

importation, entry or movement of plants and plant pests, to prevent the introduction of plant pests into the United States or their dissemination within the United States. The Plant Protection and Quarantine, a program within USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), enforce these regulations. APHIS requires artificially dwarfed plants that are imported into the United States to have been grown under certain conditions in greenhouses or screen houses within nurseries registered with the government of the country where the plants were grown.

Need and Use of the Information: APHIS will collect information from the phytosanitary certificate to state that the plants were: (1) Grown for at least 2 years in a nursery that is registered with the government of the country of export; (2) grown in pots containing only sterile growing media; (3) grown on benches at least 50 cm above the ground; and (4) inspected (along with the nursery itself) at least once each year by the plant protection service of the country of export. The collected information will enable PPQ to verify that the imported plants were grown under conditions that helped keep the plants free from infestation by certain longhorned beetles and other pests. APHIS also uses the information on this certificate to determine the pest condition of the shipment at the time of inspection in the foreign country. Without the information, all shipment would need to be inspected very thoroughly, thereby requiring considerably more time. This would slow the clearance of international shipments.

Description of Respondents: Business or other for-profit; Federal Government
Number of Respondents: 30

Frequency of Responses: Reporting; On occasion

Total Burden Hours: 38

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

Title: Importation of Plants for Planting

OMB Control Number: 0579-0279

Summary of Collection: Under the Plant Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7701 *et seq.*), the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to prohibit or restrict the importation, entry, exportation, or movement in interstate commerce of plant pests and other articles to prevent the introduction of plant pests into the United States or their dissemination within the United States. The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) regulations contained in "Subpart-Plants for Planting," §§ 319.37 through 319.37-14 (referred to as the

regulations), restricts among other things, the importation of living plants, plant parts, and seeds for propagation.

Need and Use of the Information: APHIS requires that some plants or plant products be accompanied by either a phytosanitary inspection certificates with additional declaration statements, grower registration and agreements, and production site registration for the export program. APHIS uses the information on these certificates to determine the pest condition of the shipment at the time of inspection in the foreign country. This information is used as a guide to the intensity of the inspection that APHIS must conduct when the shipment arrives. Without this information, APHIS could not verify that the imported plants for planting do not present a significant risk of introducing plant pests into the United States.

Description of Respondents: Business or other for-profit; Federal government

Number of Respondents: 60

Frequency of Responses: Reporting; On occasion

Total Burden Hours: 559

Ruth Brown,

Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket No. APHIS-2012-0104]

Privacy Act Systems of Records; Phytosanitary Certificate Issuance and Tracking System

AGENCY: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of a proposed new system of records; withdrawal.

SUMMARY: We are withdrawing a Privacy Act System of Records notice published on August 9, 2013, (78 FR 48642-48644). The system of records was the Phytosanitary Certificate Issuance and Tracking System, USDA-APHIS-13. The August 9, 2013, notice was a duplicate notice published in error; in this document, we are withdrawing the August 9, 2013, notice from publication.

DATES: Effective September 4, 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Christian B. Dellis, Export Services, Plant Health Programs, Plant Protection and Quarantine, APHIS, 4700 River Road Unit 140, Riverdale, MD 20737; (301) 851-2154.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On August 9, 2013, we published a notice in the **Federal Register** (79 FR 48642-48644, Docket No. APHIS-2012-0104) of a proposed new system of records to be added to our inventory of records systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended. The system of records that was the subject of the notice was the Phytosanitary Certificate Issuance and Tracking System, USDA-APHIS-13. We published this notice in error, as we had previously published the same notice¹ on June 24, 2013 (78 FR 37775-37777). We received no comments during the comment period for the June 2013 notice, and the system was adopted on August 5, 2013. Therefore, in this document, we are withdrawing the August 9, 2013, notice from publication.

Thomas J. Vilsack,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Wrangell-Petersburg Resource Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Wrangell-Petersburg Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will meet by video-teleconference in Wrangell, Alaska and Petersburg, Alaska. The committee is authorized under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act (the Act) and operates in compliance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The purpose of the Committee is to improve collaborative relationships and to provide advice and recommendations to the Forest Service concerning projects and funding consistent with Title II of the Act. The meeting is open to the public. The purpose of the meeting is to review progress of previously funded projects and, if the Act is reauthorized, to review project proposals and make recommendations for allocation of anticipated Title II funding to projects.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Saturday, September 28, 2013 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., or until business is concluded.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Wrangell Ranger District office at 525 Bennett Street in Wrangell, Alaska,

¹To view the notice, go to <http://www.regulations.gov/#!docketDetail;D=APHIS-2012-0104>.