

Restricted Import Permit

Ministry for Primary Industries
Manatū Ahu Matua



This permit is issued under The Biosecurity Act, 1993. Any queries, contact: animal.imports@mpi.govt.nz, Ministry for Primary Industries, PO Box 2526, Wellington, Phone +64 4 8940100

Authorising Officer: Katherine Garnett on 27 May 2024

For the Director General, Ministry for Primary Industries, acting under delegated authority.

Importer:

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Countries of Export: All Countries

Permit Number: M2409606B**Permit Status:** Approved Permit**Entry Type:** Multiple**Permit Expiry Date:** 27/05/2025**Replaced Permit:**

Descriptor: Risk Group 1 microorganisms (as cultures or within samples, derived from animals (not humans), plants and the environment, where those plants and animals are not diseased or displaying signs of disease or illness).**HSNO Approval Code:** NOC100581**Import Purpose:** To import and hold in containment Risk Group 1 and Risk Group 2 microorganisms as cultures or within samples derived from food, animals, plants and the environment, for laboratory-based research and diagnostic work

Descriptor: Risk Group 2 microorganisms (as cultures or within samples, derived from animals (not humans), plants and the environment, where those plants and animals are not diseased or displaying signs of disease or illness).**HSNO Approval Code:** NOC100582**Import Purpose:** To import and hold in containment Risk Group 1 and Risk Group 2 microorganisms as cultures or within samples derived from food, animals, plants and the environment, for laboratory-based research and diagnostic work

Import Health Standard(s): MICROIC.ALL - Microorganisms from All Countries

Facility Standard(s): 154.03.02 - Facilities for Microorganisms and Cell Cultures:2007a

Post Entry Facility: ASUREQuality - Auckland (Labnet)**Post Entry Type:** Containment Facility**ATF Code:** 1512**Address:** 131 Boundary Road Blockhouse Bay Auckland**Operator Name:** Shalendra Naidu

Special Conditions : You must comply with the import health standard/s listed on this permit and any special conditions recorded below:
IHSs can be viewed via the MPI website:
<https://www.mpi.govt.nz/legal/compliance-requirements/ihs-import-health-standards/>

To ensure compliance, the requirements of the MPI / EPA Containment Facility Standard listed on the import permit must be met in conjunction with the controls in the decision document relating to the HSNO approval(s) referenced on this import permit.

Any work carried out to CREATE A GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISM requires a Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act approval and must be carried out in an appropriately approved containment facility. The contact details for the New Zealand Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) are neworganisms@epa.govt.nz or 04 474 5591.

If items imported under this permit are to be STORED, the HSNO approval must allow for that and will be outlined within the applicable decision document.

If the HSNO approval does not allow for storage, please contact the New Organisms team at the EPA to ascertain if a HSNO approval is required.

NOTE: Other legislative requirements may also need to be met.

This import permit replaces IMPACT permit 2023081194.

Important Information for Permit Holders and Agents

1. This permit, and compliance with the provisions of the specific import health standard(s) and/or entry conditions, does not guarantee that the goods you import will be given biosecurity clearance. There are other restrictions in sections 27 and 28 of the Biosecurity Act 1993 which apply to the giving of biosecurity clearance. The Biosecurity Act may be accessed at www.legislation.govt.nz.
2. You will need to ensure that the goods you import comply with the provisions of the specific import health standard(s) and/or entry conditions that are applicable. The import health standard may be amended during the course of your permit. The Ministry for Primary Industries will notify you of any significant changes to the import health standard and will re-issue the permit to accommodate these changes.