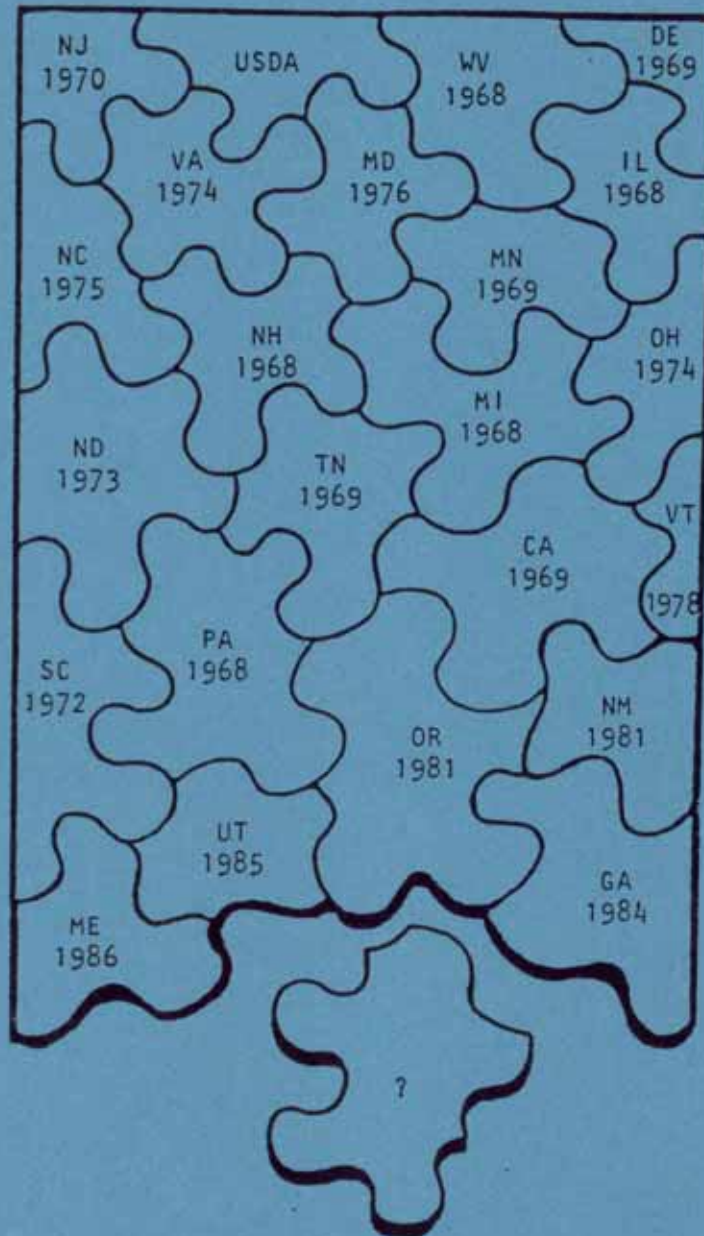


# INTERSTATE PEST CONTROL COMPACT

## 1990



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## INTRODUCTION

Every year, plant pests do several billion dollars of damage to the nation's agricultural and forest crops and products. These losses occur despite the expenditure for control measures of an estimated \$8 billion annually by local, State and Federal governments, farmers, private timber industries and other owners of private property.

However, with rare and temporary exceptions, existing technology and research capabilities are inadequate to provide the means for effective control, suppression or eradication of pests. A major reason why this know-how is not always effective in curtailing staggering losses is that pests often migrate from one location to another. Consequently, the timely and coordinated efforts of many jurisdictions are necessary for effective pest control action. To date, such action often has been limited because of the inability to achieve a fully coordinated effort. Available Federal resources are not always expended, often because of the inability of State and local governments to match them in terms of finance and manpower. The Interstate Pest Control Compact serves to remedy this deficiency.

If an individual State undertakes necessary pest control activities on its own or with Federal assistance, it cannot be certain that companion measures will be taken in other States. There may be skepticism as to how much benefit will result from unilateral effort. The value of a State's pesticide control activities to other States can be a subsidiary consideration at best, even if the cost is only a fraction of the total savings realized in all affected States.

Each state has an interest in being protected against infestations originating in other States, but such protection requires mutuality of arrangements. The Compact serves to accomplish this mutuality by applying the insurance principle to the pest control field. A Pest Control Insurance Fund has been established. It consists of appropriations made by the member States. Each State appropriation can be likened to a premium with which the State purchases insurance against the infestation from other States.

