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THE SYSTEMIC PESTICIDES NOTICE 1960

PURSUANT to regulation 4 of the Pesticides Regulations 1959,* the Minister of Health hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

1. This notice may be cited as the Systemic Pesticides Notice 1960.
2. Approval is hereby given to each of the systemic pesticides specified in the Schedule hereto being applied to the food crops indicated in that Schedule in the circumstances therein specified in respect of that pesticide, but not otherwise.
3. The Systemic Pesticides Notice 1959 is hereby revoked†.

*S.R. 1959/111

†S.R. 1959/136

SCHEDULE

SYSTEMIC PESTICIDES APPROVED

Systemic Pesticide	Food Crop	Limiting Circumstances
Methyl demeton ("Metasystox") Thiometon ("Ekatin")	{ Fruit (all kinds) .. { Vegetables (all kinds)	Not within 4 weeks of harvesting. (a) <i>If used within period 1 September to 28 February:</i> Not within 4 weeks of harvesting; (b) <i>If used within period 1 March to 31 August:</i> Not within 6 weeks of harvesting.
Dimethyl methoxycarbonyl propenyl phosphate ("Phosdrin")	All fruits except berry fruits Berry fruits Vegetables, except those commonly eaten in the raw state Vegetables commonly eaten in the raw state	Not within 1 week of harvesting. Not within 2 weeks of first picking. (a) <i>Within period 1 September to 28 February:</i> Not within 1 week of harvesting; (b) <i>Within period 1 March to 31 August:</i> Not within 2 weeks of harvesting. (a) <i>Within period 1 September to 28 February:</i> Not within 2 weeks of harvesting; (b) <i>Within period 1 March to 31 August:</i> Not within 4 weeks of harvesting.

SCHEDULE—*continued*

Systemic Pesticide	Food Crop	Limiting Circumstances
Dimethoate ("Rogor") ..	All fruits except berry fruits	Not within 2 weeks of harvesting
	Berry fruits	Not within 3 weeks of first picking.
	Vegetables, except those commonly eaten in the raw state	(a) <i>Within period 1 September to 28 February:</i> Not within 2 weeks of harvesting;
		(b) <i>Within period 1 March to 31 August:</i> Not within 4 weeks of harvesting.
	Vegetables commonly eaten in the raw state	(a) <i>Within period 1 September to 28 February:</i> Not within 3 weeks of harvesting;
		(b) <i>Within period 1 March to 31 August:</i> Not within 6 weeks of harvesting;
Growth regulating substances used for weed killing (hormone weed killers)	Any food crop ..	(a) <i>If non-poisonous:</i> No limitation;
		(b) <i>If poisonous:</i> Not within 6 weeks of harvesting.

Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of February 1960.

H. G. R. MASON, Minister of Health.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.