

Subsec. (l). Pub. L. 104-170, §501(f), added subsec. (l). Former subsec. (l) redesignated (m).

Subsec. (m). Pub. L. 104-170, §501(f), redesignated subsec. (l) as (m). Former subsec. (m) redesignated (n).

Pub. L. 104-170, §237, added subsec. (m).

Subsec. (n). Pub. L. 104-170, §501(f), redesignated subsec. (m) as (n).

1991—Subsec. (f)(3). Pub. L. 102-237, §1006(a)(4), realigned margin.

Subsec. (i)(5). Pub. L. 102-237, §1006(e), amended par. (5) generally, substituting, in subpar. (A), provisions relating to January 15 for provisions relating to March 1, in subpar. (A)(i), provisions relating to fee of \$650 for first registration for provisions relating to fee of \$425 for each registration for registrants holding not more than 50 registrations, and in subpar. (A)(ii), provisions relating to fee of \$1,300 for each additional registration up to 200 registrations, with no fee thereafter, for provisions relating to fee of \$425 for each registration up to 50, \$100 for each registration over 50, with no fee after 200 registrations, redesignating provisions formerly set out in subpar. (A), following cl. (ii), as subpar. (B), and substituting provisions relating to fee under this par. for provisions relating to fee under this subpar., redesignating former subpar. (B) as (C), striking former subpar. (C), which set maximum annual fee for registrants under subpar. (A)(i) at \$20,000, and for registrants under subpar. (A)(ii) at \$35,000, adding subpars. (D) and (E), and redesignating former subpars. (D) and (E) as (F) and (G), respectively.

Subsec. (k)(3)(A). Pub. L. 102-237, §1006(f), substituted “for each of the fiscal years 1992, 1993, and 1994, 1/3rd of the maintenance fees collected, up to \$2 million each year” for “each fiscal year not more than \$2,000,000 of the amounts in the fund”.

1990—Subsec. (i)(5)(A). Pub. L. 101-624 inserted sentence at end relating to reduction or waiver of fee where pesticide is registered for minor agricultural use.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2012 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 112-177, §2(c), Sept. 28, 2012, 126 Stat. 1407, provided that: “This section [amending this section, section 136w-8 of this title, and section 346a of Title 21, Food and Drugs, and enacting provisions set out as a note under this section] and the amendments made by this section take effect on October 1, 2012.”

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2007 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 110-94 effective Oct. 1, 2007, see section 6 of Pub. L. 110-94, set out as a note under section 136a of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2004 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 108-199 effective on the date that is 60 days after Jan. 23, 2004, except as otherwise provided, see section 501(h) of Pub. L. 108-199, set out as a note under section 136a of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective on expiration of 60 days after Oct. 25, 1988, see section 901 of Pub. L. 100-532, set out as an Effective Date of 1988 Amendment note under section 136 of this title.

EXTENSION OF LIMITATIONS ON FEE AMOUNTS AND USAGE OF FEES

Pub. L. 115-141, div. M, title IV, §401(a), Mar. 23, 2018, 132 Stat. 1049, provided that: “The following sections of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act shall continue in effect through September 30, 2018—

- “(1) subparagraphs (C) through (E) of section 4(i)(1) (7 U.S.C. 136a-1(i)(1)(C)-(E));
- “(2) section 4(k)(3) (7 U.S.C. 136a-1(k)(3));
- “(3) section 4(k)(4) (7 U.S.C. 136a-1(k)(4)); and
- “(4) section 33(c)(3)(B) (7 U.S.C. 136w-8(c)(3)(B)).”

Pub. L. 115-141, div. M, title IV, §401(b)(1), Mar. 23, 2018, 132 Stat. 1050, provided that: “Section 4(i)(1)(I) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (7 U.S.C. 136a-1(i)(1)(I)) shall be applied by substituting ‘September 30, 2018’ for ‘September 30, 2017.’”

RELATIONSHIP OF PUB. L. 112-177 TO OTHER LAW

Pub. L. 112-177, §2(d), Sept. 28, 2012, 126 Stat. 1407, provided that: “In the case of any conflict between this section [amending this section, section 136w-8 of this title, and section 346a of Title 21, Food and Drugs, and enacting provisions set out as a note under this section] (including the amendments made by this section) and a joint resolution making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2013 (including any amendments made by such a joint resolution), this section and the amendments made by this section shall control.”

ADJUSTMENT OF MAXIMUM ANNUAL FEE PAYABLE BY PESTICIDE REGISTRANTS

Pub. L. 108-11, title II, Apr. 16, 2003, 117 Stat. 603, provided that: “Within 30 days of enactment of this Act [Apr. 16, 2003], the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency shall adjust each ‘maximum annual fee payable’ pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 136a-1(i)(5)(D) and (E) in a manner such that maintenance fee collections made to reach the level authorized in division K of Public Law 108-7 [see Tables for classification] shall be established in the same proportion as those maintenance fee collections authorized in Public Law 107-73 [see Tables for classification].”

§ 136b. Transferred

CODIFICATION

Section, act June 25, 1947, ch. 125, §4, as added Oct. 21, 1972, Pub. L. 92-516, §2, 86 Stat. 983; amended Nov. 28, 1975, Pub. L. 94-140, §§5, 11, 89 Stat. 753, 754; Sept. 30, 1978, Pub. L. 95-396, §9, 92 Stat. 827; Oct. 25, 1988, Pub. L. 100-532, title VIII, §801(c), (q)(1)(A), (B), 102 Stat. 2681, 2683, which related to use of restricted use pesticides and certification of applicators, was transferred to subsecs. (a) to (c) of section 11 of act June 25, 1947, by section 801(q)(1)(A) of Pub. L. 100-532 and is classified to section 136i(a) to (c) of this title.

§ 136c. Experimental use permits

(a) Issuance

Any person may apply to the Administrator for an experimental use permit for a pesticide. An application for an experimental use permit for a covered application under section 136w-8(b) of this title shall conform with the requirements of that section. The Administrator shall review the application. After completion of the review, but not later than one hundred and twenty days after receipt of the application and all required supporting data (or in the case of an application for an experimental use permit for a covered application under section 136w-8(b) of this title, not later than the last day of the applicable timeframe for such application specified in such section), the Administrator shall either issue the permit or notify the applicant of the Administrator’s determination not to issue the permit and the reasons therefor. The applicant may correct the application or request a waiver of the conditions for such permit within thirty days of receipt by the applicant of such notification. The Administrator may issue an experimental use permit only if the Administrator determines that the applicant needs such permit in order to accumulate information necessary to register a pesticide under section 136a of this title. An application for an experimental use permit may be filed at any time.

(b) Temporary tolerance level

If the Administrator determines that the use of a pesticide may reasonably be expected to re-