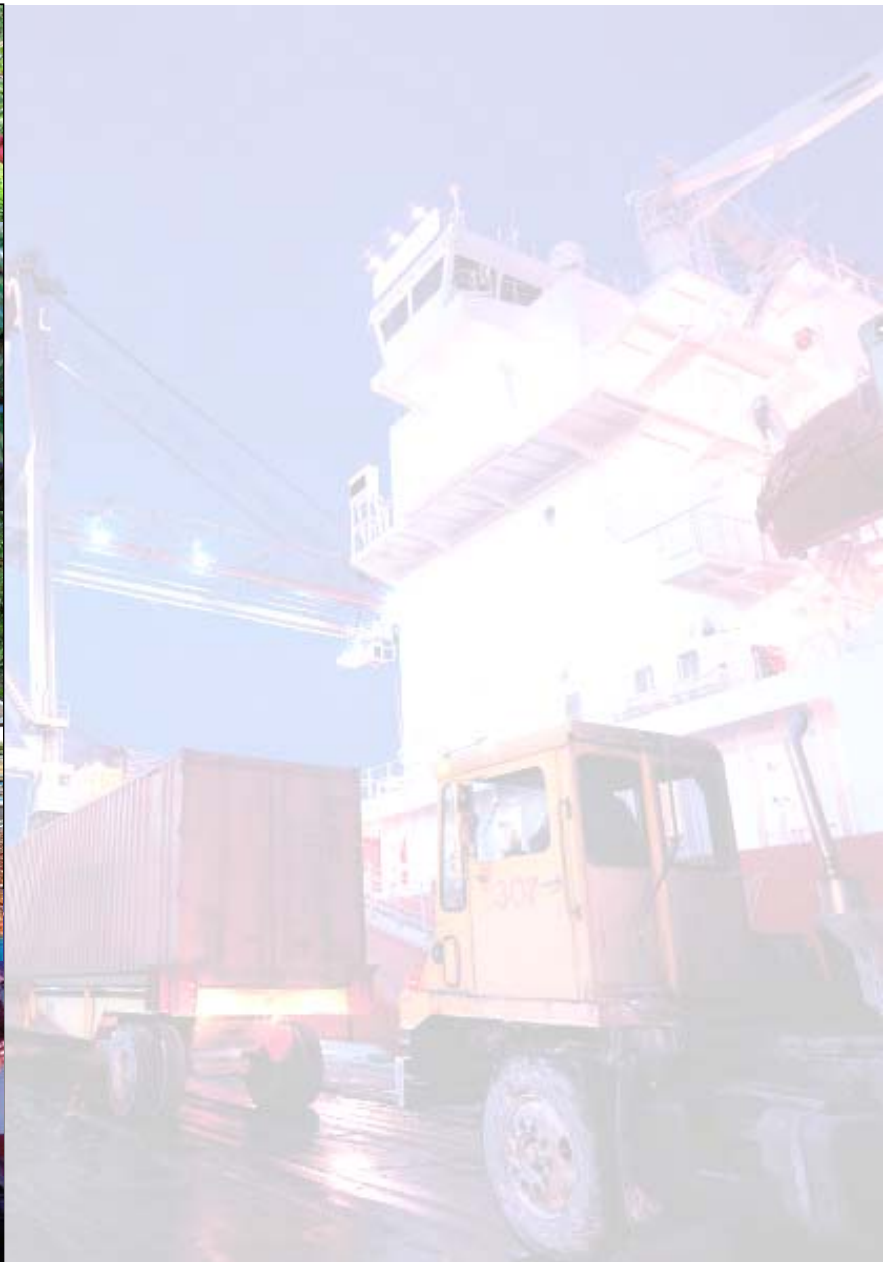


**MAFBNZ Phytosanitary
Compliance Programme for the
Export of Apples to Taiwan**

**Coolstores and Exporters Module
2009-2010
Version 1**



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PART 1 INTRODUCTION

This document is one of three modules that form the basis of an integrated system's approach to meet Taiwan's phytosanitary requirements. Specifically, this module outlines the requirements to be met by coolstores' and exporters' adherence to the compliance programme regulating export of New Zealand apples to Taiwan. The other two modules are focussed on the requirements for growers and packers and for independent verification agencies (IVAs).

