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SWEET POTATO CERTIFICATION PROGRAM AND LIST OF AUTHORIZED GROWERS OF CERTIFIED SWEET POTATO PLANTS

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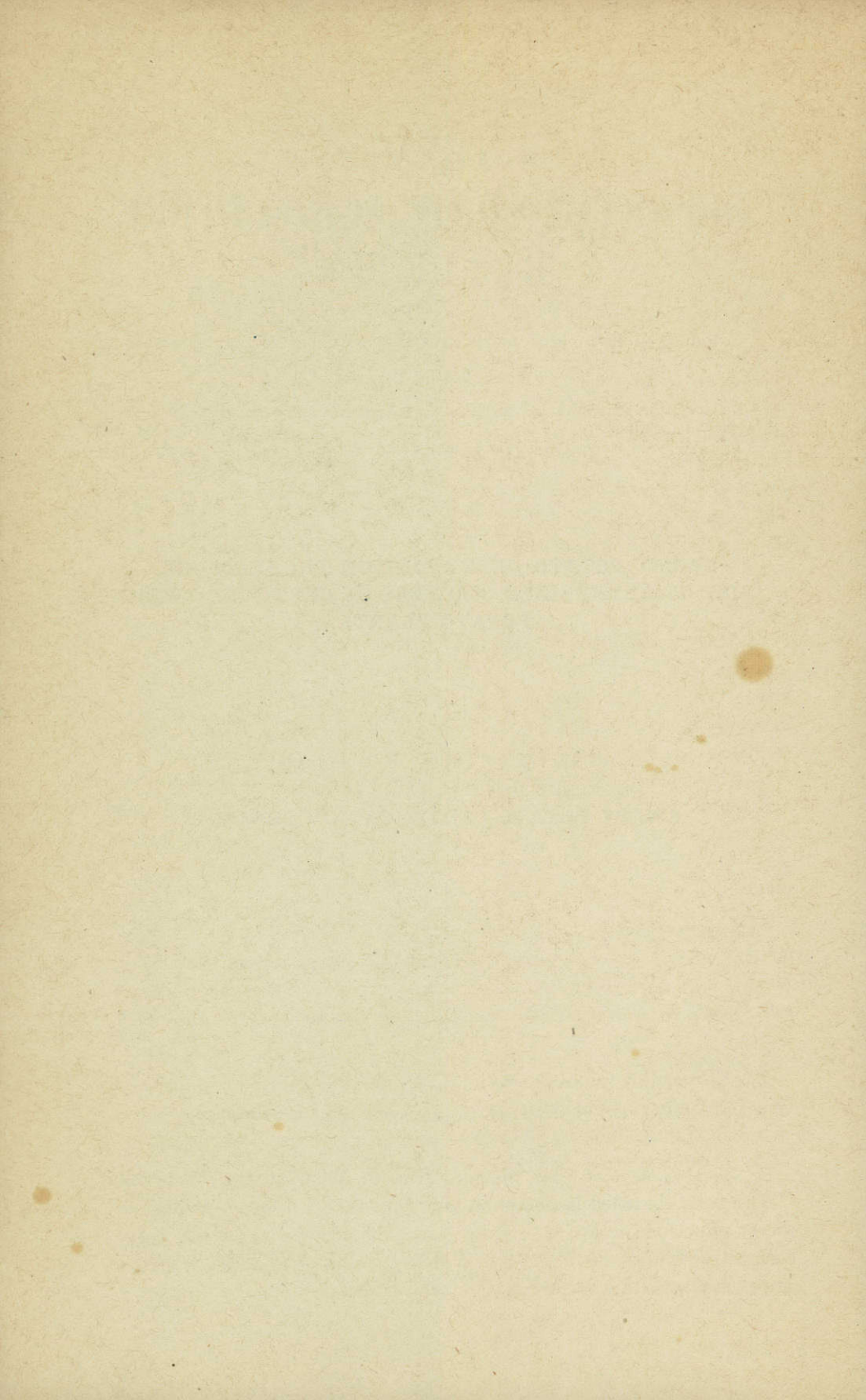
SWEET POTATO CERTIFICATION PROJECT



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PROGRAM FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE SWEET POTATO INDUSTRY OF TEXAS

Texas is recognized as an important sweet potato growing state, but the fact that possibilities of this industry have not been fully capitalized is evident on every hand. In the development, maintenance and protection of any agricultural industry, plant pests are always a vital factor. After a comprehensive survey of the State, certain potato growing areas were found to be free of the sweet potato weevil and have been designated as weevil free zones. The establishment of these pest free zones gives promise, not only to protect these areas from possible introduction of the sweet potato weevil, but also to encourage eradication programs in infested areas, with the ultimate hope of complete weevil eradication.

