# Requirements and conditions for approved arrangement class 19.2: automatic entry processing for commodities

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## About this document

This document sets out the requirements and conditions that must be met before the relevant Director will consider approval for the provision of biosecurity activities under section 406 of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*, otherwise known as an approved arrangement.

When operating under this arrangement the biosecurity industry participant is responsible for complying with each condition as set out in this document.

This document specifies the requirements for approval and conditions to be met for the operation of a Class 19.2 approved arrangement. Compliance with the conditions will be evaluated and effectively monitored by document assessment and audit activities.

Unless specified otherwise, any references to ‘the department’ or ‘departmental’ means the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment.

Information on approved arrangements, regional contact details and copies of relevant approved arrangement documents are available on the [approved arrangements](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/requirements) page on the department’s website.

### Declaration

The approved arrangement manager is required to complete the [Appendix 3: Declaration](#_Appendix_3:_Declaration) and return it to the department via email to [broker.accreditation@awe.gov.au](mailto:broker.accreditation@awe.gov.au).

### Definitions

Terms used in this document are defined in the [approved arrangements glossary](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/glossary) and the Biosecurity Act 2015. This document refers to AQIS where AQIS remains current in IT systems.

### Supporting documents

Ensure you understand and comply with the requirements and conditions for establishing and operating an approved arrangement. Read this document in conjunction with the most current online versions of:

* [Approved arrangements general policies](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/general-policies)
* [Minimum documentary and import declaration requirements policy](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/clearance-inspection/documentary-requirements/minimum-document-requirements-policy)
* [Requirements and conditions for approved arrangement class 19.1: non-commodity for containerised cargo clearance](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/requirements#class-19)
* [Compliance classifications for broker class approved arrangements](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/requirements/compliance-classifications#import-declaration-compliance-operating-requirements)

### Monitoring of compliance

Compliance with the conditions of operating a class 19.2 approved arrangement is monitored in accordance with the [Approved arrangements general policies](https://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/general-policies) document. If the department detects non-compliance, we will record it against the conditions and the biosecurity industry participant will be notified.

A full list of compliance classifications may be found on the [Compliance classifications for broker class approved arrangements](https://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/requirements/compliance-classifications#import-declaration-compliance-operating-requirements).

## Operating a class 19.2 approved arrangement

### Purpose

The class 19.2 approved arrangement is for the assessment of commodity documentation and management of biosecurity concerns associated with the goods. These commodity groups are subject to biosecurity control and managed in accordance with the department’s [Biosecurity Import Conditions System](https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0) (BICON).

### Scope

Biosecurity activities performed under a class 19.2 approved arrangement are limited to assessing commodity documentation and managing goods in accordance with [Appendix 2: In-scope commodities and related information](#_Appendix_2:_In-scope), BICON and the [Minimum documentary and import declaration requirements policy](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/clearance-inspection/documentary-requirements/minimum-document-requirements-policy). Some consignments may be subject to inspection and testing under the imported food inspection scheme.

Activities under this arrangement include:

* assessing documentation for commodities in scope of the arrangement and may only be used to address commodity biosecurity concerns
* applying an automatic entry processing for commodities (AEPCOMM) code to generate a biosecurity direction in the Agriculture Import Management System (AIMS) which will be used for the assessment and management of commodity biosecurity risk associated with the goods
* receiving biosecurity directions generated by AIMS and ensuring that the directions are complied with.

### Class 19.2 prerequisite requirements

**Requirement 1:** The biosecurity industry participant must hold an approved class 19.1 approved arrangement and have at least one employed or contracted person who is accredited to undertake tasks under the class 19.1 approved arrangement.

**Requirement 2:** The biosecurity industry participant must have a minimum of one employed or contracted person who is accredited to undertake activities under the class 19.2 approved arrangement.

**Requirement 3:** When applying for an approved arrangement, the biosecurity industry participant must notify the [department](mailto:broker.accreditation@awe.gov.au) of the accredited persons that will perform the approved activities on behalf of the biosecurity industry participant. They must include their customs broker licence number, as part of the application.

Training and accreditation obligations under the approved arrangement are available at [Training and accreditation for approved arrangements, broker accreditation](https://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/training-accreditation#broker-accreditation)[.](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/training-accreditation#broker-accreditation)

**Requirement 4:** A biosecurity industry participant must have a BICON multiple user account that is registered for AEPCOMM user access to BICON.

See [BICON help](https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/Home/Help/) for information on how to create an account and register for AEPCOMM access.

**Requirement 5:** Accredited persons employed by/contracted to the biosecurity industry participant must be added to the biosecurity industry participant’s BICON multiple user account.

See [BICON help](https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/Home/Help/) for information on how to upgrade and join an existing multiple user account.

### Conditions for operating a Class 19.2 approved arrangement

The biosecurity industry participant must:

* ensure that the biosecurity activities/directions are carried out in accordance with the arrangement
* comply with any and all requirements specified in the arrangement
* comply with any and all conditions to which the arrangement is subject
* ensure accredited persons employed/contracted to the approved arrangement comply with any conditions to which the arrangement is subject.

#### General Conditions

**Condition 1:** All accredited persons employed or contracted by the biosecurity industry participant must maintain their accreditation as stipulated by the [training and accreditation for broker approved arrangements (class 19.1 and class 19.2)](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/training-accreditation#broker-accreditation) policy, including completing [Continued Biosecurity Competency](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/training-accreditation#broker-accreditation) (CBC) training each CBC period (1 April to 31 March).

**Condition 2:** It is the responsibility of the biosecurity industry participant to ensure all employed or contracted persons lodging full import declarations are fully accredited at time of lodgement.

