

Pesticide Dealer Licence Guide

Agri-Inputs & Farm Supply

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Produces a guide to obtaining a pesticide/insecticide dealer licence — the qualification/DAESI requirement, documents, principal certificates, process and strict conditions under the Insecticides Act. Use it to license pesticide sales. For ongoing pesticide compliance use the Insecticides Act Compliance guide.

Purpose of this tool & output

Licence to sell pesticides (Insecticides Act)

How the output is used

Use it to get a pesticide/insecticide dealer licence under the Insecticides Act before selling any agrochemical — including the qualification or DAESI requirement.

Who receives it

The application goes to the Licensing Officer under the Insecticides Act — usually the District Agriculture Officer / notified officer of the State Agriculture Department.

How to submit / file it

Apply on the state agri-portal or at the district office with the prescribed form, the responsible-person qualification or DAESI certificate, principal certificates from the pesticide companies, premises and safe-storage proof and GST.

Fees & charges

A state-set licence fee for the Insecticides Act dealer licence; valid for a fixed term and renewable.

Who should vet it

The Licensing Officer, who verifies the qualification, principal certificates and safe storage before granting the licence.

Important cautions

A pesticide dealer licence under the Insecticides Act now generally requires an agricultural qualification or the DAESI certificate, plus principal certificates and safe storage. Selling banned, expired or misbranded pesticides is a serious offence. Confirm the current qualification rule and procedure with the licensing officer.

Companion documents

- Agri-Input Licensing Roadmap
- Seed Dealer Licence Guide
- Fertilizer Sale Licence Guide (FCO)
- DAESI / Dealer Certification Guide
- GST Setup for Input Dealers
- Licence Renewal & Amendment Tracker

This is AI-assisted guidance. Verify with a qualified professional before any binding decision. Fees, authorities and processes vary by state and change over time — confirm with your state authority.