This compliance programme addresses Taiwan's "Quarantine Requirements for the Importation of Apples from Countries or Districts Where Codling Moth Is Known to Occur," and realigns these requirements into an operational sequence to expedite the entry of New Zealand apples into Taiwan.

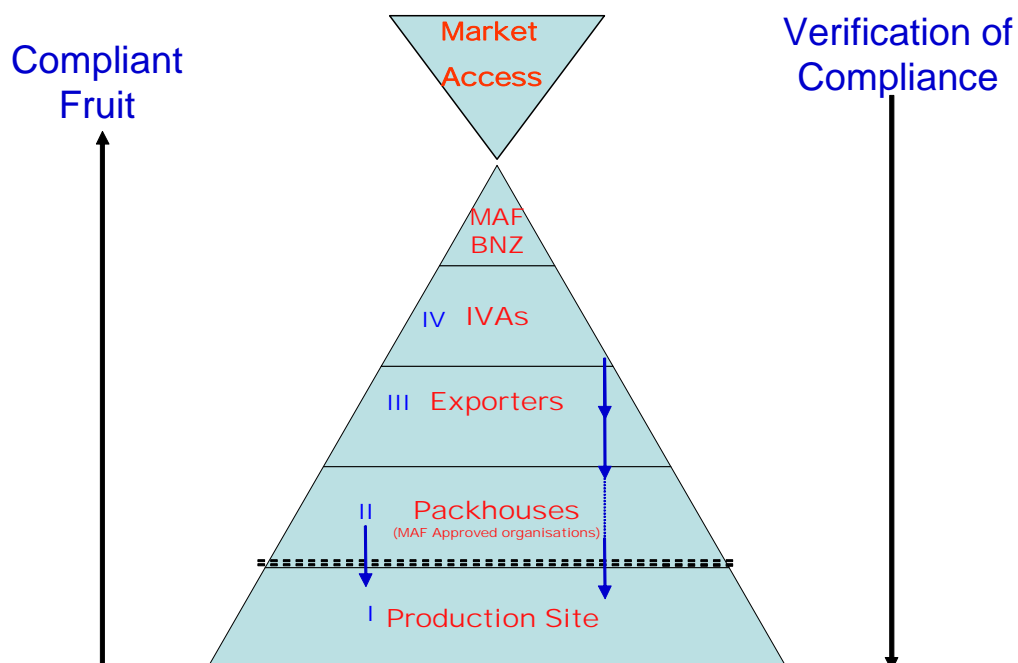
The export of apples from New Zealand to Taiwan is subject to meeting the import phytosanitary requirements for the crop specified by Taiwan.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

- This module is to be used in conjunction with other relevant modules that form this programme (growers and packers module and IVA module).**

This compliance programme vertically integrates the production, packing, storage and export phases within the product pathway for export to Taiwan (Figure 1).

Figure 1: Model for the phytosanitary compliance programme for the export of apples to Taiwan from 2007/08 onwards



The following table summarizes type and frequency of verification checks conducted by various programme participants.

Table1: Summary of Verification Checks utilized in the compliance programme

Programme participants	Verification Checks	
	Type	Frequency
Registered Growers	Trap surveys	Weekly
MAF Approved organisations or IVAs	Compliance monitoring of registered growers	At least twice during the season. A proportion (10%) of sites operating in March will have the third audit.
IVAs	Audit of MAF Approved Organisations in the production phase	At least twice during the production phase. A proportion (10%) of organisations monitoring production sites in March will have the third audit.
	Audit of MAF Approved Organisations in the packing/storing/exporting phase	Refer MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements
	System Audit	Refer MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements
MAFBNZ	A verification audit of IVAs services to the programme	At the discretion of MAFBNZ Director Border Standards

Each phase within this programme can only be successfully completed if the previous phase below has been conducted to the highest standard. This method of operating the compliance programme places emphasis on the codling moth pest management where it can be best controlled – the production site. The New Zealand Pipfruit Industry’s Integrated Fruit Production Programme (IFP) forms the technical basis for codling moth pest management.