State proclamations have been enacted, under authority of the general pest control law, prohibiting the sale and distribution of sweet potato slips and seed sweet potatoes other than those inspected and certified. The specifications governing the certification of slips and seed sweet potatoes are included in this bulletin. Attention is called to the fact that the specifications for certification not only involves freedom from the sweet potato weevil, but fusarium wilt and other major potato pests. Certified seed sweet potatoes and the fungicidal treatment of such potatoes are prerequisites to the certification of slips.

In further keeping with this policy of stabilizing the potato industry in Texas, inter-state and intra-state regulations have been established governing the introduction of not only seed potatoes and potato slips, but commercial eating potatoes, into the pest free zones.

The proclamation establishing these zones is given as a part of this pamphlet. This progressive program as outlined should do much to stabilize the sweet potato industry in Texas without materially interfering with the general channels of trade.

The list of names included in this bulletin are those growers of sweet potato slips that have fully complied with the rules and regulations governing the certification of seed potatoes and sweet potato slips, and who are authorized to offer them for sale.

CAPTION

GENERAL PEST CONTROL LAW

An Act to authorize the Commissioner of Agriculture to establish, maintain and enforce quarantine regulations to protect the agricultural and horticultural interests of this State against the importation of dangerous insect pests and plant diseases from other States, and to protect any portions of this State against insect pests and plant diseases from other parts or sections of the State; to prohibit or restrict the sale and transportation of such plants and plant products as are known to carry insect pests and plant diseases; conferring full power and authority upon the Commissioner of Agriculture to deal with dangerous fruit and crops pests and plant diseases in such manner as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this Act; authorizing the establishment of pest-free zones; providing for hearings to be held by the Chief Entomologist of the Department of Agriculture and the Commissioners' Courts, and others who may be designated to conduct such hearings; providing for notice of such hearings, and reports of the proceedings had; providing for appeal from the decision of the Commissioner of Agriculture; providing for the "control" or "eradication" zones upon recommendation from the Commissioners' Court of any County; making it the duty of the Commissioner of Agriculture to cause an investigation to be made of the existence of any dangerous pest or plant disease in any area when requested by the Commissioners' Court; providing for the Commissioners' Court to hold hearings and report its findings or recommendations to the Commissioner of Agriculture; providing for the destruction of any fruits, vegetables, plants, shrubs, or carrier of dangerous insect pests and plant diseases, when found to be infected or when shipped or transported in violation of law or of any legally authorized quarantine proclamation issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture; providing that carriers shall not be liable for damages by refusing to transport any product in violation of quarantine regulations; providing for the issuance of emergency quarantines, without due notice and hearing, such emergency quarantines to extend for a period of thirty (30) days; but may be perpetuated after legal notice and a hearing; validating quarantines or control zones now in effect; authorizing the Commissioners' Courts, to appropriate funds to carry into effect the provisions of this Act, in the eradication or control of pests and diseases affecting their respective Counties; making this Act cumulative, and repealing laws in conflict therewith; providing penalties and declaring an emergency.

**RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE INSPECTION
AND CERTIFICATION OF SWEET POTATO SEED AND
SWEET POTATO SLIPS IN CONFORMITY TO THE
PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 15, SECOND CALL-
ED SESSION OF THE 41 LEGISLATURE**

I, Geo. B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, by virtue of duties imposed and power in me vested by the laws of the State of Texas, hereby publish a list of plants produced for sale and transplanting liable to carry infestation of the sweet potato weevil, nematode gall worms or dangerous fungus and bacterial diseases of valuable agricultural and horticultural crops, and hereby promulgate the following rules and regulations governing the inspection of seed beds or propagation grounds where such plants are produced for sale and transplanting, and certification of plants therefrom.

