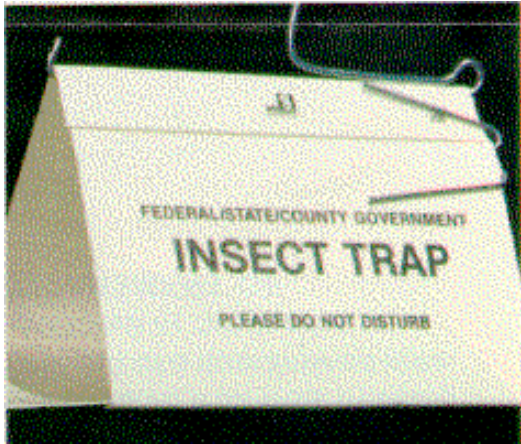
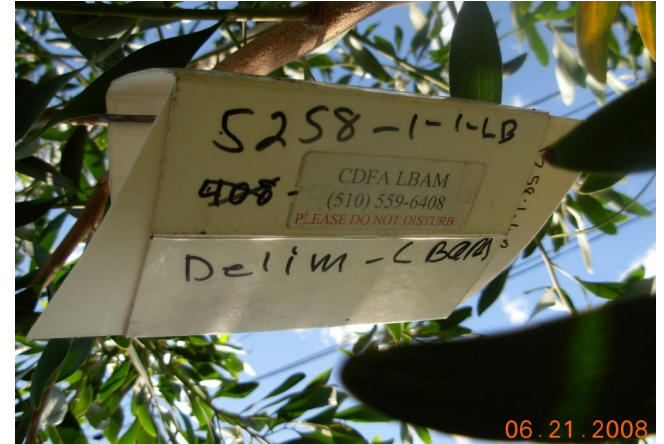


“PHEROMONE” TRAPS

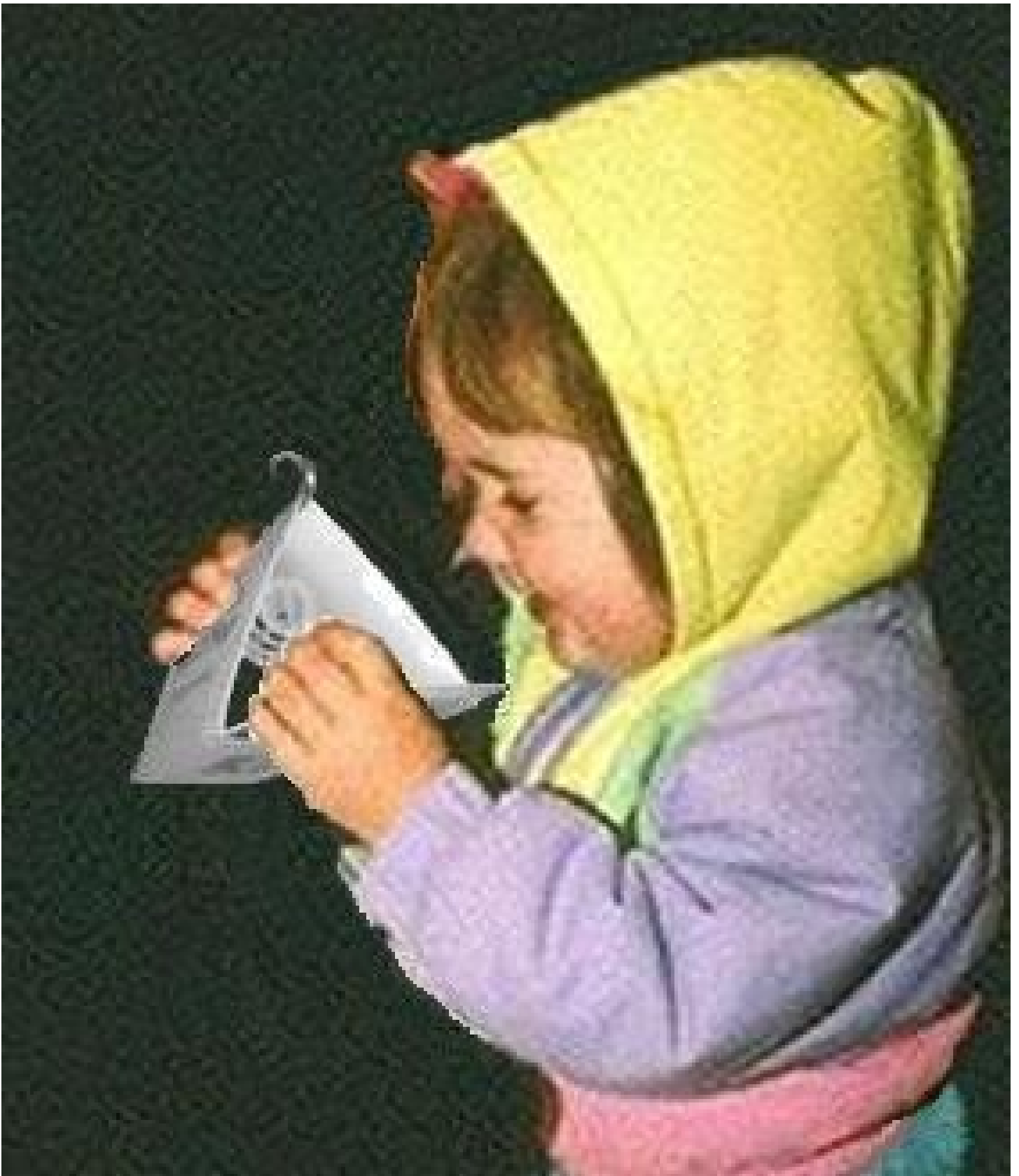


Some opponents of the CDFA's LBAM program propose "sticky" traps as an alternative to the aerial spraying. But the traps contain the same synthetic "pheromone" and secret "inert" chemical ingredients, expose us to toxics, and put at risk other beneficial insects, especially honeybees, who are attracted to various colored traps, and who are in a real global emergency due to



"Colony Collapse Disorder", in which pesticides have been implicated. Clearly neither the "pheromones" nor these traps are "targeted", as they have to test moths to see if it's really an LBAM and not a local look-alike. In fact, you can see a non-target insect trapped below. The traps, however, do target neighborhoods for further pesticide applications.





(Artist depiction of possible exposure from pesticide lures in traps to children)