

**2010 Pesticide Misuse Case Summary  
(Calendar Year)  
Illinois Department of Agriculture  
Bureau of Environmental Programs**

- 103 Formal complaints received
  - 67 Ag cases
  - 16 Lawn care cases
  - 20 Other cases
  
- 63 Cases closed (no misuse)
  
- 36 Warning & Advisory letters
  - 27 Ag
  - 5 Lawn care
  - 4 Other
  
- 6 Administrative hearings
  - 3 Ag
  - 2 Lawn care
  - 1 Other
  
  - 2 \$750 fine - Misuse
    - 2 Ag
  
  - 3 \$500 fine - Applicator License Violation as a result of the complaint
    - 1 Ag
    - 1 Lawn care
    - 1 Other
  
  - 1 \$250 fine – Lawn care Act Violation as a result of the complaint
    - 1 Lawn care

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2010 Complaints involving Aerial Applicators (These are included in the above numbers.)

23 Total cases (22 Ag and 1 Other)

15 cases closed with no evidence of misuse

0 applicator license violations

1 administrative hearing - \$750 fine due to drift (1 Ag-related)

7 warning letters issued (7 Ag-related)