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NOTIFICATION: Fumigation requirements Brown Marmorated stink bug (BMSB) – Risk season 2018-2019

Dear Valued Customer,

The Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (DAWR) have finalised the seasonal measures for the 2018-19 high risk season.

Measures are effective for ALL Sea freight shipments exported on or after the 1st September 2018 from originating countries below:

USA	France	Hungary
Italy	Russia	Romania
Germany	Greece	Georgia

Are your goods classified as HIGH RISK or RISK?

HIGH RISK goods require:

- Mandatory offshore fumigation for LCL, Open Top, Flat Rack and Break bulk shipments
- Mandatory fumigation either offshore OR in Australia for FCL & FCX shipments

HIGH RISK	36 Explosives, pyrotechnics	74 Copper	84 Machinery
	44 Wood	75 Nickel	85 Electrical machinery
	45 Cork	76 Aluminium	86 Railway locos
	57 Carpets	78 Lead	87 Vehicles
	68 Stone, cement	79 Zinc	88 Aircraft
	69 Ceramics	80 Tin	89 Ships
	70 Glass	81 Base metals	93 Arms, ammunition
	72 Steel, iron	82 Tools, cutlery	
	73 Steel articles	83 Base metal	



RISK goods require:

Increased onshore intervention through random inspection.

RISK	25 Salt, minerals	31 Fertilisers	47 Wood pulp
	26 Ores, slag, ash	38 Chemical products	48 Paper, cardboard
	27 Fuel oils	39 Plastics	49 Printed matter
	28 Inorganic chemicals	40 Tyres, rubber	56 Wadding, felt
	29 Organic chemicals	46 Straw, basket ware	

All LCL consignments regardless of these measures will be fumigated offshore.

All offshore treatment providers must be approved by the DAWR. Details of the treatment methods and the offshore providers can be found on the below link <http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/before/pests/brown-marmorated-stink-bugs/offshore-treatment-providers>

We encourage you to review the “Preparing to import during the BMSB Season” document issued by the Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (DAWR).

<http://www.agriculture.gov.au/import/before/pests/brown-marmorated-stink-bugs/prepare-import>

We are currently reviewing our processes and controls to manage these measures. We have been in contact with industry representatives and the DAWR and are working with them to find the least disruptive and most cost effective solution for our customers. Once these processes are finalised we will advise.

For more details please contact your local Rohlig Customer Service representative .

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