This revised programme recognises the uniqueness of the integrated approach where IVAs audit an organisation’s overall performance in operating their documented system in compliance with their MAF approved Organisation’s systems.

Coolstore organisation performance is vital in ensuring compliance to product security requirements. The exporter’s role is crucial in ensuring accuracy of the export documentation.

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Registers of compliant participating parties within this programme is available on the MAF website:

<http://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/regs/exports/plants/compliance>

PART 2 COOLSTORE REQUIREMENTS

Requirement Number	Requirement	Notes:
1.	All coolstores participating in the Apples to Taiwan Programme must: Be a MAF Approved Organisation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements
2.	Register their facilities with their preferred IVA.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration form is in Appendix 3 of this module • Do not send your registration form directly to MAFBNZ. • The IVA will contact you and arrange an audit schedule of your MAF approved system. • Where the packhouse and the coolstore are on the same site and owned and operated as one business entity, only one registration application will be required. • Registration should preferably be done at the time of registration of the packhouse and not later than 23 December 2009. • Late registrations of MAF Approved coolstores into the programme are allowed subject to an IVA's assessment of coolstore meeting all of the relevant requirements of this module.
3.	Ensure appropriate coolstore personnel have an understanding of the Taiwan Programme as it relates to packed product labelling, segregation and security from pest contamination requirements.	
4.	Document and maintain an inventory system that identifies the inward and outward volumes and appropriate date of packed apples for Taiwan from: (i) Packhouses registered in this programme from which packed apples are being sourced from; and (ii) Exporters registered in this programme	

	they are supplying packed apples to.	
5.	<p>Ensure packed apples for export to Taiwan are segregated in storage at all times from apples destined for other markets by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) a minimum of 100mm in coolstore (ii) a minimum of 1200mm when under ambient temperatures 	
6.	<p>Ensure apples packed for Taiwan are transported as per their documented post inspection product security (PIPS) measures (i.e. in such a fashion to prevent pest contamination during transport from coolstore to airports, wharf side or into sea containers (e.g. enclosed within curtain sided trucks or closed sea containers, etc.)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer Section 3.8.3.2 of the MAFBNZ Standard Organisation Requirements: Hazards and Risks.
7.	<p>Ensure all apples which transit a third country en route to Taiwan comply with either of the following pest proofing and sealing measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Each individual package must be appropriately pest proofed and sealed; or ○ The pallet must be appropriately pest proofed and sealed; or ○ The container (sea or air) must be appropriately pest proofed and sealed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pest proofing is not required when a consignment (sea freight only) remains aboard the same vessel that it was loaded upon in New Zealand. • The appropriate pest proofing means that the consignment is completely enclosed within a pest proof mesh bag/net with a mesh size of 1.6mm or less. Other pest proofing methods may be used, but they must provide an equivalent level of protection as that achieved by a 1.6mm mesh bag/net.
9.	<p>Ensure that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ MAF sealing tape or industry paper seals are applied at the level of pest proofing; ○ Industry paper seals are numerically numbered and the serial number(s) stated on the accompanying phytosanitary certificate in the product description area (i.e. not as an additional declaration); ○ Sealing is undertaken in a manner as to clearly demonstrate that pest proofing has not been compromised. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seals applied to an individual package, pallet or container must be applied in such a manner as to clearly demonstrate that pest proofing has not been compromised, and that the product has not been tampered with during transit. • If pest proofing has been comprised during transit or if seals have not been correctly applied, the exporter will be given the option to either reship the consignment or have it destroyed. • MAF sealing tape or industry paper seals may be used.

