

Chapter Ag 22

PLANT QUARANTINES AND INSPECTIONS

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Ag 22.01 Federal quarantines invoked. Federal plant quarantines numbered 8, 12, 13, 15, 16, 19, 24, 28, 29, 30, 34, 37, 38, 41, 45, 47, 48, 52, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 69, 70, 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80 and 81, established under the authority of the Federal Plant Quarantine Act (7 U.S.C.A. 151 et seq.), are necessary to prevent the introduction of dangerous plant diseases or insect infestations into Wisconsin, and they are hereby so designated under the authority of section 94.53 (2), Wis. Stats. Any article or material transported into the state of Wisconsin in violation of these quarantines, or any regulations supplemental thereto, is subject to destruction or return to the point of shipment.

History: 1-2-56; r. and rec. Register, February, 1959, No. 38, eff. 3-1-59.

Ag 22.02 Raspberry plants. (1) INSPECTION. Orange rust and all diseases of the mosaic type (except the so-called "mild mosaic" of black and purple raspberries) are "injurious systemic diseases", and the presence of any of them constitutes "infection" within the meaning of this section. Nursery inspection certificates covering raspberry plants will be issued only:

(a) When the plantings have been inspected and rogued twice during the previous summer with an interval of at least 30 days between inspections, and less than 2% of the plants have been found infected at the first inspection and less than 1% of the plants have been found infected at the second inspection;

(b) When all visibly infected plants have been eradicated; and

(c) When no infected plantings occur within 15 rods of those certified, provided that orange rust or streak within 15 rods shall not disqualify red raspberries from certification.

(d) Certificates of the usual form, worded to cover "general nursery stock", "small fruit" or "raspberry plants", authorize the shipment of any raspberry plants growing on the premises described in the certificate, unless certification has been conditioned on the filing of an affidavit, by the owner, agreeing to limit the sale or transportation of raspberry plants to certain specified plantings on the premises.

(2) IMPORT. No raspberry plants shall be imported into the state of Wisconsin:

(a) Unless they have been inspected by an official state inspector of the state in which they were grown, in conformity with regulations substantially similar to those stated in subsection (1) of this section; and

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(b) Unless each bundle, bale, box or carload lot shall have attached to it a copy of a certificate from the said official inspector issued in conformity therewith.

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Ag 22.03 Cranberry plants. No cranberry plants shall be transported in or imported into the state of Wisconsin without a certificate showing that the premises from which they come have been inspected by an official nursery inspector and found reasonably free from false blossom. Not more than 1/10 of 1% will be allowed unless a special permit is secured.

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Ag 22.04 Inspections limited. No package or dormant-season inspections of raspberry plants, currant or gooseberry bushes, or white pine trees will be made, as the more important diseases can be detected satisfactorily only in the field during the growing season. No inspection certificates will be issued covering the sale or shipment of the European black currant (*Ribes nigrum*) nor of the common or purple barberry (*Berberis vulgaris*) or their varieties, as these plants are hosts of injurious plant diseases.

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