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EXTENSION OF PESTICIDE APPLICATOR LICENSE RENEWAL PERIOD

The Arkansas Department of Agriculture (Department) has received several reports that licensed pesticide applicators are experiencing technical issues when attempting to renew their license through the Department's licensing system. In light of these technical issues, the Department has extended the current license renewal deadline from December 31, 2021 to January 31, 2022. All licenses set to expire on December 31 will be recognized as valid during the extension period.

The Department and its third-party contractor are currently working to resolve the issue. Extending the renewal period will allow Department to resolve the issue without negatively impacting licensees. The Department will contact all licensees once the issue has been resolved.

Questions regarding this extension may be submitted to:

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Additional information can be found here: <https://www.agriculture.arkansas.gov/plant-industries/pesticide-section/licensing-permits/>