PART 3 EXPORTER REQUIREMENTS

Requirement Number	Requirement	Notes:
1.	<p>All exporters participating in the Apples to Taiwan Programme must:</p> <p>Register their intention to participate in export Taiwan apples programme in 2009/10 by 23 December 2009.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exporter registration is coordinated and managed by PNZI on behalf of MAFBNZ. • Registration form is in Appendix 4 of this module. • Records of registered exporters will be passed from PNZI to MAFBNZ for posting on website. • Exporters not listed in this register will not be eligible to export to Taiwan. • Late registrations are possible. Eligibility for late registration is at the discretion of PNZI due to necessity to manage operating costs of running the programme.
2.	<p>Ensure (if the exporter is MAF approved Organisation) their documented post inspection product security (PIPS) measures are adhered to.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer MAF Biosecurity New Zealand Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements. • Those exporters that are not MAF approved Organisations need to confirm their contractual arrangements to ensure PIPS measures are undertaken by MAF approved Organisation.
3.	<p>Ensure that packed apples transiting a third country en route to Taiwan are contained in:</p> <p>a) Packages or pallets that appropriately pest proofed and sealed; or</p> <p>b) Containers(sea or air), which form a pest proof environment; and</p> <p>Sealed with a numbered tamper-evident tydon type seal as proof of non-tampering during transit.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer Sections 2.8 and 2.9 of this module. • Open vents which could compromise the pest proofing of either a container (sea or air) are to be covered with netting with a mesh size no greater than 1.6mm

<p>4.</p>	<p>Ensure all export phytosanitary certificate requests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Contain accurate data; and ○ Apples were sourced from MAFBNZ registered as compliant grower(s); and ○ Apples were packed in a MAFBNZ approved and registered packhouse organisation; and ○ Apples were stored in a MAFBNZ approved and registered coolstore organisation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accuracy of data on phytosanitary certificate is vital for the effective and efficient processing of consignments on arrival in Taiwan • MAFBNZ Exports cannot guarantee timely response to an Exporter's request for replacement certificate due to inaccuracies in the original certificate. • In cases where a replacement certificate is required, it will have to be couriered to Taiwan in order to enable clearance of the produce at the Taiwan border. It is unlikely that MAFBNZ will be in a position to accelerate this process. • MAFBNZ input into facilitating the communication on replacement certificates will be on a cost recovery basis directly from the requester at a minimum of \$140.63 (inclusive of GST) per certificate.
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PART 4 PROGRAMME CONTINGENCY MEASURES - CODLING MOTH INTERCEPTIONS

Requirement Number	Requirement	Notes:
1.	<p>1. Any New Zealand detection of live codling moth during post-harvest handling of packed apples from a Taiwan production site must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notified to the appropriate packhouse and IVA • The affected production site must be removed from the programme for the remainder of the season. <p>2. Coolstore and Exporter organisation must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish the location and volumes of fruit in the export pathway from the affected production site(s) • Export to Taiwan only apples eligible for phytosanitary certification • Contribute to a traceback investigation to determine a cause of failure (jointly by the appropriate IVA and MAF approved organisation). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As appropriate, subject to the investigation findings, MAF may withdraw certification for apples from the affected grower's production site(s). • Apples that have been previously inspected and passed inspection for Taiwan may retain certification if loaded into a container, the seal applied and the container admitted to the Port. • The policy on retention or revocation of phytosanitary certificates is subject to MAFBNZ review at any time.
2.	<p><u>A Taiwan detection and notification of live codling moth in apples from New Zealand:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MAF will notify the appropriate packhouse organisation, grower, IVA and the programme management team 2. MAF is to immediately remove the affected production site from the register of compliant production sites for the remainder of the season 3. MAF is to immediately remove the affected packhouse from the register of packhouses eligible to export for the remainder of the season and suspend the affected packhouse organisation pending the outcomes of a traceback investigation 4. IVA must circulate the information to exporter(s) on the removal of the packhouse and the production site from the programme within the same date of 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As appropriate, subject to the investigation findings, MAF may withdraw certification for apples from the affected grower's production site(s). • Packed apples originating from non-affected sites that have been inspected and passed inspection by the affected packhouse may retain certification if loaded into a container, the seal applied and the container admitted to the Port. • Packed apples originating from non-affected sites that have been inspected and passed inspection by the non-affected packhouse of the suspended packing