**Condition 3:** The biosecurity industry participant must notify the department in writing within 15 working days regarding any of the following matters:

* details of accredited persons who join or depart the approved arrangement
* when the approved arrangement ceases to employ or contract at least one accredited person
* when the details of the approved arrangement manager of the biosecurity industry participant changes.

**Condition 4:** The biosecurity industry participant must notify the department in writing within 15 working days of becoming aware of any change of status, of the biosecurity industry participant or their associates (including accredited persons) relevant to the operation of the approved arrangement, not previously been notified to the department in relation to:

* conviction of an offence or order to pay a pecuniary penalty under the Biosecurity Act 2015, Customs Act 1901, Criminal Code or Crimes Act 1914
* debt to the Commonwealth that is more than 28 days overdue under the Biosecurity Act 2015, Customs Act 1901, Criminal Code or Crimes Act 1914
* refusal, involuntary suspension, involuntary revocation/cancellation or involuntary variation of an import permit, approved arrangement site, or approved arrangement under the Biosecurity Act 2015.

**Condition 5:** The department must be notified of any [reportable biosecurity incident](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity/legislation/reportable-incident) as soon as practicable, in accordance with the determination made by the Director of Biosecurity.

**Condition 6:** The biosecurity industry participant must provide site access to biosecurity officers, biosecurity enforcement officers and department-approved auditors to perform the functions and exercise the powers granted to them by the Biosecurity Act or another law of the Commonwealth.

**Condition 7:** The biosecurity industry participant must provide departmental biosecurity officers, auditors or department-approved auditors with facilities and assistance as requested, and any required documents (including electronic documents), records or items relevant to the audit.

**Condition 8:** The biosecurity industry participant must allow departmental biosecurity officers, auditors or department-approved auditors to examine documents (including electronic documents) and collect evidence of compliance and non-compliance with approved arrangement conditions by performing actions such as copying documents and taking photographs.

#### Operating conditions

**Condition 9:** Accredited persons must determine if the commodity is in scope of the arrangement.

This may be achieved by referring to Appendix 2: In-scope commodities and related information and the approved AEPCOMM pathways in BICON.

**Condition 10:** Only accredited persons are to assess all documentation for commodities in scope of this approved arrangement. The document assessment must confirm documentation complies with:

* [Minimum documentary and import declaration requirements policy](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/clearance-inspection/documentary-requirements)
* [BICON import conditions](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/bicon).

**Condition 11:** Accredited persons must provide information in the import declaration that accurately reflects the consignment noting that all necessary information fields that are specific to biosecurity are completed as required by the [Minimum documentary and import declaration requirements policy](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/clearance-inspection/documentary-requirements/minimum-document-requirements-policy).

**Condition 12:** Accredited persons must be in possession of all the documents required per relevant BICON import conditions assessed to generate an automated direction under the arrangement prior to the full import declaration being lodged into the ICS.

**Condition 13:** Accredited persons must ensure all documentation assessed to generate an automated direction under the arrangement meets the [Minimum documentary and import declaration requirements policy](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/clearance-inspection/documentary-requirements/minimum-document-requirements-policy) prior to the full import declaration being lodged into the ICS.

**Condition 14:** Accredited persons must present all documentation assessed to generate an automated direction for a consignment to the department at the initial request for documentation (this includes providing documentation in the Cargo Online Lodgement System (COLS)).

**Condition 15:** Accredited persons must enter an appropriate approved arrangement site number into the AQIS premises ID field in the ICS to ensure that a location is assigned to the biosecurity direction.

The approved arrangement site must be an appropriate class to perform the directed biosecurity activity as listed in individual BICON commodity outcomes.

For a list of approved arrangement sites and their premises ID, see [sites operating under an approved arrangement](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/arrangements/sites#vic1.1) on the department’s website.

**Condition 16:** Accredited persons mustenter the treatment provider’s AQIS/agriculture entity identifier (AEI) in the AEI field in the ICS, where a consignment has been treated offshore by an offshore registered treatment provider and the certified treatment details meet BICON conditions for the relevant biosecurity concern (e.g. treatment rates for BMSB are different to treatment rates for commodity concerns).

**Condition 17:** Where BICON stipulates a government issued certificate is required, and the country is listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) webpage, the biosecurity industry participant must enter the government certificate type (in the AQIS Document Type field) and certificate number (in the AQIS Document Number field) in ICS.

For information on eCert availability please see [Electronic certification (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification).

**Condition 18:** Where BICON stipulates a government issued certificate is required from a country **not** listed for [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange, accredited persons must provide the government issued certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

**Condition 19:** Where applicable accredited persons must record unique identifiers against the vehicle identification number (VIN) field for each line.

**Condition 20:** The biosecurity industry participant must ensure that biosecurity directions generated by AIMS are carried out or arranged to be carried out within the designated AIMS direction timeframe.

The biosecurity industry participant is responsible for the goods (as the primary receiver of AIMS directions) and must do the following required by the direction:

* arrange inspection activities
* provide non-broker approved arrangements with biosecurity directions to be carried out within the designated AIMS direction timeframe (e.g. inspection/treatment location)
* provide third parties other than approved arrangement sites with biosecurity directions to be carried out within the designated AIMS direction timeframe (e.g. transport/logistics providers who move containers)
* present any documentation as specified on AIMS directions when directed.

**Condition 21:** Where a consignment has bypassed biosecurity intervention, the biosecurity industry participant must be able to provide evidence that all relevant directions were passed onto third parties within the designated AIMS direction timeframe.

**Condition 22:** The biosecurity industry participant and/or accredited persons must not manipulate biosecurity goods management to gain a favourable and preferred outcome.

