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Will there be prioritization based on the potential harm of the targeted pest? Would certain chemistries that may not be applicable in sensitive sites be permitted as part of Early Detection Rapid Response programs where the potential harmful impact of the pest could outweigh some of the risks. For example, would an herbicide that may not be the first option on a school site due to potential risk to children be allowed to target a newly discovered invasive weed in a wildland area that has a high potential to disrupt a sensitive ecosystem or pose a high fire risk or will we see blanket restrictions solely based on health assessments.