	<p>the site and the packhouse suspension/removal from the programme.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Conduct the traceback investigation of the packhouse pathway to determine a cause of failure (jointly by the appropriate IVA and MAF) 6. The suspended packhouse organisation must: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Cease packing apples for export to Taiwan in all their respective packhouses. ii. Withdraw certification for apples from the affected growers production site(s) and the affected packhouse. iii. Co-operate fully with the MAF co-ordinated investigation of the affected product pathway by providing full access to documentation and key staff iv. Immediately implement all recommended amendments to the approved operating system. v. Allow MAF to verify the implementation and effectiveness of the identified amendments if any 7. MAF, in conjunction with the programme management team, will determine the extent of any further contingency measures that may need to be implemented. 	<p>organisation may retain certification if loaded into a container, the seal applied and the container admitted to the Port prior to or on the day of the site suspension while pending the results of the investigation. These apples may continue to be certified once/if the appropriate authorities have approved all recommended amendments to the MAF approved organisation's system.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suspended packing organisation may only resume packing of apples for export to Taiwan: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i) Only in packhouses not directly implicated with the Taiwan detection if the packhouses facility individually registered into the programme prior to detection; and ii) After the appropriate authorities have approved all recommended amendments to the MAF approved organisation's system. • The policy on retention or revocation of phytosanitary certificates is subject to MAFBNZ review at any time.
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APPENDIX 1: REFERENCES

- Taiwan Quarantine Requirements for the “Importation of apples from countries or districts where Codling Moth is known to occur”
- MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: IVA Requirements
- MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements
- MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: Technical Requirements: Pest Survey
- MAF BNZ Export Certification Standard: Phytosanitary Inspection
- ICPR for Taiwan <http://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/commercial-exports/plant-exports/icpr-register>
- NZ Pipfruit IFP/0507/A, NZ Pipfruit IFP/0108/A2/2, NZ Pipfruit, IFP/0507A1.11-14, NZ Pipfruit IFP/0507/A1.19- 34, NZ Pipfruit IFP/0507/A1.49-50

APPENDIX 2: DEFINITIONS & ACRONYMS

Approved Organisation	An Organisation that has been formally recognised by MAF Biosecurity New Zealand as competent to receive delegated authority to act on its behalf to provide specific phytosanitary activities in accordance with the requirements specified in the relevant MAF Biosecurity New Zealand standard(s).
BAPHIQ	Taiwan Bureau of Animal and Plant Health Inspection and Quarantine
Base	The replaceable sticky base in the floor of delta monitoring TRAPS on which the CAP is placed and moths caught
Block (or Management Area)	A clearly identified planting of trees managed as an entity and may involve one or more varieties but may be discontinuous within a production site (referred to by the industry as a management area and identified as such on their spray diaries and apple packhouse submission records)
BIOFIX	The time to first flight of moths originating from the overwintering pupal population of codling moth
Cap	Pheromone lure (either loaded with codlemone at 1mg or 10mg)
CM	Codling moth, scientific name <i>Cydia pomonella</i> (Linnaeus)
CMGV	Codling Moth Granulosis Virus, a species specific entomovirus
GDD	Growing Degree Days
Grower	Producer of apples under the Apples to Taiwan programme
Grower Line	Predefined quantity of apples from a single Taiwan registered production site, from which samples are drawn by a phytosanitary inspector and inspected to determine eligibility for export.
High codling moth pressure site	A production site where the CM traps exceeded the thresholds set out in Section 2.7.1 of this document on four occasions (i.e. where 5 or more chemical interventions for codling moth were made during the season).
High risk production sites	<p>(1) Production sites where codling moth was detected at harvest or post harvest in the previous season</p> <p>(2) Production sites that were removed from the Apples to Taiwan programme in the previous season due to non-compliance with the programme</p> <p>(3) Growers new to the Apples to Taiwan programme AND who do not have a documented history from the previous season of CM management</p>

