



NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

FOR REPEAL OF

“Rules Pertaining to the Quarantine against Importation of Symptomless Carriers of Peach Mosaic into Mesa County”

8 CCR 1203-17

Notice is hereby given pursuant to § 24-4-103 C.R.S. that the Department of Agriculture will hold a public rulemaking hearing:

DATE: May 24, 2016
TIME: 9:00am
LOCATION: Colorado Department of Agriculture
Big Thompson Conference Room
305 Interlocken Parkway
Broomfield, Colorado 80021

The purpose of this rulemaking is to repeal the “Rules Pertaining to the Quarantine against Importation of Symptomless Carriers of Peach Mosaic into Mesa County Colorado” rules codified at 8 CCR 1203-17.

The statutory authority for these rules is § 35-4-110 C.R.S.

Any interested party may file written comment with the Commissioner’s office prior to the hearing, or present at the aforementioned hearing written data, views or arguments. A copy of the proposed rule is available on the Department of Agriculture’s website at www.colorado.gov/ag or may be obtained by calling 303-869-9004. The proposed rule shall be available for public inspection at the Colorado Department of Agriculture at 305 Interlocken Parkway, Broomfield, Colorado during regular business hours.



DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Plant Industry Division

RULES PERTAINING TO THE QUARANTINE AGAINST IMPORTATION OF SYMPTONLESS CARRIERS OF PEACH MOSAIC INTO MESA COUNTY

8 CCR 1203-17

Statement of Basis and Purpose

Adopted June 8, 2016-Effective July 30, 2016

Statutory Authority

The deletion of this Rule is proposed by the Commissioner of the Colorado Department of Agriculture pursuant to his authority under section 35-4-110 C.R.S. of the Colorado Pest Control Act.

Purpose

The purpose of this permanent rule amendment is to repeal the Rules currently published at 8 CCR 1203-17 in their entirety.

Factual and Policy Issues

1. On February 10, 2016 8 CCR 1203-16, Rules Pertaining to "Quarantine against Importation of Symptomless Carriers for Peach Mosaic into Mesa County, Colorado" were repealed in their entirety.
2. 8 CCR 1203-17, is a companion Rule to 8 CCR 1203-16 which outlines cost recovery for enforcement actions mandated in 8 CCR 1203-16.
3. Since 8 CCR 1203-16 was previously repealed, 8 CCR 1203-17 in no longer needed.