List of Plants

Sweet potatoes

Morning-glories

Rules and Regulations

Regulation 1.

No sweet potato slips, vines, draws, or cuttings, or morning glory plants shall be shipped or offered for shipment, carried or transported to one part of the State from another, sold or exposed for sale, unless and until they have attached to each package thereof a certificate, issued under authority of the Commissioner of Agriculture, showing that they are free from dangerous insect pests and plant diseases.

Regulation 2. Certified seed potatoes.

(a) Sweet potatoes will not be certified for seed unless they are grown at least three (3) miles distant from any area known or found to be infested by the sweet potato weevil, *Cylas formicarius*.

(b) Qualified inspectors must visit the fields of growing potatoes between the first day of July and the first day of November, and again examine the potatoes in storage. They shall report the per cent of black rot and the per cent of other diseases they find to exist, and shall state whether or not any sweet potato weevil is in evidence.

(c) If such potatoes are found apparently free from dangerous diseases, and free from the sweet potato weevil, and in no wise

contaminated with such diseases or weevil, certificate to this effect for each bushel or other unit or units, at option of the owner thereof, shall be granted by authority of the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas. Such certificate may be transferred with the transfer of the seed potatoes, and shall finally be delivered to the inspector, as provided in Regulation 3a.

(d) Applications for certification of seed potatoes shall be filed with the Commissioner of Agriculture not later than August 15th of the year of their production.

Regulation 3. Certified sweet potato plants.

(a) Only certified seed potatoes shall be used for bedding. As evidence of this fact, the original seed potato certificates issued by the Commissioner shall be delivered intact to the inspector of the Department of Agriculture.

(b) Except under such safeguards as may be prescribed by an inspector prior to bedding, potatoes shall be bedded on ground not theretofore used for the growing or bedding of sweet potatoes, and be removed at least 300 feet from such area, and no boards, straw, fertilizer, or any other materials or substances whatsoever that have been used in potato beds or in connection with sweet potato storage, shall be used about such potato beds.

(c) Immediately before bedding, seed potatoes shall be dipped for 5 minutes in a solution, made by dissolving 4 ounces of corrosive sublimate in 30 gallons of water in wooden vessels, or they shall be dipped for 5 minutes in a solution of formaldehyde, made by adding 1 pint of commercial formalin to 30 gallons of water.

(d) Seed potatoes shall be bedded at least 1 mile from any area infested by the sweet potato weevil.

(e) Except when the potato beds are located in an officially declared "weevil-free zone," the grounds upon which the potatoes are to be bedded shall be examined by an inspector of the Department of Agriculture prior to the first frost in the fall previous to such production of slips.

(f) Except in counties known to be free from the sweet potato weevil and stem rot, applications for certification of slips shall be filed with the Commission of Agriculture by the 15th day of August in the year previous to the time of certifying.

(g) Potato beds shall be subject to an examination by an inspector of the Department of Agriculture before certificates are issued. Certificates shall be furnished by the Department of Agriculture at the expense of the applicants, for each shipment made or package of plants exposed for sale.

(h) All persons, firms or corporations selling sweet potato slips, shall keep, in a well-bound book, a complete list of all sales and shipments, showing the name and address of the person shipped or sold to, the number of packages with certificates attached, and the number of plants in each, and the date of each sale or shipment. Such list shall be examined at the end of the season by an inspector of the Department of Agriculture, and all unused certificates destroyed in his presence.

Regulation 4.

Certification may be refused or certificates may be cancelled for the following causes:

(a) The finding of infestation of dangerous plant disease or insect on the potatoes or plants certified.

(b) Any unwarranted use of certificates or failure to keep proper records.

(c) The failure of the possessor of the potatoes or plants to exercise due precautions to prevent the spread of insect pests or plant diseases on products described herein and sold or offered for sale by him.

(d) Any unwarranted use of certificates or failure to keep proper records.

Regulation 5.

