

INSTRUCTIONS FOR Form AR3– Pesticides Annual Report Form (MTG870000)

Section A – Permittee (Owner/Operator) Information

The Department assigns an Authorization number (NOI number) as soon as a NOI is submitted. The NOI number is provided to the permittee on a letter of acknowledgement. Include this number on the AR3 form.

Provide the owner/operator name and contact information. The permittee owner/operator name is the same as the applicant owner/operator name as provided in Section C of the NOI, and is the entity legally responsible for compliance with the Pesticide General Permit (PGP).

Section B – Certification

The AR3 form certification must be completed by the owner/operator signatory or duly authorized representative as described in ARM 17.30.1323(2).

Section C – Summary Report of All Pesticide Applications

The owner/operator must complete an individual page 2 (Sections C & D) for each contracted pesticide applicator who applied pesticide to or over water for the reporting year. Include the applicator name and contact information, as well as the Pesticide Applicator License number and expiration date.

In the table, include a list of each pesticide applied by that applicator to or over water, including the manufacturer, trade name, and EPA Registration #. Identify the county/ies that pesticide was applied and a centroid location within each county. The centroid Township/Range/Section (T/R/S) or lat/long can be obtained from various sources, including by GPS, a USGS topographic map, and/or “Topofinder” from <http://nris.mt.gov/interactive.html>. Latitude and longitude must be accurate to the nearest second. Report the amount of pesticide used (in pounds or gallons *before dilution*), and the total water acreage treated. USE ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NECESSARY.

Section D–

The owner/operator must report what receiving waters were treated by each applicator. Note that the receiving waters must have been included in the NOI. If any adverse impacts were noted during the reporting year, indicated the date and attach a report as required under the PGP.