ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

DIRECTOR'S ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

ENVIRONMENTAL & PLANT SERVICES DIVISION

Karnal Bunt -- Interior Quarantine Tilletia indica (Mitra) Mundkur DIVISION/
PROGRAM PSD

DAO 25-01

Bignature

January 14, 2025

DATE

1. PURPOSE

This order adopts and provides for the enforcement of the restrictions on the intrastate movement of certain articles that are equivalent to the movement restrictions imposed by 7 C.F.R. Subpart 301.89 concerning Karnal Bunt. See 7 C.F.R. § 301.89-3(b)(1) (87 FR 80016, Dec. 29, 2022). This order supersedes DAO 24-01 issued on July 18, 2024.

2. AUTHORITY

A.R.S. § 3-201.01.

Associate director; powers and duties

A.R.S. § 3-202.

Infested or infected plants as public nuisances

3. ORDER

All intrastate movement of regulated articles listed in 7 C.F.R. § 301.89-2 from regulated areas shall be restricted as set forth in 7 C.F.R. §§ 301.89-4 through 301.89-12.

Regulated area:

Maricopa County. (1) Scottsdale – Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 of Township 2 North and Rage 5 East.

(2) Palo Verde – Sections 7 and 18 of Township 1 South and Range 4 West; and Sections 12 and 13 of Township 1 South and Range 5 West.

Pinal County: (1) Maricopa – Sections 11 and 14 of Township 5 South and Range 3 East.

The Department may cancel any certificate, limited permit, or compliance agreement in accordance with 7 C.F.R. § 301.89-8, but a person's right to appeal a cancellation and any resulting hearing shall be as set forth in A.R.S. § 41-1092 et seq.

The definitions in 7 C.F.R. § 310.89-1 apply to this order except that "Inspector" means an Arizona Department of Agriculture employee authorized to enforce the provisions of this order and all references to APHIS throughout the incorporated regulations are changed to the Arizona Department of Agriculture.

The identified portions of 7 C.F.R. Subpart 301.89, amended at the time of or prior to the effective date of this order are incorporated by reference, do not include any later amendments or editions, and are available for inspection at the Department of Agriculture, 1110 W. Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. A copy of this material may also be obtained from the U.S. Government online at http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/.

4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This order is effective immediately.