



Biosecurity (2025 Infringement Notices) Determination 2024

I, Adam Phillip Fennessy PSM, Director of Biosecurity, make the following determination.

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Biosecurity (2025 Infringement Notices) Determination 2024*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	1 January 2025.	1 January 2025

Note This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 524A(1) of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*.

Note: This instrument lists classes of goods (called category 1 goods and category 2 goods) in relation to which the Director of Biosecurity is reasonably satisfied there is a high level of biosecurity risk. An infringement notice for an alleged contravention of the *Biosecurity Act 2015* may state 12 penalty units if the contravention relates to category 1 goods and 6 penalty units if the contravention relates to category 2 goods (see subsection 524A(4) of the *Biosecurity Act 2015* and regulations made for the purpose of that subsection).

4 Period in force

This instrument is in force for 12 months beginning on 1 January 2025.

5 Definitions

In this instrument:

animal fluid means any fluid of an animal including blood, sera and animal secretions, but does not include any of the following:

- (a) semen;
- (b) fluids that are part of meat or meat products.

animal reproductive material has the same meaning as in the *Biosecurity Regulation 2016*.

animal secretion includes animal excretions and animal exudates, but does not include silk or wax.

animal tissue does not include:

- (a) a living animal; or
- (b) animal reproductive material; or
- (c) any of the following, if without adhering tissue:
 - (i) skin;
 - (ii) hide;
 - (iii) wool;
 - (iv) hair;
 - (v) bristles;
 - (vi) feathers;
 - (vii) tusks;
 - (viii) teeth;
 - (ix) antlers;
 - (x) horn;
 - (xi) glue pieces;
 - (xii) bones.

meat:

- (a) means a part of an animal (other than a fish, cetacean, mollusc, crustacean, cnidarian, echinoderm or a tunicate) that is intended or able to be used as food by a human being or an animal (whether or not it is cooked, dried or otherwise processed); and
- (b) includes blood, bone-meal, meat meal, tallow and fat.

meat product means a product:

- (a) that contains meat; or
- (b) of which meat is an ingredient.

retorted means heated in a hermetically-sealed container to a minimum core temperature of 100°C, obtaining an F₀ value of at least 2.8.

6 Category 1 goods

The following goods are listed as category 1 goods:

- (a) live plants;
- (b) whole unprocessed seeds that are intended for sowing;
- (c) meat and meat products, except meat or meat products that have been retorted;
- (d) animal reproductive material, excluding roe and avian eggs that are intended for, or able to be used for, human consumption (whether or not it is cooked, dried or otherwise processed);
- (e) animal fluids;

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- (f) animal tissue that is not intended for human consumption (whether or not it is cooked, dried or otherwise processed);
 - (g) prawns that are not fully cooked;
 - (h) live animals, and the remains of animals that have died in transit before arriving in Australian territory or on arrival in Australian territory;
 - (i) veterinary vaccines.

7 Category 2 goods

The following goods are listed as category 2 goods:

- (a) fresh fruit;
- (b) fresh vegetables;
- (c) fresh fungi;
- (d) fresh leaves;
- (e) fresh herbs;
- (f) fresh cut flowers;
- (g) whole unprocessed seeds that are not intended for sowing.

8 Repeal

This instrument is repealed at the start of 1 January 2026.