The value of the Compact to individual States is underscored by recent trends in Federal plant pest control programs. There has been a significant decline in funding in recent years for Plant Pest and Quarantine programs of the U.S. Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, and these reductions have forced APHIS to re-evaluate its role and recommend that many control and eradication efforts traditionally carried out at the Federal level be shifted to the States. Under these circumstances, the Compact will provide an increasingly valuable service to other member States.

## **FUNDING**

The basis for determining the amount of funds to be appropriated from each of the participating States is as follows: 1/10th of the total budget of \$1 million in equal shares (i.e. \$100,000), and the remainder in proportion to the value of agricultural and forest crops and products, excluding animals and animal products produced in each party State. This is not an annual appropriation, but has been a one-time contribution to the Insurance Fund. It is conceivable that, if Compact funds were appreciably depleted in carrying out a containment or eradication program, a State could be assessed its proportional share to return Compact funds to the \$1 million Insurance Fund level. However, with investment income, this does not appear likely.

## **HOW THE FUND OPERATES**

The Compact provides that any party State can apply to the Insurance Fund for financial support of pest control or eradication activities which it wishes to have undertaken or intensified in one or more other party or, in limited circumstances, in nonparty States. When a pest is found in another State that constitutes a threat to valuable agricultural or forest crops or products within the applying State, the Insurance Fund can provide financial support for control or eradication measures. State parties to the Compact are expected to maintain their existing pest control programs at normal levels aside from any assistance from the Insurance Fund. This safeguards the soundness of the Fund and assures that it will be used to apply the additional thrust necessary to combat outbreaks, which otherwise would not be controlled.

The Insurance Fund is under the control of a Governing Board, consisting of an official representative of each party State chosen by that State in accordance with its own laws. An Executive committee, consisting of the current year officers and past chairmen, is authorized to exercise certain responsibilities for the Governing Board when the Board itself does not meet.

A Technical Advisory Committee has been established to assist the Governing Board with the technical information necessary to make a decision on whether or not the Compact should be invoked on any particular requests.

The Technical Advisory Committee is composed of two State plant control officials from each of the four regions of NASDA, selected by the Regional Plant Boards, together with a representative of the U.S. Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service and a representative of the U.S. Forest Service.

## 1990 SUMMARY

Since there were no requests to invoke the Compact in 1990, no major activities were conducted. The long-tenured Secretary of the Compact, Rollin Dennistoun, Deputy Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Agriculture, retired in 1988, and Deputy Director Burton D. Cardwell, Michigan Department of Agriculture, was named to succeed Dr. Dennistoun. All records of the Secretary were transferred to Dr. Cardwell for use in his office.

The Executive Secretary and Assistant Executive Secretary continue to make contacts with potential states for membership. Reports have been made to Regional Plant Boards and also to the National Plant Board on efforts to interest new members.

Efforts to recruit in recent years have met with little success. A plan must be devised, such as a "buddy" system, whereby member states take responsibility for recruiting a non-member state, if we are ever to reach the goal of 100 percent membership.

In the 1989-90 Compact year, staff has devoted between 120 and 140 staff hours to Compact activities. This included meetings, travel to meetings, answering the initiating correspondence, working with potential member states, assisting in the development of materials, and other directly related activities. We will continue our extensive efforts in 1990-91.

If not a member, we urge you to seriously consider joining. We will work with you in any way, including coming to your state at your requests, to meet with legislators and others to explain the Compact and its importance.

It has been a pleasure for me and my staff to work with you in 1990, and we look forward to an expanded program in 1991.

OFFICERS 1989-90

Chairman, Steven D. Maurer (Ohio)  
Vice Chairman, Miles "Cap" Ferry (Utah)  
Secretary, Burton D. Cardwell (Michigan)  
Treasurer, John F. Rundquist (Illinois)

MEMBER STATES

	<u>State</u>	<u>Year Joined</u>
1.	West Virginia	1968
2.	✓ Pennsylvania ✓ 1	1968
3.	✓ Michigan 2	1968
4.	New Hampshire	1968
5.	✓ Illinois 3	1968
6.	✓ Tennessee (15)	1969
7.	Minnesota	1969
8.	Delaware	1969
9.	✓ California 4	1969
10.	New Jersey	1970
11.	South Carolina	1972
12.	✓ North Dakota 5	1973
13.	✓ Virginia 6	1974
14.	✓ Ohio 7	1974
15.	✓ North Carolina 8	1975
16.	✓ Maryland 9	1976
17.	✓ Vermont 10	1978
18.	✓ New Mexico 11	1981
19.	✓ Oregon (14)	1981
20.	✓ Georgia 12	1984
21.	✓ Utah 13	1985
22.	Maine	1986

## **APPENDIX A**


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October 5, 1989

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Interstate Pest Control Compact Members

FROM:  Robert Amato

SUBJECT: IPCC Minutes

Enclosed are minutes from the Interstate Pest Control Compact meeting held September 10, 1989, in Atlantic City, New Jersey.

