (RRL) application- users can submit labels associated with specific registration review cases, along with supporting administrative materials
 - Gold Seal Letter Requests- now an application type menu option



PRIA Process Improvements- Pesticide Submission Portal (cont'd)

- **In Progress (target delivery of early 2019)**
 - OPP e-label builder: allows applicants to develop and submit label and corresponding Use Index-related information in a structured, standardized format
 - eCSF Builder: allows applicants to develop and submit an electronic Confidential Statement of Formula
 - Pet Spot-on Enhancement: allows applicants to submit corresponding sales and incident data as they relate to pet spot-on products
- **On the horizon**
 - Company Number Generation
 - Section 24(c), Section 18 submission through the PSP



PRIA Annual Report

- Under PRIA, EPA is required to publish an annual report describing specific PRIA and non-PRIA related actions taken over the past fiscal year
 - Actions to be included in the report are described in Section 33(k)(2)
- EPA posts the report to the PRIA webpage (<https://www.epa.gov/pria-fees/annual-reports-pria-implementation>) not later than March 1 of the following year.
- Past years' PRIA annual reports can also be found at this site.



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