



CTO Direction to MPI Inspector

CTO direction code for recording in Quantum: CTOPlants: 2017001²~~1~~

Pursuant to section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 I, give the following directions for consignments of Sawdust from Tasmania, imported under permit number to be given biosecurity clearance in accordance with the following measures, different from those required by section 3.2.2 in the import health standard (IHS) Sawdust, Wood Chips, Wood Shavings, and Wood Wool from All Countries:

The sawdust can be treated as per the IHS, bagged in 70g bags within 21 days of treatment and then securely stored for up to 180 days prior to export. This is equivalent to section 3.2.2 of the IHS that sawdust is exported to New Zealand no more than 21 days after treatment.

All other relevant sections of the IHS Sawdust, Wood Chips, Wood Shavings, and Wood Wool from All Countries for sawdust from Tasmania must be complied with.

The CTO approved equivalent measures will be identified in the Special Conditions section of the permit to import in the following manner:

EQUIVALENCE (MPI reference number: CTOPlants: 2017001²~~1~~)

Equivalence is granted to Lini Tasmania, to import sawdust under equivalent phytosanitary measures. The goods imported under this permit to import must be treated and then securely store which will occur prior to export which is equivalent to the requirement in section 3.2.2.

This direction takes effect from the date of signing, and may apply to multiple consignments of sawdust from Tasmania which are not compliant with the measures required by section 3.2.2 in the import health standard (IHS) Sawdust, Wood Chips, Wood Shavings, and Wood Wool from All Countries. This CTO direction is valid until May 2019 at which stage it must be reviewed, unless it is amended or revoked.

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