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PLANT BIOSECURITY POLICY MEMORANDUM 2002/11

GENERIC IMPORT RISK ANALYSIS – FRESH PINEAPPLE FRUIT

This Plant Biosecurity Policy Memorandum (PBPM) provides stakeholders with a copy of the draft generic Import Risk Analysis (IRA) paper on the importation of fresh pineapple fruit.

Plant Biosecurity has now conducted the generic IRA on the importation of fresh pineapple fruit and the draft IRA paper is enclosed.

You are invited to comment on the technical issues raised in the draft IRA paper. Plant Biosecurity will accept written submissions until the close of business Wednesday 14 June 2002. Written submissions should be sent to the following address:

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Respondents are advised that, subject to the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* and the *Privacy Act 1988*, all submissions received in response to Plant Biosecurity Policy Memoranda will be publicly available and may be listed or referred to in any papers or reports prepared on the subject matter of the memoranda.

The Commonwealth reserves the right to reveal the identity of a respondent unless a request for anonymity accompanies the submission. Where a request for anonymity does not accompany the submission the respondent will be taken to have consented to the disclosure of his or her identity for the purposes of Information Privacy Principle 11 of the Privacy Act.

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If you wish to suggest inclusion of an additional stakeholder in our distribution list for this IRA, or if you wish to be removed from the distribution list, please provide details to the Import Risk Analysis Secretariat at the above address.

Information on all IRAs being conducted by Plant Biosecurity is available on the web at <http://www.affa.gov.au/plantbiosecurity>.

I look forward to receiving your comments on the draft Import Risk Analysis paper.

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