

# Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

# **USDA/APHIS National Plant Board Federally Recognized State Managed Phytosanitary Program Petition Worksheet**

## **Scientific Name:**

Order/Family: Common Name(s): Synonym(s):

## Domestic distribution (may collaborate with PPQ on this section):

- ◆ Provide a list of states where your pest occurs in states in the United States. Use the IPPC definition of establishment, which is: "Perpetuation, for the foreseeable future, of a **pest** within an **area** after **entry** [FAO, 1990; revised FAO, 1995; IPPC, 1997; formerly **established**]."
- Provide references.

# Potential pathways of introduction (may collaborate with PPQ on this section):

- ◆ Provide information on any means (e.g., importation of a host, interstate trade, smuggling, natural spread, a hurricane) that would allow the continued introduction of the pest into the State, or further facilitate the pest's introduction to the State.
- Provide references.

Foreign Pathway (material intercepted as general or permit cargo)					
Host	Imported as	Origin	Quantity	Destination State	Consumption or Propagation

Domestic Pathway				
Host	Imported as	State of Origin	Notations	

- ◆ Data to determine federal inspection equivalence
  - ❖ Does a phytosanitary certificate requirement exist, which exceeds a 1-2% port of entry inspection rate?
  - ❖ If not, provide evidence of interstate inspections to equal or exceed 1-2%

Inspection rates					
Infested States	# Shipments Host 1	# Inspections	# Shipments Host 2, etc.	# Inspections	Total # Inspections

# Potential economic/environmental impacts (may collaborate with PPQ on this section):

- ◆ Provide a list of hosts that are of importance to your State.
- ◆ Describe the potential economic and/or environmental impacts as they apply to your state, including the economic value of impacted crops and host acreage. Check the National Agricultural Statistics Service for the latest U.S. value of production.
- Consider the following questions for economic impact:
  - ❖ Is the pest likely to attack federally listed threatened or endangered plants? Check the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Threatened and Endangered Species System (TESS).
  - ❖ Is the pest likely to reduce or eliminate a native plant that plays a major role in maintaining or defining a native ecosystem (i.e., a keystone species)? Refer to ISPM No. 5 Supplement No. 2 of the IPPC Glossary of Phytosanitary Terms (Attachment 1) and section 2.3 of ISPM No. 11 (Attachment 2) for further guidance.
- Provide references.

Host Crop	Acreage	Value

**Regulatory Program Workplan:** This section will be incorporated into Appendix A of the Cooperative Arrangement between APHIS and the your State upon recognition of your petition.

**Special instructions for multi-state petitions:** It is necessary that one harmonized workplan be submitted that all participating states will follow as minimum.

- Describe the phytosanitary requirements, interstate inspection procedures, surveillance and control methods or other related actions that will be used in your state regulatory program.
- Describe quality assurance activities that support the state phytosanitary requirements or regulations.
- Describe your response plan should the pest be detected.
- ◆ APHIS **does not** confer any authority under the Plant Protection Act not specifically outlined in the Cooperative Arrangement and is not conferring authority under any other statute administered by APHIS, including the authority to establish and collect fees. Indicate your source of funding to support these activities.

#### Workplan<sup>1</sup>

#### **Exterior Quarantine**

◆ Cite State statute and summarize

#### **Interstate Inspection**

- Phyto requirements
- ◆ Audit protocol
- Inspection protocol
- ◆ Inspection sites: entry points, fields, distributions centers, etc.
- Quality Assurance activity

#### Surveillance

Traps	Field/Commodity Inspections	Other

Response plan if pest is detected

#### Annual Reporting: Summary of activities/results

(e.g. number of interstate shipments inspected; number of interstate shipments mitigated for the pest; what mitigation was used. Examples for Surveillance: number traps set, number traps set in counties bordering infested areas, number visual inspections, results)

#### **State/local/Tribal phytosanitary regulations:**

- ◆ Provide a copy of the State/local/Tribal mandatory quarantine regulations associated with pest management programs, testing protocols (if applicable), and other related actions recently taken to maintain pest freedom or contain pest distribution for the specific pest in this FRSMP petition.
- ◆ If **no** State/local/Tribal regulations are currently in place, what steps are being taken to establish State-based regulations?

Funding statement: Indicate your source of funding for program activities.

**Author(s):** Type the names of all authors, contact information such as phone number and email, and their affiliation.

<sup>1</sup> For mulit-state petitions, compose one unified workplan outlining minimum activities - e.g. for Exterior Quarantine - All States require treatment and/or certification of regulated hosts, in addition to the following requirements and regulation of host material.