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Notice to Industry

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Update on the Implementation of the Australian Fumigation Accreditation Scheme (AFAS) in Papua New Guinea (PNG)

With reference to Industry Notice No. 2/2008-09 posted on 18 July 2008 titled *Implementation of the Australian Fumigation Accreditation Scheme (AFAS) in Papua New Guinea (PNG) – Reminder*, please note that the anticipated implementation date for AFAS PNG of 19 August 2008 has been postponed.

AQIS continues to work closely with the National Agriculture Quarantine and Inspection Authority (NAQIA) PNG and it is expected that AFAS PNG will be implemented in the last quarter of 2008. Further advice will be provided when an implementation date is confirmed. Until such time the PNG Treatment Providers list at www.aqis.gov.au/AFAS will only display unacceptable treatment providers.

Further Advice

For further information on the Australian Fumigation Accreditation Scheme please call Daryl Crapp on 02 6272 5121 or email AFAS@aqis.gov.au