§ 360.301 Information required for applications for permits to move noxious weeds.

(a) Permit to import a noxious weed into the United States. A responsible person must apply for a permit to import a noxious weed into the United States. The application must include the following information:

(1) The responsible person’s name, address, telephone number, and (if available) e-mail address;
(2) The taxon of the noxious weed;
(3) Plant parts to be moved;
(4) Quantity of noxious weeds to be moved per shipment;
(5) Proposed number of shipments per year;
(6) Origin of the noxious weeds;
(7) Destination of the noxious weeds;
(8) Whether the noxious weed is established in the State of destination;
(9) Proposed method of shipment;
(10) Proposed port of first arrival in the United States;
(11) Approximate date of arrival;
(12) Intended use of the noxious weeds;
(13) Measures to be employed to prevent danger of noxious weed dissemination; and
(14) Proposed method of final disposition of the noxious weeds.

(b) Permit to move noxious weeds interstate. A responsible person must apply for a permit to move a noxious weed interstate. The application must include the following information:

(1) The responsible person’s name, address, telephone number, and (if available) e-mail address;
(2) The taxon of the noxious weed;
(3) Plant parts to be moved;
(4) Quantity of noxious weeds to be moved per shipment;
(5) Proposed number of shipments per year;
(6) Origin of the noxious weeds;
(7) Destination of the noxious weeds;
(8) Whether the noxious weed is established in the State of destination;
(9) Proposed method of shipment;
(10) Approximate date of movement;
(11) Intended use of the noxious weeds;
(12) Measures to be employed to prevent danger of noxious weed dissemination; and
(13) Proposed method of final disposition of the noxious weeds.

(c) Permits to move noxious weeds through the United States. Permits to move noxious weeds through the United States must be obtained in accordance with part 352 of this chapter.

§ 360.302 Consideration of applications for permits to move noxious weeds.

Upon the receipt of an application made in accordance with § 360.301 for a permit for movement of a noxious weed into the United States or interstate, the Administrator will consider the application on its merits.

(a) Consultation. The Administrator may consult with other Federal agencies or entities, States or political subdivisions of States, national governments, local governments in other nations, domestic or international organizations, domestic or international associations, and other persons for views on the danger of noxious weed dissemination into the United States, or interstate, in connection with the proposed movement.

(b) Inspection of premises. The Administrator may inspect the site where noxious weeds are proposed to be handled in connection with or after their movement under permit to determine whether existing or proposed facilities will be adequate to prevent noxious weed dissemination if a permit is issued.

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