



At a Glance

Independent Audit of the EPA's Fiscal Years 2024 and 2023 Pesticide Registration Fund Financial Statements

Why We Did This Audit

To accomplish this objective:

The Pesticide Registration Improvement Act of 2003 requires the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Inspector General to perform an annual audit of the financial statements for the Pesticide Registration Fund.

The Pesticide Registration Improvement Act requires the EPA to assess and collect pesticide registration fees and to deposit these fees in the Pesticide Registration Fund. The Office of Financial Operations and Management, within the EPA Office of Finance and Administration, is required to prepare financial statements that present financial information about this fund. The Act also requires the EPA to establish time frames for its review and decision on applications for pesticide registrations; these time frames are known as decision-time review periods.

The Pesticide Registration Improvement Act requires the OIG to, as part of its annual audit of the Pesticide Registration Fund financial statements, conduct an analysis of the fees collected and the Agency's compliance with the decision-time review periods.

To support this EPA mission-related effort:

- *Operating efficiently and effectively.*

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The EPA Received an Unmodified Opinion for Fiscal Years 2024 and 2023

We rendered an unmodified opinion on the EPA's fiscal years 2024 and 2023 Pesticide Registration Fund, also known as the Pesticide Registration Improvement Act Fund, financial statements. This means that the statements were fairly presented and free of material misstatement.

We found the fund's financial statements to be fairly presented and free of material misstatement.

Compliance with Applicable Laws, Regulations, Contracts, and Grant Agreements

We did not identify any noncompliance that could result in a material misstatement to the audited financial statements.

Other Governmental Reporting Requirements

The EPA was in compliance with the Pesticide Registration Improvement Act's decision-time review period requirements.

This report does not contain any findings or recommendations.