**Condition 23:** If an accredited person requests amendments to documentation, they must document the time, date, type of request and amendment made and the time, date and response from the issuer of the document. The accredited person must retain the correspondence as part of the documentation clearance of the consignment.

#### Administration and management

**Condition 24:** For every import declaration lodged by the biosecurity industry participant, the following records and documents must be kept and maintained for a period of 5 years from the date the document assessment was conducted:

* import declaration number
* description of goods
* BICON permit (where applicable)
* commodity documentation specified per the relevant BICON cases
* evidence of the AEPCOMM codes and premises location IDs (where used)
* record of the accredited person who performed the assessment and lodgement
* any other relevant documentation and records e.g. providing biosecurity directions to third parties
* any other records or documents that have been used in the decision-making process
* evidence of amendments to documentation used in the clearance of the consignment in accordance with **Condition 23**.

**Condition 25:** The biosecurity industry participant must maintain records of their accredited persons. The records must be up to date and include CBC completion records.

**Condition 26:** Records and/or documents must be made available within 1 business day or as specified by the department where requested.

Any request for further documentation for assessment after the initial request is considered a new document assessment.

## Appendix 1: AEPCOMM work activities flowchart

An accredited person must perform certain activities when determining if a commodity may be processed under the AEPCOMM approved arrangement (Figure 1).

Figure 1 AEPCOMM work activities

**AEPCOMM** Automatic entry processing for commodities. **BICON** Biosecurity import conditions system. **FCL/X** Full container load (**FCL** Full container single supplier – single importer **FCX** Full container multiple suppliers-single importer). **ICS** Integrated cargo system. **LCL** Less than container load. **NCCC** Non-commodity for containerised cargo clearance.

## Appendix 2: In-scope commodities and related information

The import declaration must meet these conditions:

* all lines are of the same cargo type; for example, an FCL consignment cannot be processed together with an airfreight consignment on the same entry
* impediment-free lines are out of scope of the approved arrangement and should not have an AEPCOMM code assigned to them
* all lines in a sea cargo import declaration are associated with a container (where applicable)
* all lines for the same commodity group must have the same outcome applied.

Table 1 provides a general guide of commodities that may be processed under AEPCOMM approved arrangement.

Table 1 AEPCOMM approved arrangement commodities and pathways

| Commodity group | Sub-commodity group | Country | Mode of transport | Commodity and sub-commodity category reference |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Seafood for human consumption | Finfish for human consumption | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 1.1 |
| Frozen molluscs for human consumption | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 1.2 |
| Fish roe and caviar for human consumption | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 1.3 |
| Dairy products for human consumption from New Zealand | na | New Zealand | Airfreight, FCL/X | 2 |
| New tyres | na | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X | 3 |
| New and used vehicles, aircraft and parts, machinery and parts and equipment | na | All countries | Airfreight, Break Bulk, FCL/X, LCL | 4 |
| Highly processed wooden and manufactured wooden articles | na | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 5 |
| Cane, rattan articles and bamboo products | Cane and rattan articles and bamboo products | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 6 |
| Timber and timber products | Unfinished timber products | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 7 |
| Milled rice for human consumption | na | All countries | FCL/X | 8 |
| Fresh onions and shallots for human consumption | na | New Zealand, United States, Netherlands | FCL | 9 |
| Semi-processed onions and shallots | na | China | FCL | 10 |
| Milling products for human consumption | Processed grain and seed products and processed tuber and corm products for human consumption | All countries | FCL | 11 |
| Highly refined organic chemicals and substances | na | All countries | FCL | 12 |
| Brown marmorated stink bug (BMSB) Target high risk goods | na | All countries listed as target risk countries for BMSB | Break bulk, FCL/X | 13 |
| Starter cultures | Non-composite yeasts and approved starter cultures | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 14 |
| Manufactured articles containing animal derived material | Natural fibres (and their derivatives) of animal origin retail ready and/or finished product | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 15 |
| Feathers fully contained within manufactured articles |
| Prefabricated buildings | Prefabricated buildings and new and used caravans | All countries | Break bulk, FCL/X, LCL | 16 |
| Honey | na | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 17 |
| Unaccompanied personal Effects | General personal effects and bequeathed goods | All countries | Airfreight, FCL/X, LCL | 18 |
| Boats | Imported sea going vessels | All countries | Break Bulk, FCL/X, LCL | 19 |

**AEPCOMM** Automatic entry processing for commodities. **FCL/X** Full container load (**FCL** Full container single supplier – single importer **FCX** Full container multiple suppliers-single importer). **LCL** Less than container load.

### Seafood for human consumption

#### Finfish for human consumption

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

##### **In scope**

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* finfish for human consumption.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of finfish for human consumption:

* that is consumer ready (as defined by BICON) from all countries
* that is fresh, chilled or frozen
* that is non consumer ready form where the country of sourcing, processing and exporting is New Zealand
* that is non consumer ready form, eviscerated finfish where the country of sourcing, processing and exporting is an approved competent authority
* that are non-Salmonidae family product (see BICON) that meet all documentation requirements
* that are Cartilaginous fish.

