



# PERMIT TO IMPORT LABORATORY SPECIMENS

This permit is issued under The Biosecurity Act, 1993. Any queries, please contact Plant Imports & Exports Group, MPI, P O Box 2526, Wellington, (Phone 04 894 0100, Facsimile 04 894 0662)

Authorising Officer : **Steve Corin**

on **11 Feb 2021**

for Director General, Ministry for Primary Industries, acting  
under delegated authority.

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**Permit for :** AsureQuality Ltd  
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Lower Hutt, 5010  
New Zealand  
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**Permit No :** 2021077544  
**Replaces Permit No :** 2020075046  
**Expiry Date :** 11 Feb 2022  
**No of Consignments :** Multiple  
**Import Purpose :** Laboratory Use

**Establishment No :**

**Exporter Name :** Various

**Country of :** All Countries  
**Origin**

Type of Material	Commodity Description	Quantity	Measure
Plant Material	Plant based processed foods and feeds, nuts (processed, unprocessed and raw), noodles, rice, herbs, spices, fruit and vegetables	Unlimited	Units



Type of Material	Commodity Description	Quantity	Measure
Plant Material	Dried fruits, vegetables and leaves	Unlimited	Units
Plant Material	Fresh fruit and vegetables	Unlimited	Units
Plant Material	Frozen flowers, fruit and vegetables	Unlimited	Units
Plant Material	Seeds	Unlimited	Units
Plant Material	Wood and sawdust	Unlimited	Units
Plant Material	Cotton fibres, seed and plant material	Unlimited	Units
Plant Material	Pasture grasses (mixed)	Unlimited	Units
Soil	Soil, sediment, sewage and sludge	Unlimited	Units
Water	Water	Unlimited	Units

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#### Standard

IHS.SOWTR, Soil, Rock, Gravel, Sand, Clay and Water

PLANTMATERIAL.IHS, Dried and Preserved Plant Material and Plant Material for Research

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**Post Entry Type :** Transitional Fac

**Standard Reference :** 154.02.17 (Standard - Transitional Facilities for Biological Products)

**Transitional Facility :** AsureQuality - Waiwhetu  
1C Quadrant Drive  
Waiwhetu  
Lower Hutt

**Operator :** Scott Whyte

**Ref :** 1754

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#### Special Conditions :

1. Plant material must be imported in accordance with the import health standard "Dried and Preserved Plant Material and Plant Material for Research," available at the following website:

<https://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/dmsdocument/1653>

2. The plant material is eligible for import under Part 5.3 of the above standard.

3. Soil and water must be imported in accordance with the import health standard, "Soil, rock, gravel, sand, clay, and water," available at the following website: <https://www.biosecurity.govt.nz/dmsdocument/1651>

4. The soil and water are eligible for import under Part 2.1 of the above standard.

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5. MPI has determined that direction to the transitional facility listed on this permit is required for all material.
  6. No propagation of/from any material imported under this permit is allowed.
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### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PERMIT HOLDERS AND AGENTS**

- 1 This permit, and compliance with the provisions of the specific import health standard(s) and/or entry conditions, does not guarantee that the goods you import will be given biosecurity clearance. There are other restrictions in sections 27 and 28 of the Biosecurity Act 1993 which apply to the giving of biosecurity clearance. The Biosecurity Act may be accessed at [www.legislation.govt.nz](http://www.legislation.govt.nz)
- 2 You will need to ensure that the goods you import comply with the provisions of the specific import health standard(s) and/or entry conditions that are applicable. The import health standard may be amended during the course of your permit. Import Management will notify you of any significant changes to the import health standard and will re-issue the permit to accommodate these changes.
- 3 There are a number of other provisions in the Biosecurity Act 1993 which may affect you. If you commit an offence against the Biosecurity Act 1993, heavy penalties under section 157 of the Act might apply.
- 4 Apart from the Biosecurity Act 1993, there are other laws relating to or prohibiting the importation of goods. This permit, and compliance with the provisions of the specific import health standard(s) and/or entry conditions, does not absolve you of the need to comply with these laws.
- 5 Unless specifically identified in 'Description of Items' or 'Special Conditions' of the permit, NO new organisms, including genetically modified organisms, are permitted entry under this permit.
- 6 All cultures must be:
  - clearly labelled with the scientific strain and name
  - consigned in leakproof packaging
  - free from contaminants
- 7 All new organisms must not be opened until received by the nominated containment facility.