Herd No: X*****9 Pesticide Application Record Year: 2015

Location/LPIS No. <u>L123456789</u>

Product Name (Trade Name)	PCS No. (as printed on product label)	Crop (Winter or Spring)	Area/tonnage treated e.g. ha or tonnes	Pesticide application rate e.g. L/ha, Kg/ha	Of Water	Date applied	STRIPE applied (buffer zone reduced)* Drift reducing nozzles 75% 90%		IPM Rationale/Reason (pest present, preventative treatment, resistance management, threshold exceeded, crop damaged etc)	PU No.
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Roundup	02317	Grassland	2.7ha	6L/ha	200	25/06/ 15			Control of weeds prior to reseeding	007
Legumex DB	90605	**	"	7L/ha	200	06/09/ 15			Broadleaved weed control in new ley	007

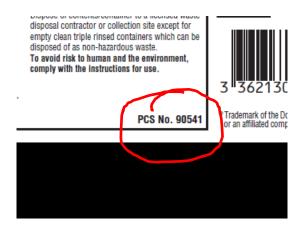
^{*}Only complete if you have used the STRIPE initiative to reduce buffer zones

Guidance on completing Pesticide Application Records

This record sheet should be completed for <u>all</u> Plant Protection Products (PPPs) applied on your holding, ideally on the day that the product(s) are used. State clearly the relevant Herd No. and the Location/LPIS No. to which the records apply (this can be got from the most recent BPS application form). Write clearly – illegible scripts will result in processing delay. It is also important to state clearly the units being used e.g. kg/ha, I/ha. If you are uncomfortable with metric units, imperial units will be accepted, but the units must be clearly stated across all records. In all instances <u>READ THE PRODUCT LABEL</u>

<u>Location/LPIS No.</u> – If multiple land parcels with the same crop are receiving the same spray programme, it is acceptable to include all relevant LPIS Nos. here. Alternatively if only one or two sprays are being applied to a particular land parcel, it is acceptable to introduce a separate LPIS No. in the line below the last record, and continue with the new spray program.

- **a.** <u>Product Name</u> record the name of the product used, e.g. <u>Roundup, Legumex DB</u> etc. Take this from the container used, NOT from invoices/receipts.
- **b. PCS No.** record from the container you use see below. Do not obtain from other sources such as invoice or PCS website.



- **c.** <u>Crop</u> indicate the crop the pesticide is applied too, and (if appropriate) whether it is spring or winter sown.
- **d.** <u>Area/tonnage</u> state the area/size of the field (or tonnage) to which the pesticide was applied. If not known, field size can be obtained from the most recent BPS application.
- e. <u>Pesticide application rate</u> this should be obtained from the label attached to the product you are using. Whilst it may in certain circumstances be appropriate to reduce the recommended application rate (=Maximum Individual Dose), under NO circumstances should this be exceeded. It is also important not to apply a product more frequently than is allowed for on the label, and NEVER breach guidelines with respect to the Maximum Total Dose (MTD). Breaches of MID or MTD will result in a penalty to you BPS.

- **f.** <u>Volume of water</u> product labels will indicate the volume of water required to ensure adequately crop coverage by the particular product of choice. These guidelines must be adhered to.
- **g.** <u>Date applied</u> is the date a particular product(s) were applied to a crop or field. Some product labels indicate a precise window of time during which it is appropriate to apply a particular chemical, or a crop growth stage before or after which a chemical should (or should not) be applied.
- h & i. <u>STRIPE initiative</u> if you are availing of the STRIPE initiative, and have reduced buffer zones by 75 or 90%, indicate by placing an X in the appropriate column. More information on this initiative can be found at http://www.pcs.agriculture.gov.ie/plantprotectionproducts/useofplantprotectionproducts/
- **j.** <u>IPM rational</u> indicate the reason/justification for the use of the product. Remember also that IPM records have to be maintained on an annual basis, and made available for inspection if requested by an authorised officer the DAFM.
- **k.** <u>PU No.</u> this is the DAFM registered Professional User No. of the person applying the plant protection product (e.g. owner or contractor). Since the 26 November 2015, only a registered Professional User can apply professional use PPPs.