

CIEH Pest Control Conference

Half-day conference: Thursday 17 October 2024

09.15 **Registration and online login**

09.30 **Welcome and introduction**

Chair: TBC

09.35 Panel: Introduction of the new licensing regime – Glue Boards (Offences) Act 2022: outlawing use of glue boards

Panellists:

- TBC

10:00 Panel: Glue Boards (Offences) Act 2022 – technical discussion

- Is there any new tech recommended to replace sticky boards? What does it mean in practice? What does it mean for the future, what are the opportunities and risks? Any loopholes? etc.

Panellists:

- Theresa Fidge, Senior Environmental Health Practitioner – Food & Safety Place, Kingston and Sutton Shared Environment Services
- Paul Westgate, Managing Director, Veritas Pest Consultancy Limited

10:45 The landscape of licensing for pest control

Speaker: Emma How, Senior Officer – Complex Case Unit, National Delivery, Natural England

11:10 **Comfort break & sponsorship videos**

11:30 The issue of pests on public health – how pests are causing medical problems

Speaker: Dr Alex Kew, Infectious Diseases and Microbiology Consultant, University College London Hospitals

12:00 The future risks and disease outbreaks

Speaker: TBC

12:30 TBC

Speaker: TBC

13:00 Case study: TBC

Speaker: TBC

13.40 **Closing remarks**

13.45 **End of conference**

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