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| **SEA CONTAINER QUARANTINE DECLARATION FOR NEW ZEALAND**[[1]](#footnote-1)  **Cleanliness, Restricted Packaging and Wood Packaging Declaration** | |
| **Container Number(s**  **Vessel Name:**  **Voyage Number(s):** | |
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| 1. Cleanliness: At the time of packing, was the container(s) inspected internally and externally, and found to be clean and free from contamination with animal material, live organisms, plant material, soil and water? | **Yes** or **No** (delete option not applying) |
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| 2. Restricted Packaging Materials: Has any chaff, hay, moss, soil, peat, straw, used sacking material, used tyres, or any packing material contaminated with the above been used within the container/s listed above? | **Yes** or **No** (delete option not applying) |
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| 3. Wood Packaging: Has any wood packaging been used within the container/s such as cases, crates, pallets or wood, used to separate, brace, protect or secure the cargo? | **Yes** or **No** (delete option not applying) |
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| 3a. If the answer to Question 3 is “**Yes**”, has the wood been ISPM-15 treated/marked or is the packaging made from material exempt from these requirements (such as Plywood or Medium Density Fibreboard)?  **Note: Certification is not required for ISPM-15 treated and marked wood packaging.** | **Yes** or **No** (delete option not applying) |
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| 3b. If the answer to Question 3a is **“No**“, has the wood been treated in another way and certified as per the Import Health Standard? If the wood was treated, how was this done?  If a treatment certificate was provided, it must be attached to this form. | **Yes**, **No** or **Not Applicable** (delete option not applying) |
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| **Important Information - Required Access and Airspace for Treatment of Containers and Cargo**  MPI periodically requires containers (and cargo) to be treated to kill pests, and recommends containers are packed with enough space (≥200 mm around the contents of the container) to allow for treatment.  **Note: If containers are too full and there is insufficient space for circulation and sensors for treatment, MPI may consider biosecurity risk is too great to allow unloading; and such containers are likely to be rejected and re-shipped out of New Zealand.** | |
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| **I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT**  Signed:  Name and Position in Company:  Address:  Date: | |
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| **Note: Failure to supply this information, or supplying erroneous information may result biosecurity clearance being delayed; is likely to result in increased costs during MPI management processes in New Zealand.** | |

1. (extract from page 11 of the Sea Container Guidance document July 2019) [↑](#footnote-ref-1)