



## Revocation of Anthrax Prevention Regulations 1987



The Anthrax Prevention Regulations 1987 will be revoked on 3 November 2011.

The regulations are no longer required because they have been superseded by the import health standards issued under the Biosecurity Act 1993. Risks to public health associated with the importation of brushes made from animal hair and bristles will be managed by the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry under the Biosecurity Act 1993.

From 3 November 2011 approval from the Ministry of Health will no longer be required to import brushes containing animal hair or bristle classified in heading 9603 of the Tariff of New Zealand.

If you have any queries regarding this change, please contact Customs on 0800 428 786 (0800 4 CUSTOMS).

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