

# PA8 - Application of Pesticide to mixer/loader

### **Course Description**

This course prepares the trainee to take the City and Guilds NPTC PA8 practical assessment, which combined with a PA1 unit qualifies the operator in the legislative qualification Certificate of Competence in the Safe Use of Pesticides

## **Content - the course covers**

- Legislation
- Label information
- Preparation of applicator for use
- Calibration
- Site work
- Environmental risk assessment
- Filling the applicator
- · Cleaning and decontamination of the applicator
- Maintenance and storage
- Pesticide application records

### Venue

Usually at your place of work to suit individually specific equipment - please ring to discuss options.

## Duration

One Day - Theory & Practical 9.00am - 4.30pm approx.

#### **Equipment required**

Trainees to bring Wellington boots and suitable personal protective clothing (PPE).

#### **Pre-requisites**

PA1 Safe Use of Pesticides

#### **NRoSO Points**

This training course carries 12 NRoSO points with a further 8 available for passing the assessment.

#### **Progression of Training**

After taking this award trainees may wish to expand their qualifications by adding the PA2a or another pesticide practical qualification to the PA12, please see other courses available.

#### Further information - please see the Links page

City and Guilds NPTC— www.nptc.org.uk, NRoSO— www.nroso.nptc.org.uk