

BIOSECURITY IMPORT RISK ANALYSIS

(BIRA)

Scientific advisory

group is appointed and

consulted as needed

throughout BIRA

process.

Public consultation period open for 60 calendar days.

If IGB accepts, they will notify and undertake a review of the BIRA process.

Stakeholders can request the Inspectoreneral of Biosecurity (IGB) to review the BIRA process.

IGB report produced and will be considered in the preparation of the final report.

A BIRA can be undertaken when:

- it is deemed appropriate by the Director of Biosecurity or the Minister of Agriculture, or
- relevant risk management measures have not been established, or
- relevant risk management measures exist for a similar good and pest or disease combination, but the likelihood and/or consequences of entry, establishment or spread of pests or diseases could differ significantly from those previously assessed.









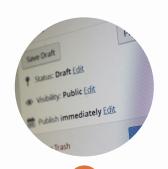




















Import market access request received.

Announcement made.

Issues paper published. Preparation of draft report.

Draft report published.

Consideration of all comments.

Preparation of provisional report.

Provisional report published.

Preparation of final report.

Final report published.

Import conditions published on Biosecurity Import Conditions system (BICON).

Trade can commence (may include import permit).



In-country visit/s if required



30 months

(may be extended if time is stopped to allow for input and review of information)



Stakeholders notified