

Selecting EPA Registered Pesticide Products Not Prohibited for Use on Medical Marijuana in Maine

All pesticide products used in the production of medical marijuana in Maine, must be registered with the Maine Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control. Most pesticides are registered with the Environmental Protection Agency, but some are exempt from federal registration if certain criteria are met. These are commonly known as FIFRA 25(b) pesticides and also must be registered in Maine.

EPA registered pesticides have a two- or three-part number on the label, called the EPA registration number, as shown in the example: EPA Reg. No. 2543-36 or EPA Reg. No. 2543-36-4796. FIFRA 25(b) pesticides do not have an EPA Reg. No.

Use the flow chart below to determine if a specific pesticidal product is not prohibited for use.

Verify state registration at http://npirpublic.ceris.purdue.edu/state/state_menu.aspx?state=ME.

