

1 July 2007

To Exporters of plant products:

MAF Biosecurity New Zealand use of direct charging from 1 July 2007.

MAF Biosecurity New Zealand Plant Export Certification services will be charged at the hourly rates specified in "Biosecurity New Zealand fees and charges from 1 July 2007" and available from <http://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/commercial-exports/plant-exports/fees>.

The services to be charged are:

- Incident management or technical advice to individual technical service providers or exporters;
- Developing and negotiating **new** market access requirements arising from:
 - Changes in overseas government requirements;
 - New protocols (including equivalency requests) to export particular products to particular countries, at the request of an exporter;
 - New protocols that require clarification.
 - Changes to current protocols to facilitate trade, at the request of an exporter.
- Updating approved organisations and compliance programmes registers on request;
- Revoking recognitions and approvals when necessary;
- Pre-clearance programmes
- Reviewing approved systems on request;
- Reviewing developing and maintaining compliance programmes
- Issuance of replacement certification and official assurances

If your request does not fit the above criteria please contact the Exports Group directly.

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