

PERU CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parent, Guardian, and School Staff:

New York State Education law Section 409-H effective July 1, 2001, requires all public and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year.

Peru Central School District is required to maintain a list of persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff who wish to receive 48-hour prior written notification of certain pesticide applications. The following pesticide applications are not subject to prior notification requirements.

- The school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72 hours following the application of a pesticide that would otherwise dictate the use of a 48-hour notification;
- Anti-microbial products;
- Nonvolatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Silica gels and other nonvolatile ready-to-use pastes, foams, or gels in areas inaccessible to children;
- Boric acid and disodium octaborate tetrahydrate;
- The application of EPA designated biopesticides;
- The application of EPA designated exempt materials under 40CFR152.25;
- The use of aerosol products with a directed spray in containers of 18 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps, and hornets;

In the event of an emergency application necessary to protect against an imminent threat to human health, a good faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48-hour notification list.

If you would like to receive 48-hour prior notification of pesticide applications that are scheduled to occur in our school buildings, please complete the form on the reverse side of this letter and return it to Peru Central School District Business Office, PO Box 68, Peru, NY 12972.

ATTENTION: PESTICIDE COORDINATOR
PERU CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
REQUEST FOR PESTICIDE APPLICATION NOTIFICATION

SCHOOL BUILDING: ___ PRIMARY SCHOOL ___ INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL ___ MIDDLE SCHOOL ___ HIGH SCHOOL

NAME: _____ DAY PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ EVENING PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____