



RULE-MAKING ORDER
(RCW 34.05.360)

CR-103 (10/1/89)

Agency: **Agriculture**

- Permanent Rule
 Emergency Rule

(1) Date of adoption: **October 16, 1990**

(2) Purpose: **To Prevent the spread of Chrysanthemum white rust disease in the state of Washington.**

(3) Citation of existing rules affected by this order:
Repealed: **none**
Amended:
Suspended:

(4) Authority for adoption:
Statute: **Chapter 17.24 RCW**
Other Authority:

(5.1) PERMANENT RULE ONLY

Pursuant to notice filed as WSR _____ on _____ (date).
Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:

(5.2) EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- (a) That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
 (b) That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.

Reasons for this finding: **Chrysanthemum white rust disease is a serious fungal disease which threatens chrysanthemums, an important floral and ornamental crop, and is not known to occur in the United States. Two properties in Washington state have been found to be infested with this disease and the quarantine is necessary to prevent the further spread of this disease.**

(5.3) Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?
 Yes No If yes, explain:

(6) Effective date of rule: **October 16, 1990 LM**
Permanent Rules **Emergency Rules**

- 31 days after filing Immediately
 Other (specify) _____ * Later (specify) _____

*(If less than 31 days after filing, specific finding in 5.3 under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required)

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NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-010. ^{LM} DEFINITIONS. The definitions set forth in this section shall apply throughout this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) "Director" means the director of agriculture of this state, or a duly authorized representative.

(2) "Department" means the Washington state department of agriculture.

(3) "Interior quarantine" means a quarantine within the state of Washington established against the movement of designated plant pests, life stages, their hosts, and possible carriers from areas identified by the Washington state department of agriculture.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-015. ^{LM} PENALTIES. Any person who violates or fails to comply with any rule adopted under RCW 17.24.020 through 17.24.100 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and for a second and each subsequent violation of the same rule, shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-020. ^{LM} QUARANTINE--CHRYSANTHEMUM WHITE RUST DISEASE. An interior quarantine is established under chapter 17.24 RCW against the disease known as chrysanthemum white rust disease, Puccinia horiana P. Henn. Chrysanthemum white rust is a

serious fungal disease which threatens chrysanthemums, an important floral and ornamental crop, and is not known to occur in the United States.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-030. *ELM* **AREA UNDER QUARANTINE.** Real or personal properties within the state of Washington:

(1) On which the department has identified chrysanthemum white rust or which is identified as a recipient of infected plants; and

(2) Where the occupants and owners of those properties have been notified by the department of the chrysanthemum white rust infestation or the receipt of infected plants, and the conditions and requirements of this quarantine as provided in WAC 16-471-080.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-040. *ELM* **REGULATED ARTICLES.** The following are regulated articles and are hereby declared to be hosts or possible carriers of chrysanthemum white rust disease and shall not be moved from the area under quarantine either directly, indirectly, diverted or reconsigned, except as provided for in WAC 16-471-050:

(1) Plant or plant parts of any susceptible chrysanthemum species including but not limited to the following:

COMMON NAME

SCIENTIFIC NAME

Nippon daisy

C. nipponicum

Florists chrysanthemum

C. morifolium
(syn. C. sinense)

High daisy

C. uliginosum

(No Common Name)

C. arcticum
C. shiwogiku
C. pacificum
C. makinoi
C. indicum
(syn. C. japonicum)
C. yezoeuse
C. koreanum
C. boreale
C. yosinagathum

(2) Soil, humus, compost, manure, planting media, or rooting media.

(3) Tools and implements used in chrysanthemum cultivation.

(4) Any other products, articles, or means of conveyance, of any character whatsoever, when it is determined by the director that they present a hazard of spread of chrysanthemum white rust disease and the person in possession thereof has been so notified.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-050.  CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE MOVEMENT OF

REGULATED ARTICLES FROM AN AREA UNDER QUARANTINE. Regulated articles are prohibited movement from the area under quarantine

except that tools and implements used in chrysanthemum cultivation that may have come in contact with infected plants or contaminated soil may be moved if:

(1) disinfected by washing with steam or high pressure hot water; and

(2) protected from further contact with infected plants or contaminated soil.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-060. *SM* **PLANT AND PLANT PARTS TO BE DESTROYED OR TREATED--INTERVAL BEFORE REPLANTING.** (1) All plants and plant parts of chrysanthemum species listed in WAC 16-471-040(1) found in the area under quarantine shall be (a) destroyed by incineration, burial in lime pits, or heat treatment; or (b) otherwise treated in a manner prescribed by the director.

(2) Following the destruction or treatment of the current stand of all chrysanthemum plants or plant parts, no susceptible chrysanthemum species shall be planted or grown in the area under quarantine for a period of at least two months unless prior written authorization is obtained from the director.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-070. *SM* **SPECIAL PERMITS AND COMPLIANCE AGREEMENTS.** The director may issue special permits or enter into compliance agreements allowing the movement of regulated articles covered in WAC 16-471-040 not otherwise eligible for movement from the area under quarantine, subject to conditions and provisions which the

director may prescribe to prevent the escape or spread of chrysanthemum white rust disease.

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-471-080 ^{LM} NOTICE OF QUARANTINE--NOTICE OF DESTRUC-

TION. When the director finds real or personal property as described in WAC 16-471-030(1) the director shall issue a written notice of quarantine to the owners and occupants thereof. The notice shall identify the property under quarantine, order the prompt destruction of susceptible species of chrysanthemum plants, and direct treatment of any other regulated articles.