Where BICON stipulates a government issued certificate is required from a country **not** listed for [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange, accredited persons must provide the government issued certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 2 In-scope tariff reference numbers for finfish, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 0302 Fish, fresh or chilled excluding fish fillets and other fish meat of 0304 | 0302.2 | Flatfish (Pleuronectidae, Bothidae, Cynoglossidae, Soleidae, Scophthalmidae and Citharidae) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0302.3 | Tunas (of the genus Thunnus), skipjack or stripe-bellied bonito (Euthynnus katsuwonus pelamis) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0302.4 | Herrings (Clupea harengus, Clupea pallasii), anchovies (Engraulis spp.), sardines (Sardina pilchardus, Sardinops spp.), sardinella (Sardinella spp.), brisling or sprats (Sprattus sprattus), mackerel (Scomber scombrus Scomber australasicus, Scomber japonicus), Indian mackerels (Rastrelliger spp.), seerfishes (Scomberomorus spp.), jack and horse mackerel (Trachurus spp.), jacks, crevalles (Caranx spp.), cobia (Rachycentron canadum), silver pomfrets (Pampus spp.), Pacific saury (Cololabis saira), scads (Decapterus spp.), capelin (Mallotus villosus), swordfish (Xiphias gladius), Kawakawa (Euthynnus affinis), bonitos (Sarda spp.), marlins, sailfishes, spearfish (Istiophoridae) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0302.5 | Fish of the families Bregmacerotidae, Euclichthyidae, Gadidae, Macrouridae, Melanonidae, Merlucciidae, Moridae and Muraenolepididae excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0302.7 | Tilapias (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus carpio, Carassius, Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakeheads (Channa spp.) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0302.8 | Other fish excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0303 Fish, frozen, excluding fish fillets and other fish meats of 0304 | 0303.2 | Tilapias (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus carpio, Carassius, Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakeheads (Channa spp.) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0303.3 | Flatfish (Pleuronectidae, Bothidae Cynoglossidae, Soleidae, Scophthalmidae and Citharidae) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0303.4 | Tunas (of the genus Thunnus), skipjack or stripe-bellied bonito (Euthynnus (katsuwonus) pelamis) excluding edible fish offal of 0302.91.00 to 0302.99.00 |
| 0303.5 | Herrings (Clupea harengus, Clupea pallasii), anchovies (Engraulis spp.), sardines (Sardina pilchardus, Sardinops spp.), sardinella (Sardinella spp.), brisling or sprats (Sprattus sprattus), mackerel (Scomber scombrus, Scomber australasicus, Scomber japonicus), Indian mackerels (Rastrelliger spp.), seerfishes (Scomberomorus spp.), jack and horse mackerel (Trachurus spp), jacks, crevalles (Caranx spp.), cobia (Rachycentron canadum), silver pomfrets (Pampus spp.), Pacific saury (Cololabis saira), scads (Decapterus spp), capelin (Mallotus villosus), swordfish (Xiphias gladius), Kawakawa (Euthynnus affinis), bonitos (Sarda spp.), marlins, sailfishes, spearfish (Istiophoridae) excluding edible fish offal of 0303.91.00 to 0303.99.00 |
| 0303.6 | Fish of the families Bregmacerotidae, Euclichthyidae, Gadidae, Macrouridae, Melanonidae, Merlucciidae,Moridae and Muraenolepididae excluding edible fish offal of 0303.91.00 to 0303.99.00 |
| 0303.8 | Other fish excluding edible fish offal of 0303.91.00 to 0303.99.00 |
| 0304 Fish fillets and other fish meats (whether or not minced, fresh, chilled or frozen) | 0304.3 | Fresh or chilled fillets of tilapias (Oreochromis spp), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus carpio, Carassius, Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakeheads (Channa spp.) |
| 0304.4 | Fresh or chilled fillets of other fish |
| 0304.5 | Other, fresh or chilled |
| 0304.6 | Frozen fillets of tilapias (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus carpio, Carassius, Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakeheads (Channa spp.) |
| 0304.7 | Frozen fillets of fish of the families Bregmacerotidae, Euclichthyidae, Gadidae, Macrouridae, Melanonidae,Merlucciidae, Moridae and Muraenolepididae |
| 0304.8 | Frozen fillets of other fish |
| 0304.90 | Other, frozen |

#### Frozen molluscs for human consumption

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

##### **In scope**

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* seafood (excluding finfish) for human consumption.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of molluscs:

* that are for human consumption only
* other than oysters and snails that are frozen.

Table 3 In-scope tariff reference numbers for frozen molluscs, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 0307 Molluscs, whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; smoked molluscs, whether in shell or not, whether or not cooked before or during the smoking process; flours, meals and pellets of molluscs, fit for human consumption | 0307.22.00 | Scallops, including queen scallops, of the genera Pecten, Chlamys or Placopecten: frozen |
| 0307.32.00 | Mussels (Mytilus spp., Perna spp): Frozen |
| 0307.43.00 | Cuttlefish and squid: frozen |
| 0307.52.00 | Octopus (Octopus spp.): frozen |
| 0307.72.00 | Clams, cockles and ark shells (families Arcidae, Arcticidae, Cardiidae, Donacidae, Hiatellidae, Mactridae, Mesodesmatidae, Myidae, Semelidae, Solecurtidae, Tridacnidae and Veneridae): frozen |
| 0307.83.00 | Frozen abalone (haliotis spp.) |
| 0307.84.00 | Frozen stomboid conches (Strombus spp.) |

#### Fish roe and caviar for human consumption

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

##### **In scope**

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* fish roe and caviar for human consumption.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of fish roe:

* that is fresh, chilled or frozen
* that are non-Salmonidae family product (see BICON) that meet all documentation requirements.

Table 4 In-scope tariff reference numbers for fish roe and caviar, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 0302 Fish, fresh or chilled excluding fish fillets and other fish meat of 0304 | 0302.91.00 | Livers, roes, milt |
| 0303 | 0303.91.00 | Livers, roes, milt |

### Dairy products for human consumption from New Zealand

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* dairy products for human consumption.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of dairy products:

* made in New Zealand from milk of New Zealand or Australian origin only
* that are for human consumption only.

