

PLANT DISEASES ACT 1924

SCHEDULE 1

Section 5A  
ORDER [OR46]

Prohibition of planting seed on land used for growing sugar cane on account of the disease sugar cane smut

I, RICHARD AMERY M.P., Minister for Agriculture, pursuant to section 5A of the Act, for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease sugar cane smut (*Ustilago scitaminea* Syd.), and lessening the risk of the disease and preventing the disease being harboured, order that:

1. a person in possession of any host plant referred to in Schedule 1 must treat or destroy the plant in a manner required by an inspector.
2. a person in possession of any host plant referred to in Schedule 2:
  - (a) must treat and label, or destroy the host plant in a manner required by an inspector, (unless, before its introduction into New South Wales, the host plant has been treated, labelled and otherwise has met all of the conditions of a written approval of the Chief, Division of Plant Industries); and
  - (b) must not within New South Wales sell or move the host plant unless the sale or movement complies with the conditions of a written approval by the Chief, Division of Plant Industries for its bringing into New South Wales.
3. A person must not plant in New South Wales:
  - (a) on any land, any host plant referred to in Schedule 1; or
  - (b) on any land used for the growing of sugarcane, including land with a sugarcane assignment, any host plant referred to in Schedule 2.

Definitions

In this Order:

*hostplant* means any plant of a species specified in Schedules 1 and 2;

*Ord River Irrigation Area* means the Ord Irrigation District in Western Australia, constituted as an irrigation district under section 28(1) of the Rights in Water and Irrigation Act 1914 (WA); and

*plant* means plant as defined in section 3(1) of the Act, which includes the seed or any part of a plant;

Plants from the Ord River Irrigation Area, namely:

Scientific name	Common name
<i>Saccharum officinarum</i>	sugarcane
<i>Saccharum spontaneum</i>	wild cane or pit pit
<i>Saccharum robustum</i>	-
<i>Saccharum edule</i>	pit pit
<i>Saccharum barberi</i>	-
<i>Saccharum sinense</i>	uba cane or Japanese cane
<i>Saccharum (interspecific hybrids)</i>	sugar cane
<i>Saccharum giganteum</i>	giant plume grass or sugar cane
	plume grass
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	blady grass
<i>Rottboellia cochinchinensis</i>	itch grass

SCHEDULE 2

Plants from the Ord River Irrigation Area, namely:

<i>Vigna unguiculata</i> ssp. <i>unguiculata</i>	Cowpea
<i>Sorghum bicolor</i> s.lat.	Forage Sorghum
<i>Lablab purpureus</i>	Lablab
<i>Glycine max</i>	Soybean

**Note:** Contact the New South Wales Department of Agriculture on (02) 63913583 for further information. The Department's reference is OR46.

Dated: 12th January 2000.

RICHARD AMERY, M.P.,  
Minister for Agriculture  
Minister for Land and Water Conservation

RURALLANDS PROTECTION ACT 1989

ORDER

I, RICHARD AMERY M.P., Minister for Agriculture, pursuant to section 146(1) of the Rural Lands Protection Act 1989, require Rural Lands Protection Boards to impose levies on occupiers of rateable land at the following rates for the year 2000:

1. in the Rural Lands Protection Districts of Bombala, Braidwood, Casino, Cooma, Gloucester, Goulburn, Grafton, Kempsey, Moss Vale, South Coast and Tweed-Lismore - 0.425 cents per stock unit; and
2. in all other Rural Lands Protection Districts - 0.850 cents per stock unit.

Dated this 10th day of January 2000.

RICHARD AMERY, M.P.,  
Minister for Agriculture  
Minister for Land and Water Conservation