



Driver Checklist

You are about to transport goods subject to biosecurity control.

The department has produced a checklist that is required to follow whenever transporting goods subject to biosecurity control.

Before you depart with these items make sure that you read and understand the checklist. Further information can be obtained from the Approved arrangements (AA) site Accredited Person who organised this consignment.

The following table lists the considerations that must be made before transporting goods subject to biosecurity control.

Action	Yes	No
Are the goods subject to biosecurity control clearly labelled? I.e. by using stickers, tape or signs. If no, you must ask the consignor to apply the labelling.		
Have the goods subject to biosecurity control been taken directly to the destination specified on the Movement Direction and not unloaded anywhere else?		
Has the transport vehicle you are driving been left unattended or unsecured while it contained goods subject to biosecurity control?		
Has the goods subject to biosecurity control been handled or tampered with? If the items are in containers/boxes/bags, these must not be opened.		
Are the goods subject to biosecurity control in sealed containers? If no, then they are not permitted to mix with items that are not goods subject to biosecurity control. E.g. If potted plants subject to biosecurity control are being moved to another AA site, they should not be moved in the same vehicle as domestic plants, as there could easily be cross contamination of disease organisms.		

Any spillages of goods subject to biosecurity control from the vehicle must be reported to the department immediately on 1800 020 504.

Any spillage of goods subject to biosecurity control inside the vehicle must be reported to the Accredited Person at the consignee's AA site. The spillage must then be cleaned from the vehicle under the direction and supervision of the Accredited Person at the receiving AA site who will contain and dispose of any residues.