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## NOTICE TO ALL HORTICULTURE TRADERS

## **CLOSE AND OPEN BORDERS FOR SPECIAL CONTROLLED PRODUCTS**

## SPECIAL IMPORT PERMIT PERIOD: 01 – 30 April 2023

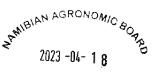
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In line with the Agronomic Industry Act (Act 20 of 1992), and the Namibian Horticulture Market Share Promotion Scheme rules and regulations, close border and pro-rata imports will be implemented for the following special controlled products:

PRODUCT	DESCRIPTIONS	CLOSED	OPEN	PRO- RATA
Beetroot	<b>40%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, whole, or Cut Beetroot. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Butternut	<b>Border Closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, whole, or Cut Butternut. Except for the "Exclusions			
Cabbage	Open for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Carrot	<b>Open</b> for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
English	Border closed for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh,			
Cucumber Colored Pepper	chilled, Whole or Cut English cucumber. Except for the "Exclusions. Border closed for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut colored peppers. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Green pepper	<b>Border closed</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut green peppers. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Gem Squash	Open for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Onion	Open for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Potato Washed	Open for importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Pumpkin	<b>Border closed</b> for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut pumpkin. Except for the "Exclusions			
Sweet Potato	Border closed for the importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Sweet Potato. Except for the small sizes 1-2 kgs and Exclusions			
Jam tomato	<b>20%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut tomato jam. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Cocktail/Cherry//mini plum tomato	<b>20%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut tomato cocktail/cherry/mini plum. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Round tomato	<b>50%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut tomato round. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Watermelon	<b>Open</b> for importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Watermelon. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Sweet Melon	<b>Open</b> for importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Sweet melon. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Sweetcorn	<b>50%</b> importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut Sweetcorn. Except for the "Exclusions.			
Lettuce (iceberg)	40% importation without restriction but the 47% MSP applies.			
Spinach	<b>Open</b> for importation of all types, size groups, and container sizes of fresh, chilled, Whole, or Cut/sliced 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.

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