



**REGISTRATION  
STILL OPEN FOR  
GENERAL PEST  
CONTROL COURSE  
DURBAN 7-9 MARCH  
2011**

**PEST MANAGEMENT  
ACADEMY  
INTERNATIONAL  
RECOGNISED SKILLS  
PROGRAMS FOR  
MARCH-MAY 2011**

**GENERAL PEST CONTROL  
PROGRAM**

**7-9 MARCH 2011 DURBAN  
14-16 MARCH 2011 PRETORIA  
18-20 APRIL 2011 PRETORIA  
16-18 MAY 2011 PRETORIA**

**WEED CONTROL**

**22-24 MARCH 2011 PRETORIA  
23-25 MAY 2011 PRETORIA**

**TERMITE & WOOD DESTROYING**

**ORGANISMS**

**11-13 APRIL 2011 PRETORIA**

**FUMIGATION**

**3-5 MAY 2011 PRETORIA**

**PLANT PEST & DISEASES**

**22-24 MARCH 2011 PRETORIA  
23-25 MAY 2011 PRETORIA**

**PMA COURSES ARE ACCREDITED  
BY DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE, AGRISETA &  
SAQA**

## **How Do The New Pest Control Regulations Affect You?**

The new Pest Control regulations were published in the Government Gazette on 18 February 2011 and contain some far reaching stipulations for you, the pest control operator. Some of the mayor changes are:

1. All the fields of registration have had a change of name and some new categories have been added.
2. Renewal of registration as a PCO has been staggered according to the first letter of your surname.
3. New rules for the suspension or revocation of registration.
4. A treatment notice must be issued before any treatment is made with relevant information.
5. For treatments like weed control notice must be given to occupants/neighbours within a five kilometre radius.
6. MSDS of chemicals must be given to all workers in the workplace.
7. Red and yellow band products may only be used if the appropriate warning signs have been placed at all entrances.
8. Before renewal of registration PCO's must prove that they have had ongoing training in the relevant field of pest control and legislation issues

Please contact us at [ipmc@mweb.co.za](mailto:ipmc@mweb.co.za) if you require a copy of the regulations.

## **HOW DO PMA COURSES WORK?**

1. You enter your prospective PCO's/learners for one of our courses.
2. Receive the training manuals.
3. Attend three days of professional tuition at our world class training facility.
4. Get your practical assessment at the end of the three days to be found competent.
5. With the certificate you have received apply to the Registrar of Act 36 of 1947 for a P- Registration as a Pest Control Operator, when you have completed six months of practical experience under the supervision of a registered pest control operator at your place of business.
6. PMA offers a service whereby we can supervise/mentor prospective PCO's if they do not have access to a mentor.