

## **PESTICIDE OPERATOR'S CERTIFICATE**

### **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

#### **1. Eligibility**

Applicant must be 18 years of age and above, who is a fit and proper person to be entrusted to use pesticides safely, and is able to read and understand instructions on a pesticide label.

The applicant will be informed to sit for a written (multiple choice) proficiency test at the SFA.

Applicant who passes the test and has successfully undergone a medical examination will then be approved by the Director-General, Food Administration as a certified pesticide operator.

#### **2. Validity**

The certificate is valid for 3 years and should be renewed prior to expiry. The pesticide operator is required to sit and pass the SFA proficiency test prior to the renewal of the certificate.

#### **3. Fee**

The Licence Fee for 3 years is S\$210.00. Payment can be completed via AXS machine, AXS online E-Services or interbank GIRO in order for the Licence to be issued.

#### **4. Application Form**

An online application form is available at SFA's [website](#). It would take an estimate of 3 working days to process a completed application. A system generated number will be sent to the applicant's email upon submission. The applicant will be informed as to whether his / her application is approved by the Authority.

#### **5. Documents required**

Supporting documents should be submitted together upon submission. Supporting documents includes the following:

- a) A clear copy of applicant's front and back of the NRIC (Singaporean / Singapore PR) or Employment Pass / S Pass / Work Permit (Foreigner);
- b) A copy of the valid Farm Licence (if applicable);
- c) Certificate of Fitness issued by a Designated Workplace Doctor (DWD) which meets MOM's medical examination requirements for pre-placement under the Workplace Safety and Health (WSH) (Medical Examinations) Regulations; and
- d) Certificate of Competency for Pesticide Operators (issued by ITE)

**6. Changes to application information**

The applicant shall inform SFA in writing of any change in the application information within 30 days of the change.