



NOTIFICATION: 2019-2020 Seasonal measures for Brown Marmorated stink bug (BMSB)

Dear Valued Customer,

The Department of Agriculture has finalised the BMSB seasonal measures for the 2019-2020.

Measures are effective for ALL Sea freight shipments exported on or after the 1st of September 2019 and that arrive in Australian territory by 31 May 2020 (inclusive).

Measure apply to goods manufactured and/or originating in any of the below countries:

Albania	France	Netherlands
Andorra	Georgia	Romania
Armenia	Germany	Russia
Austria	Greece	Serbia
Azerbaijan	Hungary	Slovakia
Belgium	Italy	Slovenia
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Kosovo	Switzerland
Bulgaria	Liechtenstein	Spain
Canada	Luxembourg	Turkey
Croatia	Macedonia	United States of America
Czech Republic	Montenegro	Japan (heightened vessel surveillance will be the only measure applied).

Are your goods classified as HIGH RISK or RISK?

HIGH RISK goods require:

- Mandatory offshore treatment for Open Top, Flat Rack and Break bulk shipments

- Mandatory treatment either offshore OR in Australia for LCL/FAK, 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 shipped with Rohlig from BMSB countries regardless of RISK category will be treated. This is in order to protect the integrity of the Rohlig LCL programme and mitigate the risk of delays and additional costs.

Throughout the season Department of Agriculture will continue to review these measures based on detections of BMSB and the risk pathways and make any necessary adjustments.

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

Details of the final seasonal measures for the 2019-20 BMSB season are outlined [HERE](#)

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