ICPR	Importing Country Phytosanitary Requirements
IFOAM	International Federation of Organic Agriculture Movements
IFP	Integrated Fruit Production
IPPC	International Plant Protection Convention
NPPO	National Plant Protection Organisation as defined in the IPPC
IVA	An organisation accredited as meeting ISO/IEC 17020:2000 and its independence criteria type A, and Biosecurity New Zealand supplementary technical requirements, and authorised by Biosecurity New Zealand to carry out services associated with export certification.
Low risk production sites	Production sites where codling moth was not detected at harvest or post harvest in the previous season.
Lure	Pheromone lure - see CAP
MAFBNZ	Ministry for Agriculture and Forestry Biosecurity New Zealand (New Zealand NPPO)
Mating Disruption	A pheromone based crop protection method that relies on high concentration of sex pheromone to disrupt male moths detecting female moths
Organic Production	Production based on internationally certified (IFOAM) practices
PIPS	Post inspection product security. Refer MAF Biosecurity New Zealand Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements.
PNZI	Pipfruit New Zealand Incorporated – the NZ pome fruit industry body
Production Site	A grower designated and NZ MAF registered property or part of a property with clearly defined and mapped boundaries on which apples are grown for export to Taiwan under this programme. This may be a group of blocks, a single block, or a portion of a block within a property.
Property	A single contiguous area of land, as identified by property valuation numbers(s), on which the apples are grown.
Phytosanitary Inspector	For the purposes of this compliance programme these are the staff members listed in an approved organisation's register of competent phytosanitary staff.
RPIN	Registered Property Identification Number – the unique number assigned to all export orchards linked to the property valuation roll number (R denotes a pomefruit crop)

Taiwan Registered Variety Apple varieties within a Taiwan registered production site that are grown and managed for the purpose of export to Taiwan. These will be varieties that the grower has identified on their registration form at registration (for example but not limited to: the Pacific series, Royal Gala, Fuji). If a Taiwan registered production site contains more than one variety block of a variety intended for Taiwan registration then all variety blocks of that variety within the production site must be registered and treated as per the programme requirements for the entire season.

This enables early season CM management across all varieties and specific management in varieties for Taiwan market while protecting market requirements for non-Taiwan varieties also.

TCE Tray carton equivalent

Trapping Records Weekly records of codling moth pheromone trap catches.

APPENDIX 3: APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION - COOLSTORES

Apples to Taiwan 2009/10

(To BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED BY 23 DECEMBER 2009)

Coolstore Information Requirements:

Please use Block Letters to provide the following information, which is required, if you intend to participate as a coolstore in the apples to Taiwan programme.

Forward your application for registration to your Independent Verification Agency (AQ or SGS), Refer Section 1 for contact details

The coolstore organisation should confirm with their IVA the costs associated to become registered for the Apples to Taiwan Programme

I [*state authorised coolstore officer name*]
 hereby apply for registration of a coolstore facility in the Apples to Taiwan export compliance programme

Coolstore Company or Partnership Name:

Coolstore Postal Address:.....

Telephone Number:..... Fax Number:

Postal Code:..... Email Address:

Physical location of Coolstore(s):.....

Coolstore site(s) Valuation Number:

Are you are a MAF Biosecurity New Zealand Approved Organisation under the BNZ Standard "Organisation Requirements"?

YES NO

If YES, please state your Contract of Approval number:

Do you intend to store IFP apples only
 Organic apples only
 IFP and Organic apples

Exporter Details:

State the Company name, address & contact person of the exporter(s) who will be exporting your packed apples to Taiwan:

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- (a) I/We agree to notify MAF Biosecurity New Zealand via our Independent Verification Agency of any changes to the above details.
- (b) I/We understand that this registration does not entitle us to automatically undertake export inspection activities on behalf of MAF Biosecurity New Zealand without first becoming formally authorised in accordance with MAF Biosecurity New Zealand's Export Certification Standard "Organisation Requirements".

Note: Where the packhouse and the coolstore are on the same site and owned and operated as one business entity, only one registration fee will be required.

Signature

(Applicant): **Date:**.....

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Receipt No:.....

Mark number allocated(if a packhouse/coolstore facility) :.....

Applicant notified: *Letter/Fax/Email*..... Previous details amended:

Database updated:/...../..... Signed:.....

APPENDIX 4: APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION: EXPORTERS

Apples to Taiwan 2009/10

(TO BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED BY 23 DECEMBER 2009)

Exporter Information Requirements:

Please use BLOCK LETTERS to provide the following information, which is required, if you intend to participate as an **exporter** in the **Apples to Taiwan Programme**.

A registration fee of \$4,000 (including GST) is to be deposited directly to the following Pipfruit New Zealand Inc bank account

Bank **Bank of New Zealand**
Branch **Hastings**
Account Number **02 0500 0893749 26**

Please ensure your direct payment to Pipfruit New Zealand Inc references your company name.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. This fee is based on 20 exporters signing up to the programme. If this is not achieved then the fee will need to be revised.

