



## NOTICE UNDER SECTION 131(3) OF THE BIOSECURITY ACT 1993 OF MOVEMENT CONTROLS ON KIWIFRUIT ORCHARD INFRASTRUCTURE, ORCHARD EQUIPMENT AND FRUIT BINS

1. Pursuant to section 131(3) of the Biosecurity Act 1993, I hereby give notice that the following controls apply to all Kiwifruit orchard infrastructure, orchard equipment and fruit bins being moved into, out of, within or between areas declared as controlled areas for the purpose of managing the spread of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae*, under the National Psa-V Pest Management Plan.
2. These controls apply to all areas declared as controlled areas in the **Notice of Declaration of Controlled Areas Under Section 131(2) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 in Respect of the Pest, *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae*.**
3. Movement controls apply to kiwifruit orchard infrastructure, orchard equipment and fruit bins as follows:
  - a) The following movements are allowed, subject to meeting the conditions set out under clause (4):
    - i. All movements within an Exclusion Region.
    - ii. All movements from an Exclusion Region to a Containment Region or a Recovery Region;
    - iii. All movements within a Containment Region,
    - iv. All movements from a Containment Region to a Recovery Region; and
    - v. All movements within a Recovery Region and between Recovery Regions.
  - b) All other movements of kiwifruit orchard infrastructure, orchard equipment and fruit bins are restricted, and may only be carried out with a permission issued by KVH, including:
    - i. All movements between Containment Regions;
    - ii. All movements between Exclusion Regions
    - iii. All movements from a Recovery Region into a Containment Region;
    - iv. All movements from a Recovery Region or a Containment Region into an Exclusion Region.
    - v. All movements from another part of New Zealand outside of Exclusion, Containment or Recovery Regions into any Exclusion, Containment or Recovery Region.
4. The following conditions apply to any movements of kiwifruit orchard infrastructure, orchard equipment and fruit bins that are allowed under sub-clause (3)(a):
  - a) Where an additional 'controlled area' or 'restricted place' is established under the Biosecurity Act 1993, by KVH or an authorised person within part of a region to aggressively contain infection on Psa-V "positive" and surrounding properties any additional movement controls will apply over and above the controls in this notice.
  - b) Every person moving kiwifruit orchard infrastructure and equipment (other than fruit bins) between orchards must adhere to the 'KVH Protocol: Orchard Infrastructure and Equipment' and the 'KVH Protocol: Orchard Hygiene' available on the KVH website (<http://www.kvh.org.nz/hygiene>), including the following requirements:
    - i. All infrastructure and equipment must be cleaned of visible plant material and sanitised using a sanitiser included on the 'KVH list of recommended sanitisers', prior to movement onto an orchard, and when moving off an orchard.

- c) Every person or entity moving fruit bins between orchards must adhere to the 'KVH Protocol: Fruit Bins' available on the KVH website ([http://www.kvh.org.nz/industry\\_protocols](http://www.kvh.org.nz/industry_protocols)), including the following requirements:
- i. All bins must be cleaned so that they are free of any visible kiwifruit leaf and other plant material, and sanitised (100% bin coverage is required) using a sanitiser included on the 'KVH list of recommended sanitisers', prior to movement onto any kiwifruit orchard.
  - ii. All bins must have traceability, with records for each load of bins moved to or from a pack-house, and supplied to growers and processors.
  - iii. Records shall be maintained for at least five years, and must be made available to KVH within 7 days of request by KVH.
5. Any kiwifruit orchard infrastructure, equipment or fruit bins moved in contravention of this notice may be seized by an inspector or authorised person and destroyed, treated or otherwise dealt with.
6. Failure to comply with the requirements of this notice may result in a prosecution under the Biosecurity Act 1993. If convicted an individual could be liable to a term of imprisonment not exceeding 3 months, or a fine not exceeding \$50,000 or both. A corporation convicted of an offence under this notice is liable to a fine not exceeding \$100,000.

Signed at Tauranga on 1 October 2017



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