

**ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE
STATE QUARANTINE OFFICER**

LCB File No. R191-99

Effective August 7, 2000

EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 555.130.

Section 1. NAC 555.010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

555.010 The following weeds are designated noxious weeds:

1. African rue. (*Peganum harmala*)
2. Austrian fieldcress. (*Rorippa austriaca*)
3. Austrian peaweed. (*Sphaerophysa salsula*)
(*Swainsona salsula*)
4. *Black henbane.* (*Hysocyamus niger*)
5. Camelthorn. (*Alhagi camelorum*)
- ~~5.]~~ 6. *Common crupina.* (*Crupina vulgaris*)
7. Dyer's woad. (*Isatis tinctoria*)
- ~~6.]~~ 8. *Eurasian watermilfoil.* (*Myriophyllum spicatum*)
9. Goats rue. (*Galega officinalis*)
- ~~7.]~~ ~~Klamath weed.~~ (~~Hypericum perforatum~~)
- ~~8.]~~ 10. Hemlock:
 - (a) Poison; and (*Conium maculatum*)
 - (b) Water. (*Cicuta maculata*)

~~[9.]~~ 11. Horse nettle:

- (a) Carolina; and (*Solanum carolinense*)
- (b) White. (*Solanum elaeagnifolium*)

~~[10.]~~ 12. *Houndstongue.* (*Cynoglossum officinale*)

13. *Hydrilla.* (*Hydrilla verticillata*)

14. Knapweed:

- (a) Diffuse; ~~[and]~~ (*Centaurea diffusa*)
- (b) Russian ~~[.]~~; (*Centaurea repens*)
- (c) *Spotted; and* (*Centaurea maculosa*)
- (d) *Squarrose.* (*Centaurea virgata*)

~~[11.]~~ 15. Leafy spurge. (*Euphorbia esula*)

~~[12.]~~ ~~Licorice.~~ ~~(Glycyrrhiza lepidota)~~

~~[13.]~~ 16. *Mayweed chamomile.* (*Anthemis cotula*)

17. Mediterranean sage. (*Salvia aethiopsis*)

~~[14.]~~ 18. *Medusahead.* (*Taeniatherum caput-medusae*)

19. Perennial pepperweed. (*Lepidium latifolium*)

~~[15.]~~ 20. Puncture vine. (*Tribulus terrestris*)

~~[16.]~~ 21. *Purple loosestrife.* (*Lythrum salicaria*)

22. *Rush skeletonweed.* (*Chondrilla juncea*)

23. *Saltcedar.* (*Tamarix ramosissima, T. parviflora*)

24. Sorghum species, perennial, including, (*Sorghum spp*)

but not limited to:

- (a) Johnson grass;

- (b) Sorghum alum; and
- (c) Perennial sweet sudan.

~~[17. Spotted knapweed. (Centaurea maculosa)~~

~~—18.] 25. Starthistle:~~

- (a) Iberian; (Centaurea iberica)
- (b) Purple; and (Centaurea calcitrapa)
- (c) Yellow. (Centaurea solstitialis)

26. St. Johnswort. (Hypericum perforatum)

27. Sulfur cinquefoil. (Potentilla recta)

28. Thistle:

- (a) Canada; (Cirsium arvense)
- (b) Musk; (Carduus nutans)
- (c) Scotch; and (Onopordum acanthium)
- (d) Sow. [;] (Sonchus arvensis)

~~[(e) Iberian star; (Centaurea iberica)~~

~~—(f) Purple star; and (Centaurea calcitrapa)~~

~~—(g) Yellow star. (Centaurea solstitialis)~~

~~—19. Toadflax, dalmatian.]~~

29. Toadflax:

- (a) Dalmation; and (Linaria dalmatica)
- ~~[20.]~~ (b) Yellow. (Linaria vulgaris)

30. Whitetop or hoary cress. (Cardaria draba)

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF REGULATIONS

The Nevada Division of Agriculture, adopted regulations assigned LCB file No R 0191-99 which pertain to chapter 555.010 of the Nevada administrative Code on February 9, 2000. A copy of the Regulations as adopted is attached hereto.

INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT

The following is the informational statement to NAC 554.010

1. A public workshop was held on November 8, 1999 in Reno, Nevada at the Nevada Department of Agriculture office located at 350 Capitol Hill Avenue and at the Nevada Department of Agriculture office located at 2300 McLeod Las Vegas, Nevada.

Public hearings were held on December 3, 1999 in Reno, Nevada at the Nevada Department of Agriculture office located at 350 Capitol Hill Avenue and December 7, 1999 at the Nevada Department of Agriculture office located at 2300 McLeod Las Vegas, Nevada.

Notice of workshop and notice of hearing were posted at all six Department offices, the Nevada State Library in Carson City, and all Nevada County Libraries. Copies could be requested from the Nevada Department of Agriculture by writing to 350 Capitol Hill Avenue Reno, Nevada 89502, calling (702) 688-1180, contacting all other Department offices, the Nevada State Library in Carson City, and all Nevada County Libraries. All persons who have requested to be notified of amendments were notified by mail.

2. Workshop held November 8, 1999-Reno and Las Vegas
0 people attended
no written statements were submitted

Hearing held December 3, 1999-Reno and December 7, 1999-Las Vegas

There were no business or public attendees

no written statements were submitted

Verbal comments made at weed interest group meeting concerning additional weeds they would like to see listed was considered during the adoption of the list.

3. Comments were solicited from business and the public by posting in public locations and thru direct mail notices as outlined in #1 above. There was no oral or written comments submitted. A copy of the comments may be obtained by calling the Nevada Department of Agriculture office, (702) 688-1180.

The amendments were adopted with changes. The amended weed list including all weeds recommended for addition except the recommendation Russian olive and one deletion to the list was adopted by the Nevada Board of Agriculture on 1999.

4. The economic effects of the adopted amendments on the business which it is to regulate;

Economic effect of these proposed amendments on the businesses which it is to regulate:

1. Adverse effects:

None

2. Beneficial effects:

Preventing the entry of noxious weeds and taking quick action to eradicate any incipient infestations benefits the public.

Noxious weeds cause severe economic and environmental losses to occur when they become established.

3. Immediate and long-term economic effects:

The adverse and beneficial effects are the same for immediate and long-term.

Economic effect of the proposed amendments on the public:

1. Adverse effects:

None

2. Beneficial effects:

The public will benefit from the prevention of the entry and establishment of noxious weeds which, if they become established would cause severe economic losses to occur.

3. Immediate and long-term effects:

The adverse and beneficial effects are the same for the immediate and long-term.

5. The economic effects of the adoption of the amendments on the Public:

1. Adverse effects:

None

2. Beneficial effects:

The public will benefit from the prevention of the entry and establishment of noxious weeds which, if they become established would cause severe economic losses to occur.

3. Immediate and long-term effects:

The adverse and beneficial effects are the same for the immediate and long-term.

6. Economic cost to the agency for the enforcement of the regulation:

There will not be any additional cost to the agency to enforce the amendments adopted.

7. There are no other state or federal agency regulations which the adopted amendments overlap or duplicate.

8. The amendments adopted do not include any provisions more stringent than any federal regulation which the same activity.

9. This regulation does not establish or increase any fees.