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## **1. General Information**

### **1.1 For enquires about this standard email the Plant Exports Group:**

[plantexports@maf.govt.nz](mailto:plantexports@maf.govt.nz)

To help Plant Exports process your email please record in the subject line of your email descriptive keywords which are relevant to your enquiry i.e. ICPR enquiry-Country-specific details.

For urgent enquiries phone, fax or email the Plant Exports Group

- Telephone: 0800 008 333 (selecting option 3, then option 4) Fax : 64 4 894 0733; or
- Email: [PlantExports](mailto:PlantExports)

### **1.2 Scope**

As there are no New Zealand legislative requirements for certification of exported plant products, the technical phytosanitary requirements are determined by the importing country for plant produce being imported into their country. In this respect, ICPRs are MAF's summary of the importing country's legal requirements and thus forms a basis upon which export phytosanitary certification is provided.

Where an importing country operates on the basis of issuing import permits to their importers, the import permit conditions take precedence over any technical conditions contained in the MAF ICPR for that country.

This standard specifies Iran's phytosanitary requirements. If a commodity or commodity group is not identified within this ICPR exporters should contact:

- Iran directly to ascertain requirements
- or
- MAF Biosecurity New Zealand (MAFBNZ). (Plant Exports)

Please note, the determination and provision of phytosanitary requirements, for a commodity not identified within an ICPR, is undertaken on a cost recovery basis. A link to the list of Plant Exports Fees and Charges is available on <http://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/regs/exports/plants/fees>

Users of this document are strongly advised to review all sections of the ICPR for the determination of a commodity's phytosanitary requirements.

### **1.3 Phytosanitary Legislation**

The following legislation controls the importation of plants and plant materials into Ecuador:

## **2. General Requirements**

### **2.1 Prohibitions**

#### **2.1.1 None specified by Iran**

## 2.2 Phytosanitary Import Permits

2.2.1 MAFBNZ believes that most commodities require an import permit and a phytosanitary certificate.

2.2.2 Phytosanitary conditions of import may be requested from:

Homayoun Darabi  
Director  
Plant Protection Organization  
Yaman Avenue  
Evin  
Tehran  
Islamic Republic of Iran  
+98-21-22402712  
+98-21-22403197  
[director@ppo.ir](mailto:director@ppo.ir);  
or

Website:  
<http://www.ppo.ir>

## 2.3 Phytosanitary Certificates

Phytosanitary certificates are required to accompany all consignments of plants and plant material from New Zealand.

## 2.4 Quarantine Pests

*Aphelenchoides fragariae*,  
Dasheen mosaic virus  
*Globodera pallida*  
*Globodera rostochiensis*  
Zantedeschia mosaic virus".

## 2.5 Maximum Pest Limits (MPLs)

Please note; for all commodities exported to Iran requiring MAF phytosanitary certificates the following levels have been set by MAF to facilitate exports while still meeting the importing country's minimum requirements for specified quarantine pests and soil.

Quarantine pests* specified by Iran	0.5%
Soil (for all plant products excluding seed for sowing)	25g/600unit
Soil (seed for sowing)	0.1% by weight

\*Quarantine pests for Iran include organisms identified within:

- quarantine pests section of this ICPR
- additional declarations
- phytosanitary import permit

## 2.6 Ports of Entry

None specified

## **2.7 Inspection on Arrival**

Not specified

## **2.8 Sampling Rate**

Not provided by the importing country

## **2.9 Transit Requirements**

Not provided by the importing country

# **3. Commodity Class Requirements**

## **3.1 Fruit and Vegetables**

### **3.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.1.2 Dried/Cured/Processed Fruit and Vegetables**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.1.3 Frozen Fruit and Vegetables**

Conditions:

Import permit required

## **3.2 Cut Flowers and Foliage**

### **3.2.1 Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.2.2 Dried Cut Flowers and Foliage**

Conditions:

Import permit required

## **3.3 Nursery Stock**

### **3.3.1 Budwood/Cuttings**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.3.2 Bulbs/Corms/Rhizomes/Tubers etc.**

Conditions:

Import permit and phytosanitary certificate required.

### **3.3.3 Whole Plants**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.3.4 Tissue Culture**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.4 Seeds, Grains and Nuts**

#### **3.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing**

Conditions:

Phytosanitary certificate and import permit required unless specified.

#### **3.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Processing**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **3.4.3 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **3.5 Growing Media and Packing Material**

#### **3.5.1 Growing Media**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **3.5.2 Packing Material**

Conditions:

Import permit required

## **4. Commodity Specific Requirements**

### **4.1 Fruit and Vegetables**

#### **4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.1.2 Dried/Cured/Processed Fruit and Vegetables**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.1.3 Frozen Fruit and Vegetables**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **4.2 Cut Flowers and Foliage**

#### **4.2.1 Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.2.2 Dried Cut Flowers and Foliage**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **4.3 Nursery Stock**

#### **4.3.1 Budwood and Cuttings**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.3.2 Bulbs/Corms/Rhizomes/Tubers for propagation**

Zantedeschia elliottiana

Calla lily

Conditions:

Import permit and phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations required. Bulbs must be free from soil, plant residues and weed seeds.

Additional declarations:

“The bulbs are free from pests and quarantine diseases in particular; *Aphelenchiodes fragariae*, Dasheen mosaic virus and Zantedeschia mosaic virus”.

And

“The growing site was surveyed and found free from *Globodera pallida* and *Globodera rostochiensis*”

And

“The growing site has been microscopically examined during cultivation by the NPPO and found free from live parasitic nematodes and other harmful organisms and the consignment has been inspected and found free of live parasitic nematodes and other harmful organisms by the NPPO”

#### **4.3.3 Whole Plants**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.3.4 Tissue Culture**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **4.4 Seeds, Grains and Nuts**

#### **4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Processing**

Conditions:

Import permit required

#### **4.4.3 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **4.5 Growing Media and Packing Material**

Conditions:

Import permit required

### **4.6 Miscellaneous**

Conditions:

Import permit required