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Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service

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# Permit to Import Quarantine Material

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| Importer  | Exporter   |
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| Mrs Tania Notaras<br>Envirolab Services Pty Ltd<br>12 Ashley Street<br>Chatswood NSW 2067<br>Attn: As Above | Various suppliers/exporters<br>Various addresses in all countries<br>All suburbs<br>European |

**You are authorised to import the following material under the listed conditions**  
*Note: This permit covers AQIS quarantine requirement only.*  
 All imports may be subject to quarantine inspection on arrival to determine compliance with the listed permit conditions and freedom from contamination. Imports not in compliance or not appropriately identified or packaged and labelled in accordance with the import conditions they represent may be subject to seizure, treatment, re-export or destruction at the importer's expense.  
 Additionally, all foods imported into Australia must comply with the provisions of the *Imported Food Control Act 1992*, and may be inspected and/or analysed against the requirements of the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code.  
 All imports containing or derived from Genetically Modified material must comply with the *Gene Technology Act 2000*.

It is the importer's responsibility to identify, and to ensure it has complied with, all requirements of any other regulatory organisations and advisory bodies prior to and after importation including The Australian Customs Service, The Department of Health and Ageing, Therapeutic Goods Administration, Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority, Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts, Food Standards Australia New Zealand and any state agencies such as Departments of Agriculture and Health and Environmental Protection authorities. Importers should note that this list is not exhaustive.

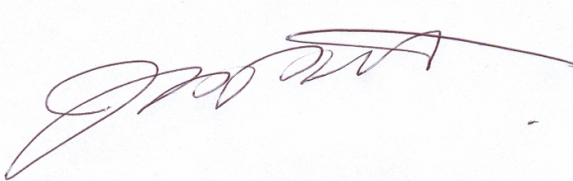
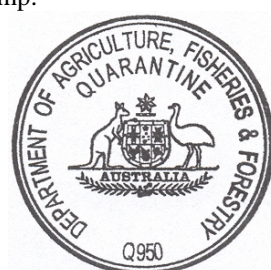
Import conditions are subject to change at the discretion of the Director of Quarantine. This permit may be revoked without notice.

Notification of the import must be provided to AQIS for all imported goods other than goods imported as accompanied baggage or goods imported via the mail and not prescribed under the *Customs Act 1901*. Notification must be consistent with *Quarantine Regulations 2000* (examples include a Quarantine Entry or a Quarantine declaration).

| Commodity Name   | Condition Number(s) | Country       | End Use  |
|--|---------------------|---------------|----------|
| <b>Soil and water samples and related material (Soil, sand, sediment, clay, rock and water samples for analysis)</b> | PC2039 AND PC0600   | All countries | In-vitro |

| Condition | Condition Text  |
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| PC0600    | Materials imported using this Import Permit are for chemical, physical or destructive analysis only. The isolation or culturing of microorganisms, or growing of any plant material is not permitted. |
| PC2039    | <b>This condition requires soil and/or water to be directed to and held at a Quarantine Approved Premises</b>   |

1. All consignments must be accompanied by a valid Import Permit (or a method of identifying the

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| This permit is granted subject to the condition that fees determined under Section 86E are paid  |   |
| <br>Delegate of Director of Quarantine<br><b>Printed Name</b> Judith Platt | Stamp:<br> |
| <b>Date</b> 15 Jan 2009  |   |

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|           | Import Permit such as the Import Permit number) and all required documentation. Alternatively, necessary documentation must be presented to AQIS at the time of clearance. In order to facilitate clearance, airfreight or mail shipments should have all documentation securely attached to the outside of the package, and clearly marked 'Attention Quarantine'. Documentation may include Import Permit (or Import Permit number) and invoice. The importer must meet all costs associated with the importation of this product. |

### Documentation Requirements

2. Each consignment must be clearly identified and linked to the relevant item(s) on the Import Permit. Identifying documentation must be available to the quarantine officer at the time of clearance. This documentation may include:
  - a) an accompanying invoice or airway bill; or
  - b) the physical labelling of the goods; or
  - c) an overseas supplier's declaration describing the goods.
  
3. If the product description on the Import Permit varies from the identifying documentation provided for clearance, the importer is responsible for providing evidence to the quarantine officer that the Import Permit covers the products in the consignment.

### Post Entry Requirements

4. The products are for use at Labmark Pty Ltd (#N0356)  
 Unit 1/8 Leighton Place  
 ASQUITH  
 NSW  
 2077

Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd (#N0115)  
 277-289 Woodpark Road  
 SMITHFIELD  
 NSW  
 2164

SGS Australia Pty Ltd (#N0111)  
 General Laboratory, Unit 16, 33 Maddox Street  
 ALEXANDRA  
 NSW  
 2015

Department of Innovation Industry, Science and Research - National Measurement Institute  
 (#N0114)  
 Room 378, Level 3, 1 Suakin Street  
 PYMBLE  
 NSW  
 2073

Envirolab Services Pty Ltd (#N2057)  
 Ground Floor Organic Laboratory Area, 12 Ashley Street  
 CHATSWOOD  
 NSW

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|           | 2067  |
|           | <p>5. The level of containment must be QC (PC) 1</p> <p>6. Where more than one Quarantine Approved Premises is listed in point 4 above, the samples may be transferred between the listed premises.</p> <p>7. This Import Permit allows for the importation of goods for <i>in vitro</i> laboratory studies.</p> <p>8. This Import Permit does not permit the direct or indirect exposure of the imported materials or derivatives to non-laboratory organisms or plants.</p> <p>9. It is the importer's responsibility to ensure that the goods are labelled "<i>in vitro</i> use only" or equivalent on the smallest packaged unit prior to distribution.</p> <p>10. The goods and their derivatives shall not be removed from these premises without the prior written approval of a Quarantine Officer, except in the case of disposal, treatment or re-export. These premises must have current approval, at the time of importation, of the Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service, under Section 46A of the Quarantine Act 1908. The premises must be approved as a Class 5 Quarantine Approved Premises.</p> <p>11. The imported commodity may be treated using one of the approved treatments listed below, and then released from quarantine.<br/>Approved treatments:<br/>a) Dry heat treatment at 160°C for 2 hours (if sample does not exceed 500g in weight);<br/>b) Heat treatment in an autoclave at 121°C, 103 kPa (15 psi) for 15 minutes; or 134°C, 103 kPa (15 psi) for 4 minutes.<br/>c) Gamma Irradiation at 50 kGray</p> <p>12. On completion of work all imported materials and the direct or indirect derivatives thereof shall be disposed of by re-export, incineration, autoclaving or other methods approved in writing by the Director of Quarantine.</p> <p>13. Records of transfer, treatment, destruction and release of all imported items must be retained by the QAP for AQIS audit purposes.</p> <p>14. It is the importer's responsibility to ensure compliance with all international (e.g. IATA) and domestic requirements concerning the safe handling, transport and labelling of biological material.</p> <p>15. It is the end user's responsibility to ensure that all laboratory products are used in accordance with the current AS/NZS 2243 Safety in Laboratory standards and Office of the Gene Technology Regulator (OGTR) requirements</p> |
|           | End of Condition Text   |