Of the initial registration fee, a non-refundable administration fee of \$500 is payable by all registrants, regardless of the volumes exported

2. The company name referenced with the payment must correspond to company/exporter name identified upon this application.

3. You will only be eligible to receive Biosecurity New Zealand certification for export consignments of apples to Taiwan upon:

- i Pipfruit New Zealand Inc. receipt of this completed application form and subsequent placement of the exporter on the Apples to Taiwan exporter database forwarded to MAFBNZ (via IVAs).
- ii Deposit of registration fee to nominated Pipfruit New Zealand Inc bank account

Please forward your application for exporter registration to:

Jill Morley
Pipfruit NZ Inc.
P O Box 11094
HASTINGS 4158

I [*state authorised name of the person representing the exporter*]

..... hereby apply to be registered as an exporter in the “Apples to Taiwan Programme”

Exporter Company or Partnership Name:

Exporter’s Postal Address:

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Telephone Number:..... Fax Number:

Postal Code:..... Email Address:

Physical location of the exporter’s registered (GST) office:

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Are you a Biosecurity New Zealand Accredited/Approved Organisation under the Standard “Organisation Requirements”? YES NO

If YES:

Please state your Contract of Accreditation number:

If NO:

Please state which IVA will be employed by you to provide export phytosanitary services (AsureQuality Ltd or SGS Ltd) and please note the following undertakings:

- (a) I agree to comply with the requirements specified within the MAF Biosecurity New Zealand Compliance Programme for the Export of Apples to Taiwan (the Programme).
- (b) I agree to MAF Biosecurity New Zealand making enquiries and using the information supplied by me, in connection with the Programme, and to audit my compliance to the programme.
- (c) I consent to publication of my status within the Programme in any publication, which may be made available to the public.
- (d) I agree to afford the Director of MAF Biosecurity New Zealand (Border Standards) or his representatives (e.g. IVA) reasonable co-operation and access necessary to carry out audits in relation to the Programme.
- (f) I understand that if I fail to provide all or any of the information requested in connection with the Programme, I will be removed from the Programme forthwith.
- (g) I understand that under the Information Privacy Principles of the Privacy Act 1993, I have rights of access to, and correction of, personal information held in connection with participation within Programme.
- (i) I agree to notify MAF Biosecurity New Zealand and Pipfruit NZ Inc. of any changes to the above details.
- (j) I acknowledge that the IVA’s normal Terms of Trade apply.

(k) I agree to the information contained in this application being made available to Independent Verification Agencies (IVAs) to enable them to verify the requirements of the Programme.

(l) I understand that this registration does not entitle me to automatically undertake post export inspection product security activities on behalf of MAF Biosecurity New Zealand without first becoming formally approved as per the MAF Biosecurity New Zealand Export Certification Standard: Organisation Requirements.

EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY

1. I accept that under no circumstances will MAF, crown officers, or agents of or other persons associated with MAF or crown officers, be liable for any loss, claim, action, demand, expense, inquiry, harm, or damage, however caused, arising directly or indirectly from or connected in any way to:
2. The performance, or as the case may be, non-performance of the operator (or any of its contractors, sub-contractors, agents, or employees that are not a party to this Contract) of any of its obligations in respect of this programme; or
3. The provision or non-provision of any inspection and/or audit and/or documentation service for MAF export certification by the operator.

INDEMNITY

1. I will indemnify and keep indemnified MAF from and against any liability, loss, damage, costs and expenses (including legal costs and any expenses of going to arbitration), which MAF may suffer or incur arising directly or indirectly from:
2. The performance, or as the case may be, non-performance of the operator (or any of its contractors, sub-contractors, agents, or employees that are not a party to this Contract) of any of its obligations in respect of this programme;
3. Negligent acts or omissions on the part of the operator (or any of its contractors, sub-contractors, agents, or employees that are not a party to this Contract).

Registration fee has been deposited to the nominated Pipfruit New Zealand Inc bank account YES

Signature

(Applicant): **Date:**

Official Use Only

Confirmation PNZ	Mark /number allocated:
Applicant notified: <i>Letter/Fax/Email</i>	Previous details amended:
Database updated:/...../.....	Signed: