Conference To Spotlight Ag Chemical Safety Laws

NEW CUMBERLAND – An employer's conference on the new agricultural chemical safety laws will be held March 19 at the Sheraton Inn-West, New Cumberland.

Farmers who have any chemicals on their farm and who have, or will have, even one employee, should attend this conference, says Dennis Murphy, executive secretary of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Safety Council. The Council is sponsoring the conference.

The conference will help farmers

understand and comply with Right-To-Know and the Pa. Pesticide Control Act, and will provide core credits for Private Applicator recertification under the amended pesticide law.

A representative of the Department of Labor and In-

dustry's Right-To-Know program will lead the conference activities with an overview of the Pennsylvania Right-To-Know and provide important interpretations.

Steven Crawford of the governmental relations division of PFA will discuss the essential responsibilities of labeling, record keeping, education and training.

The luncheon speaker will be James Maslyn, assistant director Union, Pennsylvania Farmers' of National Affairs for the Association and county Extension American Farm Bureau offices. Federation.

Following lunch John Longenecker of the Pa. Depart-

ment of Agriculture will discuss the Pennsylvania Pesticide Control Act. Longenecker is responsible for administering the amended law and will explain important changes in how the law will be administered and enforced.

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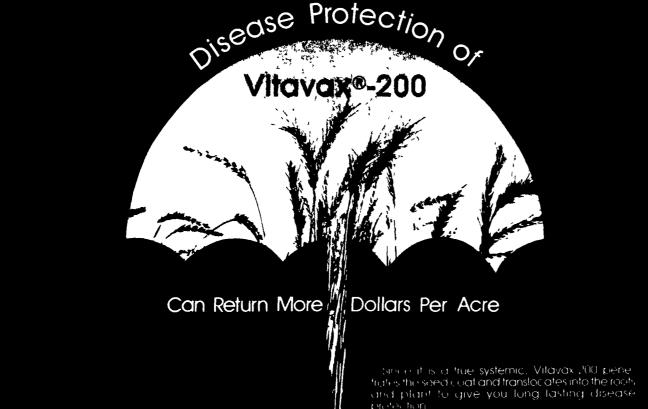
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