Wood-Destroying Insect Inspection

Test Plan Development

I. Identification
   a. Termites
      i. Subterranean
         1. Insect
         2. Damage/ Evidence/ Characteristics
      ii. Drywood
         1. Insect
         2. Damage/ Evidence/ Characteristics
      iii. Dampwood
         1. Insect
         2. Damage/ Evidence/ Characteristics
   b. Beetles
      i. Re-Infesting
         1. Powder Post
            a. Insect
            b. Damage/ Evidence/ Characteristics
         2. Old House Borer
            a. Insect
            b. Damage/ Evidence/ Characteristics
         3. Deathwatch
            a. Insect
            b. Damage/ Evidence/ Characteristics
      ii. Non Re-Infesting
         1. Bark
            a. Insect
            b. Damage/evidence/characteristics
         2. Long-horned
            a. Insect
            b. Damage/evidence/characteristics
         3. Metallic Wood-Borer
            a. Insect
            b. Damage/evidence/characteristics
   c. Carpenter Ants
      1. Insect
      2. Damage/ evidence/characteristic
   d. Carpenter Bees
      1. Insect
      2. Damage/ evidence/characteristic
   e. Conditions Conducive

II. Inspection
   a. Equipment
   b. Exterior
   c. Interior
   d. Attics, Crawlspace, Garages
   e. Additional Structures on the Property

III. Wood-Destroying Insect Inspection Report (WDIIR)
   a. Completing the form
      i. Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5
   b. Inspected and Uninspected Structures
      i. Section 6
   c. Obstructed or Inaccessible Areas
      i. Section 7
   d. Visual Inspection of Accessible Areas
      i. Section 8
      ii. Section 9
      iii. Section 10
   e. Statement of Inspector
i. Sections 11 and 12
f. Statement of Purchaser
   i. Sections 13 and 14
g. Conditions Conducive to Infestation
   i. Section 15 – Wood to Earth Contact
   iii. Section 17 – Faulty Grades
   v. Section 19 – Inaccessible Areas
   ii. Section 16 – Excessive Cellulose Debris
      iv. Section 18 – Excessive Moisture (Evidence of)
h. Graphs of the Structure(s)

IV. Laws & Rules
a. Statutes
   i. Article 4 – Wood-Destroying Organisms
b. Rules
   i. Article 1 – R3-8-102 – State-Only Certification Categories; Scope (a.i.) Wood-Destroying Organism Treatment, (a.ii.) Wood-Destroying Insect Inspection, (b) Wood Preservation
   ii. Article 3 – R3-8-307 – Performing a Wood-Destroying Insect Inspection; WDIIRs
   iii. Article 3 – R3-8-308 – Performing Wood-Destroying Insect Management
   iv. Article 5 – R3-8-501 – Applicator Recordkeeping (E - F)
   v. Article 5 – R3-8-503 – Business License and Political Subdivision Recordkeeping and Retention (B-D) (CQA specific)

Resources
- Arizona Revised Statute Title 3 Chapter 20 & Arizona Administrative Code Title 3 Chapter 8 – Pest Management Divis;
- National Pesticide Applicator Certification Core Manual;
- Truman’s Scientific Guide to Pest Management Operations – 7th Edition; and
- Handbook on Pests of Community Environments in the Desert Southwest United States