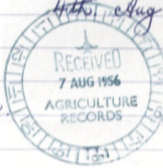


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Cameron Rd.,
Te Puke,
Bay of Plenty,
4th Aug. 1956

Director,
Horticulture Division,
Dept of Agriculture,
Wellington.



Dear Sir

I would like an application regarding to import one (1) Queen Bee from Australia. The variety is an Italian. The name and address of the breeder is:-

Mt. Walter Wallace,
Gawarra St.,
Minildra. n. s. w.
Australia.

Yours faithfully,

D. A. Barron

T.S. Winter
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D. A. Barron

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(T.S. Winter)
Superintendent, Beekeeping Industry

Mr D.A. Briscoe,
Apiary Instructor,
TAURANGA.

For your information:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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P.O. Box 2298,
Wellington, C.I.

29 August 1955

Mr D. A. Barrow,
Cameron Road,
TE PUKE.

Dear Mr Barrow,

Further to our conversation at Hamilton recently regarding importation of queen bees from Australia:

Any beekeeper who desires to import queen bees from Australia should first make written application to the Director, Horticulture Division, Department of Agriculture, Wellington, for the necessary authority to import stating the variety (race) and the number of queen bees, also the name and address of the breeder of the bees.

... I attach for your information a copy of the conditions which must be complied with in any case where authority is granted. Any authority to import issued by this Department would be subject to a successful application for an import license from the Comptroller of Customs, Wellington.

It would be best for you to write direct to your Australian correspondent for particulars of any restrictions on the entry of bees from New Zealand into New South Wales.

At this end it would be necessary for you to make formal application to the nearest Customs office for a license to export bees to Australia.

Trusting this is the information you require,

Yours faithfully,

(T.S. ^WWinter)
Superintendent, Beekeeping Industry

Mr D. A. Biscoe,
Apiary Instructor,
TAURANGA.

For your information:

(T.S. ^WWinter)
Superintendent, Beekeeping Industry

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8 August 1956

Mr D.A. Barrow,
Cameron Road,
THE PUKI.

Dear Mr Barrow,

... I have received your application of 4 August regarding the importation of bees and attach the necessary authority for you to import one queen bee (Italian) from Mr Walter Wallace, Cawarra Station, Minildra, New South Wales, Australia.

The attached authority to import bees into New Zealand from Australia is issued subject to a successful application by you for an import license from the Comptroller of Customs and should be submitted by you to the Customs Department, Auckland, in support of your application.

... A copy of the authority and conditions to be complied with (attached) should be forwarded by you to the vendor in Australia for his information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

(A.M.W. Greig)
Director of the Horticulture Division

Mr D.A. Briscoe,
Apiary Instructor,
TAURANGA.

For your information:

COPY

(SIGNED) A. M. W. GREIG

(A.M.W. Greig)
Director of the Horticulture Division

PRIORITY TO IMPORT BEES INTO NEW ZEALAND.

Grant to The Apiaries Regulations, 1948,

D. A. Barrow of Cameron Road, TE PUKE
(Name of applicant) (Address)

is hereby authorized to import into New Zealand from the apiary situated at Minildra in the country or state of New South Wales, Australia and owned or occupied by Walter Wallace

Cawarra St. Minildra, N.S.W. (Name of breeder)
of (Address of breeder) the under-mentioned consignment of bees:-

Number. One Variety. Italian

Subject to the following conditions, viz,-

- (1) That the consignment of bees is accompanied by a certificate signed by a responsible Government officer whose technical duties relate to apiculture in the country or state from which the bees are exported, and certifying,-
 - (a) That such bees are free from disease.
 - (b) That such bees have immediately prior to export been kept on an apiary that is free from all diseases of bees, including Bacillus larvae and Bacillus pluton (commonly known as foul-brood), bee louse (Brachycones), and Isle of Wight disease (Acarapis Woodi), and
 - (c) That Isle of Wight disease (Acarapis Woodi) does not exist within fifty miles of the apiary in which such bees were kept immediately prior to export.
- (2) That the consignment of bees is addressed to the importer by name only care of the Superintendent, Wallaceville Animal Research Station, Private Bag, Wellington, New Zealand.
- (3) That all escort bees accompanying each queen bee in each package included in the consignment are destroyed on delivery of the consignment at the address stated in paragraph (2) hereof and replaced by New Zealand escort bees.
- (4) That if on examination any bees in the consignment are found to be diseased, all the bees comprised in the consignment shall forthwith be destroyed, and the importer notified to that effect accordingly.
- (5) That all imported containers of bees in the consignment are destroyed and new containers provided, where necessary, for the despatch of the bees to the importer.

DATED at Wellington this 8th day of August 1956.

The Superintendent,
Wallaceville Animal Research Station,
P.B. WELLINGTON.

For your information and any necessary action please.

(A.M.W. Greig)

Director of the Horticulture Division

Director of the Horticulture
Division by direction of the
Hon. Minister of Agriculture.

J.C. [Signature]

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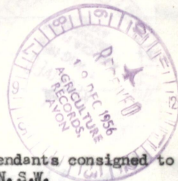
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14 December, 1956.

Mr D.A. Barrow,
Cameron Road,
TE PUKE.

Dear Sir,

IMPORTATION OF QUEEN BEE



Yesterday we received a queen bee with bee attendants consigned to you via Wallaceville from Mr Walter Wallace, Minildra, N.S.W.

Examination of attendants was completed today and the queen in a new cage with fresh attendants despatched to you as advised by telegram. Release of the queen to you means that our examination showed the attendant bees free from @scarine disease.

Yours faithfully,

The Director,
Horticulture Division,
Department of Agriculture
WELLINGTON

T. Palmer Jones

(T. PALMER-JONES),
Research Officer.

Mr G. Swinley

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