Nothing herein shall be construed to interfere in any way with the production of sweet potato slips for home use, nor the production of seed potatoes not offered for sale or transfer, nor the production and sale of sweet potatoes for eating purposes. (See note)

Given under my hand and seal of office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 19th day of July, A. D. 1929.

GEO. B. TERRELL.

Commissioner of Agriculture.

(SEAL)

Note: Sweet potatoes, sweet potato plants or vines for any purpose will not be allowed to be carried into any area in this State declared to be "Weevil-free," unless accompanied by special certificate from the Department of Agriculture, showing them to be free from the sweet potato weevil.

(See regulations governing this subject and the importation of sweet potatoes and sweet potato plants into this State).

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
APPLICATION FOR TAGS, AGREEMENT AND OBLIGATION
OF GROWERS

Name..... County.....

Address..... Date.....

This is to certify that I have bedded for this (1930) season, only seed sweet potatoes that were State certified stock and were produced according to the laws of this State and the rules and regulations of the State Department of Agriculture.

My State Certificate number is.....: I have bedded..... bushels; I have sold or have for sale.....bushels.

I further certify that the potatoes that I bedded were dipped in a solution, the formula of which was approved by the Department of Agriculture, and that all potatoes showing signs of disease, decay, or decayed spots were removed before bedding. Barn yard manure was not used for fertilizer in beds.

The ground on which my potatoes were bedded has not been heretofore used for potato growing to my knowledge and the ground is not infested with morning glory vines or other wild host plants of the sweet potato weevil.

I further certify that I have made a careful inspection of all sweet potato beds within a mile radius of my potato beds and no infestation of the sweet potato weevil was found.

I have complied with the rules and regulations governing the production of certified sweet potato seed and sweet potato slips, and I fully understand that any violation of the rules and regulations will revoke my certificate.

Signed.....

I hereby make application for.....certificates for potato slips and.....certificate shipping tags.

Signed.....

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE QUARANTINE
PROCLAMATION NO. 28
ESTABLISHING PEST FREE ZONES

WHEREAS, the sweet potato weevil, *Cylas formicarius*, is not known to exist in the following Counties: **Zone 1**—El Paso and Hudspeth; **Zone 2**—Taylor, Callahan, Shackelford, Stephens, Coleman, Eastland, Comanche, Brown, Palo Pinto, Erath, Hood, Somervell and Parker; **Zone 3**—Montague, Wise, Tarrant, Johnson, Henderson, Ellis, Navarro, Harrison, Marion, Cass, Titus, Red River, Bowie, Morris, Franklin, Camp, Wood, Van Zandt, Rains, Hopkins, Delta, Lamar, Hunt, Kaufman, Rockwall, Dallas, Denton, Collin, Grayson, Fannin and Cooke; and

WHEREAS, the growing of sweet potatoes is an important industry in the uninfested Counties of the State; and

WHEREAS, the introduction of the sweet potato weevil into the zones which are not as yet affected by this pest would result in serious loss to the territory involved; and

WHEREAS, the sweet potato weevil is known to exist in many parts of Texas and other states; and

WHEREAS, the principal means of spread of the sweet potato weevil is the distribution of infested sweet potato slips and sweet potatoes; and

WHEREAS, the distribution of sweet potato slips is regulated by State Quarantine Proclamation No. 10; and

WHEREAS, there is at present no adequate regulations regarding the intrastate movement of sweet potatoes in this State and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 15, Second Called Session of the 41st Legislature, public hearings were held regarding the subject of this quarantine, after due and formal notice, in the respective zones as follows: **Zone 1**—El Paso, on August 14; **Zone**

2—Eastland, on September 14; **Zone 3**—Winnsboro, Texas, on September 30, 1929.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Geo. B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, State of Texas, by virtue of power conferred upon me by Chapter 15, Second Called Session of the 41st Legislature, do hereby declare the area and Counties comprising Zones 1, 2 and 3, as defined in this proclamation, as "Pest-Free Zones," free from the sweet potato weevil, and prohibit the importation of sweet potatoes into these zones from without, except under special permit from the Commissioner of Agriculture. Permits will be issued only where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Agriculture that the potatoes involved are free from weevil infestation or weevil contamination; such weevil-free determination to be based upon inspection which may include seed bed, field, storage and car examination. Either or all of the types of inspection listed may be required at the discretion of the Commissioner when in his judgment such procedure is necessary to effect an adequate determination. Applications for such special permits must be made upon blanks for this purpose, furnished by the Commissioner of Agriculture. The special permit shall be designated, on each container, by a green permit tag, issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture and bearing his fac-simile signature. Provided, however, that the intra-zone movement of sweet potatoes between Zones 2 and 3 may be made without special permit, but that all potatoes moving into Zone 1 from any locality outside the zone must bear a special permit tag.

