Quarantine Service Fees 2003–2005
(Australia Post) Determination 2003

Quarantine Determination 2003 (No. 1)

I, WARREN ERROL TRUSS, Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, make this Determination under section 86E of the Quarantine Act 1908.

Dated 16 June 2003

WARREN TRUSS
Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

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1 **Name of Determination**

This Determination is the *Quarantine Service Fees 2003–2005 (Australia Post) Determination 2003*.

*Note* This Determination takes effect on the day on which the notice of the Determination is published in the *Gazette* — see Act, subsection 86E (3).

2 **Definitions**

In this Determination:

*Act* means the *Quarantine Act 1908*.

*Australia Post* means the Australian Postal Corporation.

*postal article* has the same meaning as in the *Australian Postal Corporation Act 1989*.

*Note* The terms *basic fee, payment day and quarantine service* (used in this Determination) are defined in section 86E of the Act.

3 **Basic fee for quarantine services payable by Australia Post**

For section 86E of the Act, the fees payable by Australia Post for the provision of quarantine services for postal articles received by Australia Post from places outside Australia are as follows:

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<th>Basic fee ($)</th>
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4 **Payment day for basic fee**

The basic fee must be paid on or before the last day of the period for which the fee is payable (the *payment day*).
5 Late payment fee

(1) If the basic fee is not paid on or before the payment day for the fee, an additional fee (the late payment fee) is payable by Australia Post.

(2) The late payment fee is:

\[ 0.2 \times \text{basic fee} \times \frac{\text{days overdue}}{365} \]

where:

\text{days overdue} is the number of days after the payment day and before the day on which the basic fee is paid.