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PLANT DISEASES ACT 1914

PLANT DISEASES AMENDMENT REGULATIONS (NO. 7) 1993

Made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the *Plant Diseases Amendment Regulations (No. 7) 1993*.

Regulation 17D inserted

2. Division 1 of Part 4 of the *Plant Diseases Regulations 1989** is amended by inserting after regulation 17C, the following regulation —

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Western Flower Thrips — (*Frankliniella occidentalis*)

17D. (1) A grower who detects Western Flower Thrips on his property must, as soon as practicable —

- (a) apply a control spray treatment to the infested crops; and
- (b) maintain a monitoring programme,

approved by the Director General.

(2) A grower who contravenes subregulation (1) commits an offence.

(3) A person must not remove cut flowers from an area within a 50 km radius of an outbreak of Western Flower Thrips unless the flowers —

- (a) have been treated as approved by the Director General; or
- (b) have been inspected by an authorized inspector and found to be free from Western Flower Thrips; or
- (c) are from a property which has been declared to be free from Western Flower Thrips by the Director General; or
- (d) are from a property on which a spraying and monitoring programme approved by the Director General has been applied.

(4) A person who contravenes subregulation (3) commits an offence.

(5) For the purposes of regulation 16 (1) Western Flower Thrips is a specified disease.

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By His Excellency's Command,

D. G. BLIGHT, Clerk of the Council.