



**Australian Government**  
**Biosecurity Australia**

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**BIOSECURITY AUSTRALIA POLICY MEMORANDUM 2005/14\***  
**EXTENSION OF EXISTING IMPORT POLICY FOR**  
**FRESH MANGO FRUIT FROM TAIWAN**

This Biosecurity Australia Policy Memorandum (BAPM) advises stakeholders that Biosecurity Australia has received an import proposal for fresh mango fruit from Taiwan which is being considered by Biosecurity Australia as an extension of existing policy.

Biosecurity Australia has received a proposal from Taiwan requesting market access for fresh mango fruit from Taiwan to Australia together with technical information on the pests and diseases associated with mango production in Taiwan.

Biosecurity Australia is considering this access request as a review under existing biosecurity policy for fresh mango fruit from the Philippines (Guimaras Island). A draft paper on the extension of existing policy will be prepared and distributed to stakeholders for comment.

**Consultation**

Please pass this notice to other interested parties. If you wish to suggest inclusion of an additional stakeholder on our register, or if you wish to be removed from the stakeholder register, please provide details to Technical and Administrative Services (see below).

Information on Import Risk Analyses (IRAs) and policy reviews being conducted by Biosecurity Australia is available on the Internet at <http://www.daff.gov.au/biosecurityaustralia>.

**Confidentiality**

Stakeholders are advised that, subject to the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* and the *Privacy Act 1988*, all submissions received in response to BAPMs 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 of Australia 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 their identity for the purposes of Information Privacy Principle 11 of the *Privacy Act 1988*.

The contents of the submission will not be treated as confidential unless they are marked 'confidential' and they are capable of being classified as such in accordance with the *Freedom of Information Act 1982*.

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\* Please note Biosecurity Australia has introduced a single system of 'Biosecurity Australia Policy Memoranda' covering animal and plant issues. This replaces the previous Animal Biosecurity Policy Memoranda and Plant Biosecurity Policy Memoranda.