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Banana Bunch Dusting:

Following on from a recent MRL Non-conformance for Chlorpyrifos above the maximum residue limit, additional care and vigilance must be taken when preparing any applying this chemical through the bunch bagging / dusting process.

All requirements of the Australian Government permit, PER14240, to allow use of a registered Agvet chemical for the control of insect pests in Banana bunches must be adhered to at all times.

Please ensure the following are attended to in order to ensure risk of this occurring is minimised:

- All equipment is calibrated at regular intervals by a qualified person with records maintained, recommended monthly calibrations at a minimum.
- Ensure all personnel preparing and applying chemicals are fully trained to do so with training sign off records completed and maintained.
- Continue to conduct the required annual MRL testing on harvested product to verify all MRL's are within requirements.

Thanks in advance for your ongoing focus and vigilance in this area.

Kind regards



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