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Hawaii school evacuations/illnesses related to odors from 3-01-06 to 1-18-15

03-01-06 Waiiau Elementary School: 6 children and 2 faculty members transported to hospital for observation. Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

04-13-06 Aina Haina Elementary School: 50 students taken to hospital for evaluation. Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

11-14-06 Waimea Canyon School: 14 students/teachers claimed to suffer from health effects.

Eight were sent home. Fire and police and collections manager from the National Tropical Botanical Garden agreed the odor was from blooming stinkweed. Glyphosate was applied during the day. Swab samples did not show glyphosate or Aminomethyl phosphonic acid (AMPA) in samples.

05-04-07 Kahuku High & Intermediate Schools: 4 students and 1 teacher sicken. Commercial turf grass farm applicator – Orthene product

01-25-08 Waimea Canyon School odor complaint: Ten students went to the ER and six went directly home. A diesel odor was supposedly detected by the students. Syngenta representative confirmed that stinkweed was plowed under and remove by hand and there were no pesticide applications made to fields adjacent to WCS on 1-25-08.

02-16-08 St. Joseph School (Waipahu, Oahu). 29 students, 2 teachers sicken. School custodian applicator - Malathion product

03-06-08 Highlands Intermediate School: 17 students and staff member complained of reaction to pesticide odor. Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

09-28-10 Highlands Intermediate School (Pearl City, Oahu) Treated 15 students, 2 students hospitalized. Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

11-25-13 Kaimiloa and Pohakea Elementary School (Ewa Beach): 6 – 7 students, 1 staff member sicken. Homeowner applicator applied Malathion like product. Product given to him by neighbor

supposedly an herbicide in unmarked container.

12-04-13 Kamiloiki Elementary School (Hawaii Kai): School evacuated 450 students, staff and faculty. 2 students taken to hospital for observation nausea and dry cough. Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

12-18-13 Wilcox Elementary School / Boys & Girls Club (Kauai) a dozen students were dizzy and nauseous. : Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

03-13-14 Kamaaina Kids at Wilcox Elementary School (Kauai) (A+after-school program); Homeowner applicator – Malathion product

04-03-14 Kahaluu Elementary School: Mulch pile (There were some violations by the City & County of Honolulu, Parks & Recreation that were unrelated to the odor.)

09-18-14 Honokaa High & Intermediate School: Homeowner applicator (Malathion, Diazinon & volck oil

10-27-14 Kapolei Elementary: Homeowner applicator (Malathion used but no particle drift demonstrated)

12-17-14 Waiakea Intermediate School: Unable to determine source of odor; Hazmat responded and could not locate odor source.