



Biosecurity (Notifiable Organisms) Amendment Order 2025

Rt Hon Dame Helen Winkelmann, Administrator of the Government

Order in Council

At Wellington this 17th day of November 2025

Present:

Her Excellency the Administrator of the Government in Council

This order is made under section 45(2) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council.

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Order

1 Title

This order is the Biosecurity (Notifiable Organisms) Amendment Order 2025.

2 Commencement

This order comes into force on 18 December 2025.

3 Principal order

This order amends the Biosecurity (Notifiable Organisms) Order 2016.

4 Schedule amended

In the Schedule, item relating to organisms primarily affecting horticulture, replace the item relating to pepino mosaic virus with:

Pepino mosaic virus (PepMV) (<i>Potexvirus pepini</i>), excluding CH2 strain	PepMV, excluding CH2 strain
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Rachel Hayward,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the order but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order, which comes into force on 18 December 2025, amends the Biosecurity (Notifiable Organisms) Order 2016.

The effect of this amendment is that the duty to report a suspected presence of pepino mosaic virus (PepMV) under section 46 of the Biosecurity Act 1993 does not apply to the CH2 strain of the virus, but does apply to all other strains.

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2019.
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This order is administered by the Ministry for Primary Industries.