HEREAFTER, AND UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, all shipments of sweet potatoes not duly permitted under this Quarantine Order are denied admittance into the Counties listed in the respective Zones 1, 2 and 3, and upon arrival of any sweet potatoes as quarantined against in this proclamation the same shall be immediately sent out of the Zone or destroyed at the option and expense of the owner, consignee or agent, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 15, Second Called Session of the 41st Legislature.

All inspectors of the State Department of Agriculture are here by empowered to carry out the provisions of this proclamation. All railroad, express, motor-bus, motor-freight, steamship lines, and all other kind and character of common and private carriers entering Texas shall take due notice of this Proclamation of Quarantine and be governed thereby; provided, however, that no transportation company or common carrier shall, under the provisions of Chapter 15, Second Called Session of the 41st Legislature, be liable for damages to the consignee or consignor for refusing to receive for transportation or delivery any sweet potatoes which may be quarantined against by the Commissioner of Agriculture under authority of this proclamation.

THIS PROCLAMATION TO BECOME EFFECTIVE December 23, 1929.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, in the City of Austin, Texas, on this 9th day of December, A. D., 1929.

GEO. B. TERRELL,

(SEAL)

Commissioner of Agriculture.

**NOTICE OF QUARANTINE AGAINST THE FREE
IMPORTATION OF SWEET POTATOES AND
SWEET POTATO PLANTS INTO TEXAS**

SEE QUARANTINE PROCLAMATION NO. 28 FOR INTER-
STATE AND INTRASTATE SHIPPING REGULA-
TIONS TO PEST ZONES 1, 2, 3.

The facts have been determined that the disease of the sweet potato, known as Vine Rot, new to and not heretofore widely distributed in this state, exists outside of Texas; that sweet potato seed and plants may and do distribute this plant disease and other plant diseases and insect pests of the sweet potato from one locality to another; that the sweet potato weevil exists in certain areas outside of Texas; and that there are large areas within the State of Texas in which this pest is new to and not heretofore widely distributed.

Therefore, I, Geo. B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, by virtue of authority vested in me by the laws of Texas, do, by these presents, give notice of quarantine against the shipment into this state of sweet potatoes and sweet potato slips, vines, or cuttings, except in conformity to rules and regulations supplemental hereto, effective, on and after September 15, 1927.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Austin, on this the 6th day of September, A. D. 1927.

(SIGNED)

GEO. B. TERRELL,

(SEAL)

Commissioner of Agriculture.

REGULATIONS.

Regulation 1. **Definitions.** The words "sweet potato weevil," as used herein, shall be construed to mean the insect, *Cylas formicarius*, Fab. The term "vine rot" shall be construed to mean the disease of the sweet potato caused by the fungi known as *Fusarium batatatis*, Wr., and *Fusarium hyperoxysporum*, Wr. The term "black rot" shall be construed to mean the disease of the sweet

potato caused by the fungus *Sphaeronema fimbriatum* (E. & H.) Sac. The word "person," as used herein, shall be construed to mean an individual, firm or corporation.

Regulation 2. Sweet potato slips, vines or cuttings, may be shipped into this state from any point outside only when a permit is granted therefor by authority of the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas, such permits to be issued under the following conditions: Persons desiring to ship sweet potato plants into this state shall make application for permit to the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas, which shall be accompanied by a statement by the entomologist or chief quarantine official of the State of Origin, showing such plants have been produced under conditions essentially similiar to the conditions prescribed by the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas for the production, sale and distribution of sweet potato plants produced in this state.

