

**Summary of the Draft amendment of the "Quarantine Regulations for  
Transshipment of Plants or Plant Products through Countries or Districts  
Where Designated Diseases or Pests Are Known to Occur ".**

Draft amendment	Current regulation	Description
<p>Article 2</p> <p>(1) “Designated plant disease or pest infested countries or districts” denotes the countries or districts designated by the central competent authority pursuant to <b><u>paragraph 1, subsection 1 or subsection 2 of</u></b> Article 14 where designated diseases or pests are known to occur and from where the importation of designated plants or plant products are prohibited or <b><u>managed</u></b> under certain quarantine requirements.</p>	<p>Article 2</p> <p>(1) “Designated plant disease or pest infested countries or districts” denotes the countries or districts designated by the central competent authority pursuant to Article 14 or <b><u>16</u></b>, where designated diseases or pests are known to occur and from where the importation of designated plants or plant products are prohibited or <b><u>allowed</u></b> under certain quarantine requirements.</p>	<p>Authorization basis of the Regulations is amended.</p>
<p>Article 7</p> <p>(2) If the plants or plant products are transshipped through countries or districts where designated plant diseases or pests are known to occur and from where the importation is <b><u>managed</u></b> only under certain quarantine requirements, appropriate quarantine treatments shall be applied. If there are no appropriate quarantine treatments, the plants or plant products shall not be allowed to be imported.</p>	<p>Article 7</p> <p>(2) If the plants or plant products are transshipped through countries or districts where designated plant diseases or pests are known to occur and from where the importation is <b><u>allowed</u></b> only under certain quarantine requirements, appropriate quarantine treatments shall be applied. If there are no appropriate quarantine treatments, the plants or plant products shall not be allowed to be imported.</p>	<p>The regulation is amended in accordance with the amendment of paragraph 1, subsection 2 of Article 14 in the Plant Protection and Quarantine Act.</p>