# — PART 2 —

# AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

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#### BIOSECURITY AND AGRICULTURE MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS 2013

QUARANTINE AREA REVOCATION NOTICE

Under regulation 61 of the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Regulations 2013* (Regulations), the Quarantine Area Notice entitled: Quarantine Area Notice—East Fremantle and Fremantle—Polyphagous Shot-Hole Borer (*Euwallacea fornicatus*) published in the *Government Gazette* on 24 September 2021, and in the West Australian newspaper and on the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD) website, is revoked and replaced by the following notice.

## BIOSECURITY AND AGRICULTURE MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS 2013

QUARANTINE AREA NOTICE

Perth Metropolitan Local Government Authority

Boundaries

Polyphagous Shot-Hole Borer (Euwallacea fornicatus)

1. Under regulation 60 of the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Regulations 2013* (Regulations) the area within the 17 Local Government Authority boundaries described below is declared to constitute a quarantine area for a period of 6 months following the date of publication.

City of Canning	City of South Perth	Town of Claremont
City of Cockburn	City of Stirling	Town of Cottesloe
City of Fremantle	City of Subiaco	Town of East Fremantle
City of Melville	City of Vincent	Town of Mosman Park
City of Nedlands	Shire of Peppermint Grove	Town of Victoria Park
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City of Perth Town of Cambridge

**Note:** A map of the quarantine area will be published on the website of the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development www.agric.wa.gov.au

- 2. The quarantine area is declared because the declared pest Polyphagous Shot-Hole Borer, *Euwallacea fornicatus* (PSHB) was present in the area on 3 September 2021 and there are reasonable grounds to suspect the declared pest remains in, or in the vicinity of, the area.
- 3. Persons other than an inspector must not move, or cause or allow to be moved, anything listed in Schedule 1 from a place within the quarantine area to any other place outside the quarantine area except in accordance with—
  - (a) this notice; or
  - (b) an approval under regulation 67 of the Regulations; or
  - (c) a general exemption under regulation 71 of the Regulations.
- 4. A thing referred to in clause 3 (listed in Schedule 1) is moved in accordance with this notice if—
  - (a) it is moved as specified in Schedule 2; or
  - (b) it is moved as authorised or directed by an inspector.
- 5. Each person who is the owner or occupier of land in the quarantine area is taken to have been given a quarantine notice that applies to that land in the terms of this quarantine area notice.
- 6. Failure to comply with this quarantine area notice could result in a fine, the Director General taking remedial action under regulation 133 of the Regulations, or both.

#### SCHEDULE 1

**Wood** means wood that is not treated and in use for construction, fencing, and furniture. Wood includes green waste materials (excluding lawn clippings) including any cut branches or prunings, bark, firewood, plant mulch, or wood chips.

**Living plants** means any plant, organ or plant part (including plant cutting) with woody stems that are greater than 2.0 cm in diameter.

**Wood machinery** means any vehicle, equipment or other mechanical apparatus of any kind that has been used in relation to arboriculture, gardening, mulching, wood chipping or handling of any other wood.

## **SCHEDULE 2**

- **Wood** may be moved out of the quarantine area if chipped to pieces that are less than 2.5 cm diameter in size.
- **Wood** more than 2.5 cm diameter in size may only be moved out of the quarantine area under an Inspector's Direction.
- Living plants with woody stems that are greater than 2.0 cm in diameter may only be moved out of the quarantine area under an Inspector's Direction.
- All **wood machinery** (other than vehicles being used to transport wood in accordance with this notice) must have all wood material removed before moving out of the quarantine area.

MIA CARBON, Executive Director, Biosecurity, Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development, Delegate of the Director General.

Date: 12 November 2021.