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### *Officers & Directors*

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*President*  
*Virginia*

Terry D. Strueh  
*Vice President*  
*Indiana*

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*Immediate Past President*  
*New Jersey*

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*Midwestern Region*  
*Wisconsin*

Richard R. Rush  
*Western Region*  
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*President-Elect*  
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Stephen H. Taylor  
*Secretary-Treasurer*  
*New Hampshire*

Thomas W. Ballow  
*Past President*  
*Nevada*

Ward "Butch" Burnette  
*Southern Region*  
*Kentucky*

Ronald A. Allbee  
*Northeastern Region*  
*Vermont*

Minutes of the Interstate Pest Control Compact Meeting  
Trump Plaza -- Atlantic City, New Jersey  
Sunday, September 10, 1989

Member States Present

Tommy Irvin (Georgia)

Member States Absent

California	North Dakota
Delaware	Ohio
Illinois	Oregon
Maine	Pennsylvania
Maryland	South Carolina
Michigan	Tennessee
Minnesota	Utah
New Hampshire	Vermont
New Jersey	Virginia
New Mexico	West Virginia
North Carolina	

Chairman Tommy Irvin (Georgia) convened the meeting at 4:10 P.M., but was unable to proceed, due to the lack of a quorum. He therefore adjourned the meeting at 4:25 P.M.

Subsequently, Chairman Irvin directed that a majority of IPCC members state representatives approve a 1989-1990 budget and new officers for the same period. The budget and new officers were approved by the following member states after the meeting: West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Michigan, New Hampshire, Tennessee, Delaware, California, New Jersey, South Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, Oregon, Georgia, Utah and Maine. A copy of the budget and list of officers is attached.

The 1989-90 IPCC officers elected are: Director Steven D. Maurer (Ohio), Chairman; Commissioner Miles "Cap" Ferry (Utah), Vice Chairman; Director Larry P. Werries (Illinois), Treasurer; and Acting Director Burton D. Cardwell (Michigan), Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert Amato  
Assistant Executive Secretary  
NASDA

Note: All member states will receive a copy of the budget and the updated officer list. In addition, all member states not in attendance will receive a copy of the Annual Report for 1989.

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Enclosures

**Interstate Pest Control Compact  
Governing Board**

<u>Date of Election &amp; Term of Office</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>Vice Chairman</u>	<u>Secretary</u>	<u>Treasurer</u>
1968 (a) 1968-69	California Lyng	Michigan Ball	Illinois Larkin	Illinois
Feb 1969 1969-70	Michigan Ball	N.Hampshire Buckley	California Fielder	Illinois Lewis
March 1970 1970-71	N.Hampshire Buckley	Tennessee Moss	California Fielder	Illinois Lewis
March 1971 1971-72	W. Virginia Douglass	Delaware Caulk	California Fielder	Illinois Ropp
Jan 1972 1972	Delaware Caulk	California Fielder	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Ropp
Nov 1972 1972-73	California Christensen	New Jersey Alampi	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Ropp
Sept 1973 1973-74	New Jersey Alampi	Ohio Abercrombie	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Williams
Sept 1974 1974-75	Ohio Abercrombie	S. Carolina Harrelson	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Williams
Oct 1975 1975-76	S. Carolina Harrelson	Ohio Stackhouse	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Williams
Nov 1976 1976-77	Ohio Stackhouse	Virginia Carbaugh	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Block
Sept 1977 1977-78	Virginia Carbaugh	N. Carolina Graham	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Block
Sept 1978 1978-79	Virginia Carbaugh	N. Carolina Graham	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Block
Sept 1979 1979-80	Virginia Carbaugh	N. Carolina Graham	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Block
Nov 1980 1980-81	N. Carolina Graham	California Rominger	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Block
Sept 1981 1981-82	California Rominger	Vermont Dunsmore	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries

<u>Date of Election &amp; Term of Office</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>Vice Chairman</u>	<u>Secretary</u>	<u>Treasurer</u>
Sept 1982 1982-83	Vermont Dunsmore	Michigan Pridgeon	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries
Sept 1983 1983-84	Tennessee Walker	Ohio Locker	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries
Sept 1984 1984-85	Ohio Locker	California Berryhill	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries
Oct 1985 1985-86	Oregon Kunzman	Delaware Chandler	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries
Sept 1986 1986-87	Delaware Chandler	Georgia Irvin	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries
Oct 1987 1987-88	Delaware Chandler	Georgia Irvin	Minnesota Dennistoun	Illinois Werries
Sept 1988 1988-89	Georgia Irvin	Ohio Maurer	Michigan Cardwell	Illinois Werries
Sept 1989 1989-90	Ohio Maurer	Utah Ferry	Michigan Cardwell	Illinois Rundquist

(a) First meeting of the Compact was January 1969. Records indicate that officers had been elected or selected prior to this meeting, as meeting was chaired by Lyng of California.

