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Creating a marketing environment that is conducive to growing and processing crops in Namibia

## NOTICE TO ALL HORTICULTURE TRADERS

### CLOSE AND OPEN BORDERS FOR SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCTS

SPECIAL IMPORT PERMIT PERIOD: 01 – 31 October 2022

[Revised date: 30 September 2022]

In line with the Agronomic Industry Act (Act 20 of 1992), and the Namibian Horticulture Market Share Promotion Scheme rules and regulations, close border and pro-rata imports will be implemented for the following special controlled products:

PRODUCT	DESCRIPTIONS	CLOSED	OPEN	PRO-RATA
Beetroot	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole or Cut beetroots. Except for the "Exclusions"			
Butternut	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Cabbage	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Green Head Cabbage. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Carrot	<b>20%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut carrots <b>until 15<sup>th</sup> October 2022</b> . Except for <b>Catering size</b> and "Exclusions".			
English Cucumber	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut English Cucumber. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Colored Pepper	<b>50%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut colored peppers. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Green pepper	<b>50%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut green peppers. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Gem Squash	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Onion	<b>Border Closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut white onions. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Potato Washed	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Pumpkin	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Sweet Potato	<b>50%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Sweet Potato.			
Round tomato	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut round tomato. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Jam tomato	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut tomato jam. Except for the "Exclusions".			
Watermelon	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies <b>until 15<sup>th</sup> October 2022</b> .			
Sweet Melon	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Sweetcorn	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Lettuce (iceberg)	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Spinach	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut green spinach. Except for the "Exclusions"			

**NB: This notice is subject to changes, and traders will be notified accordingly. Also, please be specific with the size/type allowed for importation on the permit and the invoice accompanying the permit.**

NAMIBIAN AGRONOMIC BOARD  
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