Regulation 3. Provisions of this quarantine shall not apply to sweet potato tubers, except such as originate in areas herein or that may be hereafter defined as areas infested with the sweet potato weevil. The following areas are defined as areas infested with the sweet potato weevil:

All that part of Louisiana south of the northern boundary line of the parishes of Beauregard, Allen, Evangeline, St. Landry, Point Coupee, West Feliciana, East Feliciana, St. Helena, Tangipahoa, Washington, and all that area within a radius of fifteen miles of Glenmora, in the parish of Rapides.

In Mississippi, the counties of Jackson, Harrison, Hancock, George and Pearl River.

Regulation 4. Sweet potatoes originating in any area defined as infested with the sweet potato weevil shall be admitted into this state only under the following conditions:

(a) Persons desiring to ship sweet potatoes into this state from such areas shall be a person, firm or corporation entitled under the laws of the state of origin to ship sweet potatoes intrastate.

(b) Application shall be made to the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas for permit to ship, and an agreement signed by the person proposing to ship that no sweet pota-

atoes infested with the sweet potato weevil will be transported into this state by him, and shall give a bond in the sum of \$2000, payable to the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas, conditioned on the applicant's taking out of the state any sweet potatoes infested with the sweet potato weevil that may be shipped by him into Texas.

(c) When permit is granted, authorizing the applicant to ship into Texas, then each sack or box so shipped shall have attached thereto a statement prepared by the Commissioner of Agriculture, showing such potatoes are guaranteed to be free from the sweet potato weevil by the shipper thereof, and each such shipment shall be accompanied by certificate of the entomologist or chief quarantine official of the state of origin, showing that they have been examined and found to be free from the sweet potato weevil.

(d) When it appears that any person who has been granted permit to ship into Texas is not keeping in good faith the agreement signed by him, or for any other reason the shipment into Texas by him of sweet potatoes endangers the sweet potato industry of this state, the Commissioner of Agriculture may, at his discretion, cancel such permits as have been issued.

Regulation 5. Common carriers are hereby notified not to accept for delivery into this state any sweet potato plants from any point, unless the same are accompanied by a permit issued under authority of the Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas. Sweet potatoes may be accepted for delivery into this state from all points, except the areas herein or that may hereafter be defined as infested with the sweet potato weevil. From such areas so defined sweet potatoes may be accepted for delivery into Texas on the conditions that they are accompanied by a certificate issued under the authority of the entomologist or chief quarantine official of the state of origin, which certificate shall state that such potatoes have been examined and found free from the sweet potato weevil, and that each sack or container of such potatoes has attached to it such statement as is required by these regulations.



**LIST OF AUTHORIZED GROWERS OF CERTIFIED
SWEET POTATO PLANTS ARRANGED ALPHA-
BETICALLY ACCORDING TO TOWNS**

Name	Address	State	No. Cert.
Abilene Nursery	Abilene	Texas	170
Miller, J. H.	Carthage	"	328
Henry, J. C.	Chico	"	288
Highland Springs Farm	Cisco	"	326
Wm., Pickering	Clarendon	"	324
E. W., Tucker	Coppell	"	337
**Sears Roebuck and Co.	Dallas	"	337
**Montgomery Ward & Co.	Fort Worth	"	285
Thurman, Roy G.	Gainesville, Rt. 3	"	51
Frederick, J. G.	Garrison	"	183
McComie, J. C.	Gladewater	"	137
Bradshaw, J. B.	Gordonsville	"	47
Shivers, F. M.	Grand Saline	"	112
Washman, C. F.	Grand Saline	"	109
Lewis, W. L.	Grand Saline	"	110
Graham, W. A.	Guion	"	170
Shaw, G. C.	Henderson	"	178
Fundren, C. F.	Hubbard	"	321
Hughes, Springs Potato Curing Co.	Hughes Springs	"	136
Jackson, A. Lewis	Ivanhoe	"	65
Smith, J. A.	Jefferson	"	3
Starnes & Flemings	Lindale	"	138
McKnight, T. E.	Lindale	"	139
Lacy, R.	Longview	"	185
Vana, J. A.	Mart	"	145
McGee, H. W. Jr.	Marshall, Rt. 5, Bx. 145	Texas	289
Perry Robinson Plant Farm	Memphis	"	223
Rhea, Knox	Mt. Pleasant	"	325
Roach, Jesse W.	Mt. Pleasant	"	16
Titus Plant Co.	Mt. Pleasant	"	285
J. E. Goats	Mt. Pleasant	"	15
Cargile, J. H.	Mt. Vernon	"	239
Killingsworth, C. W.	Mt. Vernon	"	238
Beal, N. R.	Nacona	"	55
Moore Bros.	Navasota	"	119
Barrett, T. H.	Newsome	"	165
Vickers, J. H.	Omaha	"	20
Ball, J. L.	Omaha	"	29
Right, J. R.	Omaha	"	285
Thigpen Wright Co.	Omaha	"	27