If BICON stipulates a phytosanitary certificate is required for clearance of a commodity, the accredited person must either record the phytosanitary certificate number in eCert if listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange or if not listed then record the certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 5 In-scope tariff reference numbers for NZ dairy products, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Goods |
| --- | --- |
| 0401 | Milk and cream, not concentrated, nor containing added sugar or other sweetening matter |
| 0402 | Milk and cream, concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter |
| 0403 | Buttermilk, curdled milk, and cream, yoghurt, kephir and other fermented or acidified milk and cream, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, or flavoured or containing added fruit, nuts or cocoa |
| 0404 | Whey, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter; products consisting of natural milk constituents, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, not elsewhere specified or included |
| 0405 | Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk; dairy spreads |
| 0406 | Cheese and curd |

### New tyres

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* tyres.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of new tyres:

* that are imported as airfreight, FCL/X.

Table 6 In-scope tariff reference numbers for new tyres, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Goods |
| --- | --- |
| 4011 | New pneumatic tyres, of rubber |

### New and used vehicles, aircraft and parts, machinery and parts and equipment

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* new or used vehicles, aircraft and parts
* machinery and equipment.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments that are not subject to emergency pest measures (e.g. BMSB)
* consignments that are subject to brown marmorated stink bug (BMSB) measures and with valid offshore treatment imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides), FCL flat rack containers, FCL open top containers and break bulk consignments (AEI number of the provider must be entered in ICS)
* consignments that are subject to BMSB measures not treated offshore and imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides).

The accredited person must record the unique identifiers against the vehicle identification number (VIN) field for each line in the import declaration of new and used vehicles. This allows officers to cross-reference identifying numbers against the documentation and/or vehicles.

Table 7 In-scope tariff reference numbers for new and used vehicles, aircraft and parts, machinery and equipment AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 3926  Other articles of plastic and articles of other materials of 3901 to 3914.00.00 | 3926.30.10 | Fittings for furniture, coachwork or like |
| 3926.30.10.97 | Of a kind used as components in passenger motor vehicles |
| 3926.90 | Other articles of plastics and articles of other materials of 3901 to 3914.00.00: other |
| 3926.90.10. | Other articles of plastics and articles of other materials of 3901 to 3914.00.00: of a kind used as components in passenger motor vehicles |
| 7307  Tube or pipe fittings (e.g. couplings, elbows, sleeves) of iron or steel | 7307.9 | Tube or pipe fittings (e.g. couplings, elbows, sleeves), of iron or steel: other |
| 7320 | – | Springs and leaves for springs, of iron or steel |
| 7326  Other articles of iron or steel | 7326.90.10 | Of a kind used as components in passenger motor vehicles |
| 84 | – | Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts there of |
| 86 | – | Railway or tramway locomotives, rolling-stock and parts thereof; railway or tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts thereof; mechanical (including electro-mechanical) traffic signalling equipment of all kinds |
| 87 | – | Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling-stock, and parts and accessories thereof |
| 88 | – | Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof |
| 9026 | – | Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking the flow, level, pressure or other variables of liquids or gases (for example, flow meters, level gauges, manometers, heat meters) excluding instruments and apparatus of 9014, 9015, 9028 or 9032 |
| 9401  Seats (other than those of 9402), whether or not convertible into beds, and parts thereof | 9401.10.00 | Seats of a kind used for aircraft |
| 9401.20.00 | Of seats of a kind used for motor vehicles |
| 9401.90.10 | Parts: Of seats of a kind used for aircraft |
| 9401.90.20 | Parts: Of seats of a kind used for motor vehicles |

### Highly processed and manufactured wooden articles

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* timber and timber products.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* highly processed wooden articles (as per BICON)
* manufactured wooden articles that do not exceed 200 millimetres in all dimensions
* manufactured wooden articles that do not require an import permit
* manufactured and highly processed wooden articles that are subject to brown marmorated stink bug (BMSB) measures and with valid offshore treatment imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides), FCL flat rack containers, and FCL open top containers (AEI number of the provider must be entered in ICS)
* manufactured and highly processed wooden articles that are subject to BMSB measures to be fumigated onshore imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides).

