
Movement Control Update

for the North Island

The Movement Control Line which separates the upper North Island varroa-infested zone from the lower North Island is being reviewed.

Surveillance is currently underway in the lower North Island to determine the extent of varroa spread across the Movement Control Line.

The Varroa Management Group (VMG) will put forward a recommendation on the future of the current line in late July, based on the results of this surveillance.

The National Beekeepers' Association, in conjunction with local NBA Branches, will organise a consultation meeting for affected parties to discuss the VMG recommendation. This will be held in late July/early August at a central North Island location to be advised by the NBA.

Beekeepers who have concerns relating to the Movement Control Line are advised to contact their local NBA branch.

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