Name	Address	State	No. Cert.
Brown, A. G.	Omaha	Texas	23
Boozer, J. J.	Omaha	"	21
Cook, W. M.	Omaha	"	8
Witt, W. T.	Omaha	"	22
Boozer, Rhea	Omaha	"	19
Davis, J. E.	Omaha	"	18
Parham, J. E.	Omaha	"	126
Penn, R. A.	Pittsburg	"	283
Sewell, James	Pittsburg	"	35
Clark & Capps	Pittsburg	"	36
McClure, C. H.	Pittsburg	"	39
Bochman, E. B.	Pittsburg	"	38
Tom Aldridge	Pittsburg	"	102
W. F. Duncan	Pittsburg	"	37
Pittsburg Storage Co.	Pittsburg	"	10
Gillispie, G. L.	Pittsburg	"	198
Landers, R. H.	Pittsburg	"	107
Sewell, E. L.	Pittsburg	"	31
Sewell, A. L.	Pittsburg	"	33
Sewell, W. E.	Pittsburg	"	30
Carpender, S. D.	Pittsburg	"	282
Hackler & Kent	Pittsburg	"	77
Smith, Fladge	Queen City	"	120
Queen Plant Co.	Queen City	"	132
Smith, H. M.	Queen City	"	128
Barnes, Sam T.	Sadler	"	49
Massey, Ollie C.	Streeter	"	114
Brogitte, C. C.	Sulphur Springs	"	196
Horn, H. M.	Sulphur Springs	"	121
Hamerick, C. J.	Sulphur Springs	"	184
Word Seed Store	Texarkana	"	74
Burris, J. C.	Texarkana Rt 2, Bx 108	"	75
Williams, R. S.	Texarkana	"	73
**Union Plant Co.	Texarkana	"	71
**Farmers Plant Co.	Texarkana	"	73
Marcus Smith Plant Co.	Tyler	"	2
Theford Plant Co.	Tyler	"	138-18-21
Fielder, L. H.	Whitesboro	"	338
Hays, J. A.	Whitesboro	Texas	44
Brooks, R. A.	Whitesboro	"	55
Roland, G. W.	Whitesboro	"	332
West, Walter L.	Whitesboro	"	54
Scheid, A. F.	Whitesboro	"	50
McDaniels, C. M.	Whitesboro	"	52
Allen, John O.	Whitesboro	"	60

Name	Address	State	No. Cert.
Rich, O. B.	Whitesboro, Star Rt.	Texas	42
Moore, Orval	Whitesboro, Rt. 1	"	57
Tamplin, W. E.	Whitesboro	"	46
Marlin, E. J.	Whitesboro	"	53
Moore, Ed.	Whitesboro, Rt. 1	"	61
Cooper, W. H.	Whitesboro	"	47
J. G. Estes & Son	Whitesboro	"	43
Moore, Ernest	Whitesboro	"	44
Fielder, J. W.	Whitesboro, Rt. 1	"	58
Tamplin, A. G.	Whitesboro	"	48
Holt, J. H.	Whitesboro, Rt. 2	"	45
Durrett, R. C.	Whitesboro	"	59
Houston, Harris L.	Winfield	"	185
J. L. Garretson & Son	Winfield	"	6
Nabors, W. A.	Winfield	"	115
Brown, O. W.	Winfield	"	114
Davis, J. W.	Winfield	"	116

**Dealers with official recognition on tags who have contracted with certified growers for plants for resale.