Table 8 In-scope tariff reference numbers for highly processed wooden articles and manufactured wooden articles, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 4408 | – | Sheets for veneering (including those obtained by slicing laminated wood), for plywood or for other similar laminated wood and other wood, sawn lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded, spliced or end-jointed, of a thickness not exceeding 6 mm |
| 4409 **a** | – | Wood (including strips and friezes for parquet flooring, not assembled) continuously shaped (tongued, grooved, rebated, chamfered, v-jointed, beaded moulded, rounded or the like) along any of its edges, ends or faces, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed |
| 4412 Plywood, veneered panels and similar laminated wood(other than those of 4412.10.10) | 4412.3 | Other plywood, consisting solely of sheets of wood (other than bamboo), each ply not exceeding 6 millimetre thickness |
| 4412.9 | Plywood, veneered panels and similar laminated wood (other than those of 4412.10.10): other |
| 4414 | – | Wooden frames for paintings, photographs, mirrors or similar objects |
| 4419 | – | Tableware and kitchenware; of wood |
| 4418 | – | Builders’ joinery and carpentry of wood, including cellular wood panels, assembled flooring panels, shingles and shakes |
| 4420 | – | Wood marquetry and inlaid wood; caskets and cases for jewellery or cutlery, and similar articles, of wood; statuettes and other ornaments, of wood; wooden articles of furniture not falling in chapter |
| 4421 | – | Other articles of wood |
| 7009 Glass mirrors, whether or not framed, including rear view mirrors | 7009.9 | Other |
| 7009.92.00 | Framed |
| 8302 Base metal mountings, fittings and similar articles suitable for furniture, doors, staircases, windows, blinds, coachwork, saddlery, trunks, chests, caskets or the like; base metal hat racks, hat-pegs, brackets and similar fixtures; castors with mountings of base metal; automatic door closers of base metal | 8302.50.00 | Hat-racks, hat-pegs, brackets and similar fixtures |
| 9105 Other clocks | 9105.99 | Other |
| 9401 Seats (other than those of 9402), whether or not convertible into beds, and parts thereof | 9401.30 | Swivel seats with variable height adjustment |
| 9401.40 | Seats other than garden seats or camping equipment, convertible into beds |
| 9401.6 | Other seats, with wooden frames |
| 9401.7 | Other seats, with metal frames |
| 9401.8 | Other seats |
| 9401.90.90 | Other |
| 9403 Other furniture & parts thereof (other than 9403.8) | 9403.10.00 | Metal furniture of a kind used in offices |
| 9403.20 | Other metal furniture |
| 9403.30 | Wooden furniture of a kind used in offices |
| 9403.40 | Wooden furniture of a kind used in the kitchen |
| 9403.50 | Wooden furniture of a kind used in the bedroom |
| 9403.60 | Other wooden furniture |
| 9403.70 | Furniture of plastics |
| 9403.90 | Parts |
| 9404 Mattress supports; articles of bedding and similar furnishing (for example, mattresses, quilts, eiderdowns, cushions, pouffes and pillows) fitted with springs or stuffed or internally fitted with any material or of cellular rubber or plastics, whether or not covered | 9404.10 | Mattress support |
| 9404.90.00 | Mattress supports; articles of bedding and similar furnishing (for example, mattresses, quilts, eiderdowns, cushions, pouffes and pillows) fitted with springs or stuffed or internally fitted with any material or of cellular rubber or plastics, whether or not covered: other |
| 9405 Lamps and lighting fittings including searchlights and spotlights and parts thereof, not elsewhere specified or included; illuminated signs, illuminated name-plates and the like, having a permanently fixed light source, and parts thereof not elsewhere specified or included: | 9405.10 | Chandeliers and other electric ceiling or wall lighting fittings, those of a kind used for lighting public open spaces or thoroughfares |
| 9405.20 | Electric table, desk, bedside or floor-standing lamps |
| 9405.40 | Other electric lamps and fittings |
| 9405.50.90 | Non-electrical lamps and lighting fittings - other |
| 9405.99 | Other |
| 9506.99.90 | 9506.99.90 | Regulation cricket bats |

**a For compliance purposes Tariff 4409 will be managed and classified as an unfinished timber product type.**

### Cane and rattan articles and bamboo products

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON cases contain pathways approved under the arrangement:

* cane and rattan articles
* bamboo products.

Table 9 In-scope tariff reference numbers for cane and rattan articles and bamboo products, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 4601 Plaits and similar products of plaiting materials, whether or not assembled into strips; plaiting materials, plaits and similar products of plaiting material, bound together in parallel strands or woven, in sheet form, whether or not being finished articles (for example, mats, matting, screens) | 4601.21.00 | Of bamboo |
| 4601.22.00 | Of rattan |
| 4601.92.00 | Of bamboo |
| 4601.93.00 | Of rattan |
| 4602 Basketwork, wickerwork and other articles, made directly to shape from plaiting materials or made up from goods of 4601; articles of loofah | 4602.11.00 | Of bamboo |
| 4602.12.00 | Of rattan |
| 9401 Seats (other than those of 9402), whether or not convertible into beds, and parts thereof | 9401.52.00 | Of bamboo |
| 9401.53.00 | Of rattan |
| 9403 Other Furniture & Parts thereof (other than 9403.8) | 9403.82.00 | Of bamboo |
| 9403.83.00 | Of rattan |

### Unfinished timber and timber products

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON cases contain pathways approved under the arrangement:

* timber and timber products
* Burnt Pine Longicorn flight season-affected timber from New Zealand.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* unfinished timber that are not of the Myrtaceae species
* unfinished timber, from all countries (excluding New Zealand), that is not considered a pathogen risk species for the country of origin or export (as prescribed in BICON)
* unfinished timber from New Zealand that is considered a pathogen risk species (as per BICON) that has an electronic certificate lodged for the import declaration; the certificate must contain all statements required by BICON and the [Minimum documentary and import declaration requirements policy](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/arrival/clearance-inspection/documentary-requirements/minimum-document-requirements-policy)
* unfinished timber excluding timber imported from Canada under the Canadian Accredited Timber Scheme
* unfinished timber that is subject to Brown Marmorated Stink Bug (BMSB) measures and with valid offshore treatment imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides), FCL flat rack containers, and FCL open top containers (AEI number of the provider must be entered in ICS
* unfinished timber that is subject to BMSB measures to be fumigated onshore and imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides).

If BICON stipulates a phytosanitary certificate is required for clearance of a commodity, the accredited person must either record the phytosanitary certificate number in eCert if listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange or if not listed then record the certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 10 In-scope tariff reference numbers for unfinished timber, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- |
| 4407 | Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, or sanded or end-jointed, of a thickness exceeding 6mm |
| 4409 | Wood (including strips and friezes for parquet flooring, not assembled) continuously shaped (tongued, grooved, rebated, chamfered, v-jointed, beaded moulded, rounded or the like) along any of its edges, ends or faces, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed |
| 4418 **a** | Builders’ joinery and carpentry of wood, including cellular wood panels, assembled flooring panels, shingles and shakes |

**a For compliance purposes Tariff 4418 will be managed and classified as a manufactured and highly processed wooden articles product type.**

### Milled rice for human consumption

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* rice for human consumption or processing.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* milled rice imported for human consumption
* milled rice imported as FCL cargo in bags less or equal to 25 kilograms
* milled rice-grain where the outer hull has been removed.

