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TO: Environmental Affairs Manager,
FROM: Gary Fish, Certification and Licensing Specialist
SUBJECT: Licensing Requirements for Sale or Use of Biocides or Slimicides

The Maine Board of Pesticides Control (**BPC**) requires persons who distribute or apply biocide or slimicide chemicals to be licensed. If they distribute the chemicals they must register each product with the **BPC** and they must be licensed as a limited/restricted or general use pesticide dealer. If they install, maintain or add chemicals to equipment that delivers the biocides they must be licensed as a commercial applicator. Each company is required to have at least one master level licensee who supervises any other commercial operator licensees.

If you contract with companies who use biocides within the mill, please refer them to the **BPC** office for licensing information or applications to start the licensing process. They can contact me at the Board of Pesticides Control, Station 28, Augusta, ME 04333-0028. Tel. (207)287-2731.