



PEST B GONE INC WILL BE PROVIDING TREATMENT FOR THE CONTROL OF  
CIGARETTE BEETLES

AT YOUR RESIDENCE ON \_\_\_\_\_  
BETWEEN 9 AM TO 5 PM.

**Preparation for Treatment:**

Please ensure that the unit is prepared for treatment upon the technician's arrival. We ask that you be mindful of the technician's time, as well as the other residents waiting for treatment. Technicians cannot wait, so if you are not prepared, the treatment will be canceled, and a cancellation fee will apply.

**Mandatory Evacuation Period:**

**All adults and children**

All individuals and pets must vacate the premises for a minimum of FOUR (4) hours after treatment. Individuals with allergies, respiratory issues, or who are pregnant should vacate for at least **\*\*SIX (6) HOURS**.

**Caged Pets Protocol:**

Remove any birds and other caged pets (including fish and reptiles) from the residence during treatment. For fish tanks, turn off pumps and filters, and cover the tank with plastic wrap. Wait **\*\*24 hours\*\*** before reintroducing exotic animals.

**PRIOR TO TREATMENT**

**Identify Infested Area**

**Locate Signs of Infestation:**

Look for adult cigarette beetles, which are small and brown, as well as signs like holes in packaging, larvae, and cast skins in areas where food or tobacco is stored.

**Check Common Hiding Places**

Inspect pantries, cupboards, and any storage areas where dried goods, spices, or tobacco are kept.

**Clear the Treatment Areas**

Remove Infested Items

Dispose of any infested food items or tobacco products immediately in sealed bags to prevent spreading.

**Declutter**

Clear the area of clutter and items that can obstruct treatment. This includes boxes, bags, and any other materials that might provide hiding spots for the beetles.

**Thorough Cleaning**

Clean the affected areas by vacuuming shelves, countertops, and floors. Pay attention to crumbs and residues in corners and along edges.

**Wash Surfaces**

Wipe down all surfaces with hot soapy water to remove any residual food particles that might attract pests.

Store Food and Items Properly

### Use Airtight Containers

Store all remaining food, especially dry goods, in airtight containers to prevent further infestations.

### Check Labels

Ensure that packaged foods are sealed properly and check for any signs of damage or infestation.

### Remove or Cover Food Items

If necessary, completely remove food items from pantries and cupboards, and consider covering or moving items that cannot be removed.

### Close Windows and Doors

Ensure that all windows and doors are closed before treatment to help contain the area being treated.

## Post-Treatment Guidelines

### Monitor for Activity

After treatment, keep an eye on the areas for any signs of renewed activity. Report any sightings of cigarette beetles immediately.

### No Pesticides or Cleaning Products:

Do not spray any pesticides or cleaning products in treated areas after the treatment, as this may lead to control failure.

## Prevent Future Infestations

### Regularly Inspect Food Products

Periodically check stored food products and tobacco for signs of beetles and dispose of any damaged items promptly.

### Maintain a Clean Environment

Keep your pantry and storage areas clean and organized to minimize attractants for cigarette beetles.

### Control Humidity Levels

Maintain low humidity levels where food is stored, as higher humidity can attract pests.

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Thank you for your cooperation!