If BICON stipulates a phytosanitary certificate is required for clearance of a commodity, the accredited person must either record the phytosanitary certificate number in eCert if listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange or if not listed then record the certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 11 In-scope tariff reference numbers for milled rice, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- |
| 1006.30 | Rice |
| 1006.40 | Rice |

### Fresh onions and shallots from New Zealand, United States and Netherlands

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* fresh allium.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* fresh onions and shallots that are grown in New Zealand, the United States or the Netherlands for pathways stated in BICON
* of the scientific name Allium cepa or Allium cepa var. aggregatum or var. ascalonicum
* fresh onions or shallots imported for human consumption.

If BICON stipulates a phytosanitary certificate is required for clearance of a commodity, the accredited person must either record the phytosanitary certificate number in eCert if listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange or if not listed then record the certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 12 In-scope tariff reference numbers for fresh onions and shallots from New Zealand, United States, Netherlands and China, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | ACC code | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 0703 Onions, shallots, garlic, leeks and other alliaceous vegetables, fresh or chilled | 0703.10.00 | FRPR | Onions and shallots |

To identify fresh onions and shallots using AEP, an additional ACC code: **FRPR** must be used to identify that the onions/shallots are fresh and not semi-processed.

### Semi-processed onions and shallots from China for human consumption

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* semi-processed fresh allium.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* semi-processed onions and shallots (defined as peeled, washed and chilled bulbs only) from China.

If BICON stipulates a phytosanitary certificate is required for clearance of a commodity, the accredited person must either record the phytosanitary certificate number in eCert if listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange or if not listed then record the certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 13 In-scope tariff reference numbers for semi-processed onions and shallots from China, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 0703 Onions, shallots, garlic, leeks and other alliaceous vegetables, fresh or chilled | 0703.10.00 | Onions and shallots |

### Milling products for human consumption

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON cases contain pathways approved under the approved arrangement:

* processed grain and seed products for human consumption
* processed tuber and corm product as for human consumption.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* processed grain, seed, tuber and corm products for human consumption from non-khapra beetle and khapra beetle countries.

If BICON stipulates a phytosanitary certificate is required for clearance of a commodity, the accredited person must either record the phytosanitary certificate number in eCert if listed on the [electronic certificate (eCert) for imports](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/online-services/electronic-certification) exchange or if not listed then record the certificate number against the goods description field in the ICS.

Table 14 In-scope tariff reference numbers for processed grain and seed products and processed tuber and corm product, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 1101 Wheat or meslin flour | 1101.00.00 | Wheat or meslin flour |
| 1102 | – | Cereal flours other than of wheat or meslin |
| 1105 | – | Flour, meal, powder, flakes, granules and pellets of potatoes |
| 1106 | – | Flour, meal, and powder of the dried leguminous vegetables of 0713, of sago or of roots or tubers of 0714 or of the products of chapter 8 |

### Highly refined organic chemicals and substances

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* highly refined organic chemicals and substances.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments of highly refined organic chemicals and substances.

Table 15 In-scope tariff reference numbers for highly refined organic chemicals and substances, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 1108 | – | Starches, inulin |
| 1109 Wheat gluten, whether or not dried | 1109.00.00 | Wheat gluten, whether or not dried |

### Brown marmorated stink bug (BMSB) target high risk goods

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* brown marmorated stink bug (BMSB) hitchhiker pests.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments containing target high risk goods subject to BMSB measures that would not otherwise be subject to biosecurity concerns.
* consignments identified as target high risk goods for BMSB not otherwise listed within this document as in-scope for AEPCOMM and supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON
* target high risk goods manufactured in, or shipped from:

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Albania | Andorra | Armenia | Austria |
| Azerbaijan | Belgium | Bosnia and Herzegovina | Bulgaria |
| Canada | Croatia | Czech Republic | France |
| Georgia | Germany | Greece | Hungary |
| Italy | Kosovo | Liechtenstein | Luxembourg |
| Macedonia | Montenegro | Netherlands | Romania |
| Russia | Serbia | Slovakia | Slovenia |
| Switzerland | Spain | Turkey | United States |

* consignments that are subject to BMSB measures and with an offshore treatment certificate and are imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides), FCL flat rack containers, FCL open top containers, and break bulk consignments (AEI number of the provider must be entered in ICS).
* consignments that are subject to BMSB measures not treated offshore imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides).

Goods in this category require mandatory treatment for BMSB risk.

Table 16 In-scope tariff reference numbers for commodities listed as target high risk goods for BMSB, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| **Tariff** | **Tariff reference number** | **Goods** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 36 | – | Explosives, pyrotechnic products, matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations |
| 44 | – | Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal |
| 45 | – | Cork and articles of cork |
| 57 | – | Carpets and other textile floor coverings |
| 68 | – | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials |
| 69 | – | Ceramic products |
| 70 | – | Glass and glassware |
| 72 | – | Iron and steel |
| 73 | – | Articles of iron or steel |
| 74 | – | Copper and articles thereof |
| 75 | – | Nickel and articles thereof |
| 76 | – | Aluminium and articles thereof |
| 78 | – | Lead and articles thereof |
| 79 | – | Zinc and articles thereof |
| 80 | – | Tin and articles thereof |
| 81 | – | Other base metals; cermets; articles thereof |
| 82 | – | Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof of base metal |
| 83 | – | Miscellaneous articles of base metals |
| 85 | – | Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles |
| 89 | – | Ships, boats and floating structures |
| 93 | – | Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof |

### Starter cultures

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* starter cultures (and derivatives).

