



NSW DEPARTMENT OF  
PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

**DIRECTOR'S APPROVAL No. P169/06/01**  
**Under the Plant Diseases Act 1924 No 38**

**TOMATO YELLOW LEAF CURL VIRUS TREATMENT AND INSPECTION**  
**CONDITIONS OF ENTRY INTO NEW SOUTH WALES**

I, Bruce M Christie, Director Animal and Plant Biosecurity of New South Wales Department of Primary Industries and acting in accordance with Proclamation P169 published in the New South Wales Government Gazette No. 123, 13 October 2006 at pages 8753 to 8754, and for the purposes of preventing the introduction of Tomato Yellow Leaf Curl Virus into New South Wales, I hereby approve the following conditions of entry into New South Wales of Tomato Yellow Leaf Curl Virus host plants provided:-

1. The plants have been grown under a pest management program which prevents the introduction of Silverleaf whitefly and Tomato Yellow Leaf Curl Virus (TYLCV) which includes:
  - (a) grown in a Silverleaf whitefly proof production facility such as a screen house or glass house; **or**
  - (b) grown using a treatment and weed control program involving:-
    - (i) a program of chemicals registered for the control of Silverleaf whitefly; and
    - (ii) the removal of weeds from inside the production areas and areas surrounding production areas; **and**
  - (c) the production facility and surrounding area is monitored for the presence of Silverleaf whitefly; **and**
  - (d) in the case of material propagated vegetatively from cuttings, the mother plants from which the material is sourced are tested every six months and found free of TYLCV; **and**
2. All host plants to be introduced to NSW are inspected and found free of Silverleaf whitefly and symptoms of TYLCV – for commercial consignments the rate of inspection is to be 600 plants per consignment (if the consignment contains less than 600 plants, then all plants are to be inspected); **and**
3. The host plants are packed so as to exclude the entry and prevent infestation with Silverleaf whitefly; **and**
4. The package containing the host plants must be clearly labelled with the name of the grower and address of the property on which the host plants were grown and the name and address of the business that packed the host plants into the package (where the packer can provide trace back information then 'grower' details are not required').

**DIRECTOR, ANIMAL AND PLANT BIOSECURITY**  
**NSW DEPARTMENT OF PRIMARY INDUSTRIES**

DATE:

17/10/06

**Note:** That hosts plants regulated under Paragraph A of Proclamation P169 are only to be imported, introduced or brought into New South Wales if they are accompanied by a Plant Health Certificate or Plant Health Assurance Certificate certifying that the plants meet the conditions of entry into New South Wales:

1. approved by the Director, Animal & Plant Biosecurity, or the Director, Compliance Operations, Agriculture and Fisheries, **and**
2. published on NSW Department of Primary Industries' website.