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Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
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Permit to Import Plants and Plant Products
Regulated by 7 CFR 319.37

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Under the conditions specified, this permit authorizes the following:

<u>Article(s)</u>	<u>Countries of Origin</u>	<u>Plant Parts</u>	<u>Intended Use</u>
Small Lots of Seed Program Eligible Taxa.	various approved counties.	Seed	Small Lots of Seed

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO INSPECTORS

See permit conditions below

THIS PERMIT AUTHORIZES SMALL LOTS OF ELIGIBLE SEEDS TO BE IMPORTED WITHOUT A PHYTOSANITARY CERTIFICATE UNDER THE PROVISION OF 7 CFR 319.37-4(d), SUBJECT TO THE SIXTEEN CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO THIS PERMIT. Please verify that this shipment is in compliance with the conditions of permit.

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PERMIT CONDITIONS

This permit authorizes the importation of the listed articles, under the conditions specified below. A copy of this permit (including all conditions) must accompany all shipments authorized under this permit.

Upon arrival in the United States, the articles and shipping container(s) are subject to inspection by officials of Customs and Border Protection, Agriculture Inspection (CBP-AS) and Plant Protection and Quarantine (PPQ).

1. This permit authorizes small lots of seed, only of taxa that are generally admissible under current 7 CFR 319.37 regulations, to be imported without a phytosanitary certificate, under all of the following conditions.
2. Seed shipments must be accompanied by a "Green and Yellow" permit label (PPQ Form 508), identified by a stamped permit number and the expiration date. All unused permit labels will become void and are not to be used after the expiration date of this permit. Green and yellow permit labels must be attached to the outside of the shipping container, clearly visible and unobstructed by other shipping labels. The green and yellow labels will be forwarded by U.S. Postal Service.
3. A copy of this permit shall accompany each shipment.
4. Seed shipments must enter the United States through a USDA Plant Inspection Station.
5. The seeds must be securely packaged in packets or envelopes and sealed to prevent spillage. Clear plastic re-sealable bags are highly recommended.
6. A typed or legibly printed seed list/invoice must accompany each shipment with the name of the collector/shipper, the botanical names (at least to genus, preferably to species level) listed alphabetically, as well as the country of origin and country shipped from for each taxon. Each seed packet must be clearly labeled with the name of the collector/shipper, the country of origin, and the scientific name at least to the genus, and preferably to the species, level. The invoice/seed list may provide a code for each lot, which may be used on the seed packets in lieu of the full list of required information. In this case, each packet must at least include the appropriate code referenced to the seed list/invoice, and the botanical name used on the seed list/invoice.
7. Each packet must be limited to a maximum of 50 seeds of 1 taxon (taxonomic category such as genus, species, cultivar, etc.) per packet; or a maximum weight not to exceed 10 grams of seed of 1 taxon, per packet.
8. Each shipment must contain no more than 50 seed packets.
9. The seeds must be free from pesticides.
10. The shipment must be free from soil, plant material other than seed, other foreign matter or debris, seeds in the fruit or seed pod, and living organisms such as parasitic plants, pathogens, insects, snails, and mites.
11. USDA, APHIS, PPQ has the option, based on its inspection, to destroy or seize individual seed packets or the contents of shipments. This will be done if inspection station personnel find that the imported seeds require treatment, are contaminated with a quarantine plant pest or pests, are labeled improperly, are commingled with other seeds (i.e. not separated from other seeds), are over the weight/count limit, or if the paperwork is incomplete or missing. Noncompliant seed will not be returned to origin or treated.
12. The following lists or categories of seeds may not be shipped under this permit:
 - (a) Federal noxious weed seeds, see <http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ppq/weeds/>
 - (b) Parasitic plant seeds, see <http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ppq/permits/weeds/parasitic.htm>
 - (c) Seeds prohibited or restricted by special conditions in 7CFR319 regulations. (See "how to determine entry status of seed taxa" at <http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ppq/Q37/smalllotsseed.html>)
 - (d) Canadian-origin agricultural or vegetable seed subject to the Federal Seed Act import provisions
 - (e) Genetically modified seed
 - (f) Seeds that are pelleted, coated, or imbedded in a growing media, seed tape, cloth, or similar materials
13. Seeds regulated by CITES and/or the Endangered Species Act require additional permits. See <http://www.cites.org/eng/app/index.shtml> and <http://endangered.fws.gov/esa.html>
14. Non Canadian-origin seeds regulated by the Federal Seed Act require additional labeling on the invoice and seed packets. Agricultural and vegetable seed requires lot designation and the designation "hybrid" when the lot contains hybrid seed. Vegetable seed requires a variety name or "VNS" for "variety not stated".

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15. All wood packing material (WPM) present with this shipment must meet the requirements of the importing and destination country and is subject to ISPM 15 treatment and IPPC stamp requirements and enforcement as stated in 7CFR 319.40-3(b).

16. Under the Plant Protection Act, individuals or corporations who fail to comply with these conditions and authorizations, or who forge, counterfeit, or deface permits or shipping labels may receive civil or criminal penalties, and may have all current permits cancelled and future permit applications denied.

END OF PERMIT CONDITIONS

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