OPERATING BUDGET  
FOR  
INTERSTATE PEST CONTROL COMPACT

7/1/90 - 6/30/90

	<u>BUDGET</u> 1987-88	<u>ACTUAL</u> <u>EXPENSES</u> 1987-88	<u>BUDGET</u> 1988-89	<u>ACTUAL</u> <u>EXPENSES</u> 1988-89	<u>BUDGET</u> 1989-90	<u>ACTUAL</u> <u>EXPENSES</u> 1989-90	<u>PROPOSED</u> <u>BUDGET</u> 1990-91
<b>NASDA CONTRACTS</b>							
Administration	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Travel & Other Expenses	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,331.78	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,067.47	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 3,000.00
PRINTING	\$ 600.00	-0-	\$ 600.00	-0-	\$ 600.00	-0-	\$ 600.00
BOND-TREASURER	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00
AUDIT	\$ 150.00	-0-	\$ 150.00	-0-	\$ 150.00	-0-	\$ 150.00
<b>POSTAGE &amp; SUPPLIES</b>							
Secretary's Office	\$ 150.00	\$ 39.50	\$ 150.00	-0-	\$ 150.00	-0-	\$ 150.00
MISCELLANEOUS	-0-	\$ 1.74	-0-	\$ 1.15	-0-	\$ 1.10	-0-
<b>TECHNICAL COMMITTEE</b>							
SPECIAL COMMITTEE	\$ 500.00	-0-	\$ 500.00	-0-	\$ 500.00	-0-	\$ 500.00
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>\$14,450.00</b>	<b>\$13,423.02</b>	<b>\$14,450.00</b>	<b>\$13,114.62</b>	<b>\$14,450.00</b>	<b>\$12,301.10</b>	<b>\$14,500.00</b>

## **APPENDIX B**

PEST CONTROL COMPACT INSURANCE FUND  
FINANCIAL STATEMENT

June 30, 1990

PEST CONTROL COMPACT INSURANCE FUND

Balance Sheet

June 30, 1990

ASSETS

Cash

Operating Account \$ 10,500.00

Investments \$930,377.78

Accrued Interest \$ 7,417.39

TOTAL ASSETS: \$948,295.17

LIABILITIES

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NET WORTH

\$948,295.17

TOTAL LIABILITIES &

NET WORTH:

\$948,295.17

PEST CONTROL COMPACT INSURANCE FUND

Summary of Income and Expenses

July 1, 1989 to June 30, 1990

Balance July 1, 1989:	\$870,657.93
Interest Income	\$ 79,850.95
Dues Income	\$ 2,670.00
Operating Expenses	(\$ 12,301.10)
Balance June 30, 1990:	\$940,877.78

PEST CONTROL COMPACT INSURANCE FUND

Cash Operating Account

July 1, 1989 to June 30, 1990

Balance July 1, 1989:		\$ 64,060.12
Interest Income	\$ 16,999.99	
Dues (Georgia 5th installment)	\$ 2,670.00	
Nydegger & Associates (bond)	(\$ 50.00)	
NASDA (agreement)	(\$ 10,000.00)	
First of America Bank (service charges)	(\$ 1.10)	
NASDA (FY90 travel, per agreement)	(\$ 2,250.00)	
Transfer out to investments (net)	(\$ 60,929.01)	
Balance June 30, 1990:		\$ 10,500.00

PEST CONTROL COMPACT INSURANCE FUND

State of Investments Owned

June 30, 1990

<u>Bank</u>	<u>Certificate Number</u>	<u>Length of Investment</u>	<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Interest Rate (%)</u>	<u>Amount</u>
First of America	60000066	daily	n/a	7.45%	\$512,983.97
First Midwest	528062	182 days	8/25/90	6.85%	\$100,000.00
First Midwest	520552	182 days	11/9/90	8.00%	\$ 80,000.00
First Midwest	521517	182 days	8/9/90	7.15%	\$ 15,000.00
Marquette Nat'l	3-0465 3	90 days	7/17/90	8.00%	\$166,090.71
Farmers Bank	3676	182 days	11/14/90	7.50%	\$ 10,000.00
Illini Bank	100010158	182 days	7/8/90	7.80%	\$ 20,676.24
Illini Bank	100010098	182 days	11/13/90	7.75%	\$ 25,626.86

**TOTAL INVESTMENTS OWNED: \$930,377.78**