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments of approved starter cultures for human consumption, therapeutic or cosmetic use.

Table In-scope tariff reference numbers for starter cultures (and derivatives), AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 2102 | 2102.10.00 | Active yeasts |
| 2102.20.00 | Inactive yeasts; other single-cell micro-organisms, dead |
| 2102.30.00 | Prepared baking powders |

### Manufactured articles containing animal derived material

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* natural fibres (and their derivatives) of animal origin
* feathers.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* natural fibres (and their derivatives) of animal origin such as wool/fibre from sheep, goats, or camelids part of a retail ready and/or finished product (including garneted wool)
* natural fibres (and their derivatives) of animal origin such as animal hair, fibre or bristles that have been commercially manufactured and fully finished product
* feathers fully contained within manufactured articles.

Table 18 In-scope tariff reference numbers for manufactured articles containing animal derived material, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | ACC code | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 9401 | - | ANIM | Seats (other than those of 9402), whether or not convertible into beds, and parts thereof. |
| 9403 | - | ANIM | Other furniture and parts thereof. |
| 9404 | – | ANIM | Mattress supports; articles of bedding and similar furnishing (for example mattresses, quilts, eiderdowns, cushions, puffes and pillows) fitted with springs o stuffed or internally fitted with any material or of cellular rubber or plastics, whether or not covered. |
| 9603 (other than 9603.10.00 - Brooms and brushes, consisting of twigs or other vegetable materials bound together, with or without handles.) | - | ANIM | Brooms, brushes (including brushes constituting parts of machines appliances or vehicles), hand operated mechanical floor sweepers, not motorised, mops and feather dusters, prepared knots and tufts for broom or brush making; paint pads and rollers; squeegees (other than roller squeegees). |

Note: To identify manufactured articles containing animal derived material using AEP, an additional ACC code: **ANIM** must be used.

### Prefabricated buildings

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* prefabricated office, accommodation units and caravans.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments of caravans new and used; with or without solid timber
* consignments of prefabricated buildings new and used; with or without solid timber
* consignments that are not subject to emergency pest measures (e.g. BMSB)
* consignments that are subject to Brown Marmorated Stink Bug (BMSB) measures and with valid offshore treatment imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides), FCL flat rack containers, FCL open top containers and break bulk consignments (AEI number of the provider must be entered in ICS)
* consignments that are subject to BMSB measures not treated offshore and imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides).

Table 19 In-scope tariff reference numbers for prefabricated buildings, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 8716 | 8716.10.00 | Trailers and semi-Trailers of the caravan type, for housing or camping |
| 9406 | 9406.10.00 | Prefabricated buildings:- of wood |
| 9406.90.00 | Prefabricated buildings:- Other |

### Honey

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* bee products.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments of honey and honeycomb
* consignments with a first point of entry for all states excluding Western Australia.

Table 20 In-scope tariff reference numbers for honey, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 0409 | 0409.00.00 | Natural honey |

### Unaccompanied personal effects

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* unaccompanied personal effects.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* consignments of personal effects imported for general personal use lodged on a full import declaration
* consignments of bequeathed goods for general personal use lodged on a full import declaration.

Table 21 In-scope tariff reference numbers for personal effects, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 9999 | 9999.40.15 | Personal effects for passengers and ships or aircraft crew |
| 9999.60.24 | Last will or intestacy goods not for sale or trade |

### Boats

Consignments that do not meet the in-scope criteria and are not supported by a valid AEPCOMM pathway in BICON are deemed out of scope.

#### In scope

The BICON case contains pathways approved under the arrangement:

* imported sea-going vessels.

The AEPCOMM approved arrangement may be used for import declarations of:

* new and used imported sea-going vessels imported as cargo
* consignments that are not subject to emergency pest measures (e.g. BMSB)
* consignments that are subject to Brown Marmorated Stink Bug (BMSB) measures and with valid offshore treatment imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides), FCL flat rack containers, FCL open top containers and break bulk consignments (AEI number of the provider must be entered in ICS)
* consignments that are subject to BMSB measures not treated offshore and imported as FCL/X (fully enclosed 6 hard sides).

Table 22 In-scope tariff reference numbers for boats, AEPCOMM approved arrangement

| Tariff | Tariff reference number | Goods |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 8903 | – | Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports, rowing boats and canoes |
| 8903.10.00 | Inflatables |
| 8903.9 | Other |
| 8903.91 | Sailboats, with or without auxiliary motors |
| 8903.92 | Motorboats, other than outboard motorboats |
| 8903.99 | Other |

## Appendix 3:Declaration

Please complete the following declaration and return it to the department via email to [broker.accreditation@awe.gov.au](mailto:broker.accreditation@awe.gov.au):

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| --- | --- | --- |
| I, | | Position held: |
| Legal entity name (must match ABN/ACN name): | | Branch ID: |
| ABN: | ACN: | Requirements and conditions for approved arrangement class 19.2: automatic entry processing for commodities (Version 8.1) |

Declare that:

1. I have the authority to act on behalf of the legal entity listed above.
2. I have read and understood the *Requirements and conditions for approved arrangement class 19.2: automatic entry processing for commodities (Version 8.1)* and agree to carry out biosecurity activities in accordance with them.
3. I acknowledge that by not meeting the conditions the legal entitymay be subject to regulatory action as described in the *Approved arrangements general policies* and *Compliance classifications for broker class approved arrangements*, in accordance with the *Biosecurity Act 2015*, which may include the suspension or revocation of the approved arrangement.
4. I understand that giving false or misleading information is a serious offence punishable by up to   
   12 months imprisonment.

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| Signed: | Date: |