

Dear Members of the LCAR Committee:

We urge you as a member of LCAR to join the Conservation Law Foundation, VT PFAS/Military Poisons Coalition, individuals and groups concerned about pesticides, and other environmental advocates in **objecting** to the revised Pesticide Regs on Dec. 15 at 10 AM, at your next LCAR meeting, on three (3) grounds and send them back for correction. These rules have not been revised in 31 years, and they need to be done right as they may stand for another 30+ years.

- The rules are arbitrary and inconsistent;
- The rules are contrary to Legislative intent regarding pollinator protection; and
- The filing fails to describe adequately or accurately the true environmental impact of these regulations, including the impacts on global warming, the significant and dangerous bio-accumulative effects of PFAS contamination in pesticides on ecological and human health, and the importance of integrated pest management in avoiding toxins in our state.

Sincerely,

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