Minister of Agriculture and Land Reclamation,  

Having perused  
- Agriculture law No. 53 for the year 1966;  
- Ministerial Decree no. 3007 for the year 2001, concerning Egyptian plant quarantine regulations;  
- Minutes of the higher plant quarantine committee dated 11/12/2017.  
- The central administration plant quarantine memo no.3267 dated 12/12/2017.  
- On what was presented by the head of agricultural services and follow up sector.  
- On what was presented by the deputy minister of agricultural services and follow up.

Decided 
Article (1) 

A new article to be added on table no.4 of the ministerial decree no. 3007 for the year 2001, concerning the exception of provisions 1, 2 of the same decree according to article no.4 which states permitting the entrance of plants and agricultural products listed in article 4 that was mentioned before, If the consignment was infested with pests present or absent in Egypt which is declared against each pest after different eradication treatments which is declared against each one under the supervision of its owner according to the following:

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<th>Variety</th>
<th>Infestation</th>
<th>Treatment method</th>
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<td>Imported wheat for human consumption</td>
<td>Infected with ergot <em>Claviceps purpurea</em></td>
<td>Final rejection of the consignment</td>
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<td>a- More than 0.05 %</td>
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<td>b- 0.05% or less according to Egyptian standard no 1601-1/2010</td>
<td>Treatment with a method that ensure separation of sclerotia of fungus causing ergot and its safe disposal according to the Plant Pathology Research Institute recommendations</td>
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Article (2)
All competent authorities shall implement this decision in their respective fields

Article (3)
This decree shall be published in the official Gazette and shall be enforced as of the day following the date of its publication.

Done in: December 12, 2017

Minister of Agriculture and Land Reclamation

Dr. Abdel Monem el-Banna