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To All Pesticide State Lead Agencies, Pesticide Safety Education Programs, and Tribal Pesticide Programs:

CTAG (the Certification and Training Assessment Group) invites your nomination(s) for three-year membership beginning February 1, 2021.

Open membership positions are:

- 1 Western Region PSEP
- 1 Southern Region PSEP
- 2 At-Large PSEP
- 2 At-Large SLA
- 1 Tribal Representative

If you or someone on your staff is interested in serving on CTAG, please complete

- the attached form;
- and provide a signed letter of support (if required) from the appropriate supervisor.

### Membership Structure

CTAG is comprised of 13 voting members, for three-year terms:

- 1 SLA and 1 PSEP from each USDA Region (8)
- 4 At-Large members: 2 PSEP and 2 SLA (4)
- 1 Tribal representative (1)

Two co-chairs lead CTAG (1 PSEP and 1 SLA). CTAG voting members select the co-chairs, who will serve staggered, two-year terms.

CTAG expects members to put in considerable time preparing for meetings. Preparation includes contacting other certification programs within the region you represent, or among other tribal certification programs, for input prior to meetings and developing topics and researching issues as appropriate.

A more thorough explanation may be found in the accompanying CTAG Guidance Document, or by visiting the [About page](#) at [ctagroup.us](http://ctagroup.us) website. You may also wish to contact one of the [CTAG members](#) directly for more information.

Nominations will be accepted through December 4, 2020 and should be submitted to [amsullivan@ctagroup.us](mailto:amsullivan@ctagroup.us)

Thank you!