

*Person.* Any association, company, corporation, firm, individual, joint stock company, partnership, society, or any other legal entity.

*Reproducing colony.* A combination of one or more imported fire ant workers and one or more of the following immature imported fire ant forms: Eggs, larvae, or pupae.

*Soil.* Any non-liquid combination of organic and/or inorganic material in which plants can grow.

*Soil-moving equipment.* Equipment used for moving or transporting soil, including, but not limited to, bulldozers, dump trucks, or road scrapers.

*State.* The District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, or any State, territory, or possession of the United States.

#### § 301.81-2 Regulated articles.

The following are regulated articles:

(a) Imported fire ant queens and reproducing colonies of imported fire ants.<sup>1</sup>

(b) Soil,<sup>2</sup> separately or with other articles, except potting soil that is shipped in original containers in which the soil was placed after commercial preparation.

(c) Baled hay and baled straw stored in direct contact with the ground;

(d) Plants and sod with roots and soil attached, except plants maintained indoors in a home or office environment and not for sale;

(e) Used soil-moving equipment, unless removed of all noncompacted soil; and

(f) Any other article or means of conveyance when:

(1) An inspector determines that it presents a risk of spread of the imported fire ant due to its proximity to an infestation of the imported fire ant; and

(2) The person in possession of the product, article, or means of convey-

ance has been notified that it is regulated under this subpart.

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#### § 301.81-3 Quarantined areas.

(a) The Administrator will quarantine each State or each portion of a State that is infested.

(b) Less than an entire State will be listed as a quarantined area only if the Administrator determines that:

(1) The State has adopted and is enforcing restrictions on the intrastate movement of the regulated articles listed in §301.81-2 that are equivalent to the interstate movement restrictions imposed by this subpart; and

(2) Designating less than the entire State as a quarantined area will prevent the spread of the imported fire ant.

(c) The Administrator may include uninfested acreage within a quarantined area due to its proximity to an infestation or inseparability from the infested locality for quarantine purposes, as determined by:

(1) Projections of spread of imported fire ant around the periphery of the infestation, as determined by previous years' surveys;

(2) Availability of natural habitats and host materials, within the uninfested acreage, suitable for establishment and survival of imported fire ant populations; and

(3) Necessity of including uninfested acreage within the quarantined area in order to establish readily identifiable boundaries.

(d) The Administrator or an inspector may temporarily designate any nonquarantined area as a quarantined area in accordance with the criteria specified in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of this section. The Administrator will give written notice of this designation to the owner or person in possession of the nonquarantined area, or, in the case of publicly owned land, to the person responsible for the management of the nonquarantined area; thereafter, the interstate movement of any regulated article from an area temporarily designated as a quarantined area is subject to this subpart. As soon as

<sup>1</sup>Permit and other requirements for the interstate movement of imported fire ants are contained in part 330 of this chapter.

<sup>2</sup>The movement of soil from Puerto Rico is subject to additional provisions in part 330 of this chapter.

practicable, this area either will be added to the list of designated quarantined areas in paragraph (e) of this section, or the Administrator will terminate the designation. The owner or person in possession of, or, in the case of publicly owned land, the person responsible for the management of, an area for which the designation is terminated will be given written notice of the termination as soon as practicable.

(e) The areas described below are designated as quarantined areas:

ALABAMA

The entire State.

ARKANSAS

- Ashley County. The entire county.
- Bradley County. The entire county.
- Calhoun County. The entire county.
- Chicot County. The entire county.
- Clark County. The entire county.
- Cleveland County. The entire county.
- Columbia County. The entire county.
- Dallas County. The entire county.
- Desha County. The entire county.
- Drew County. The entire county.
- Garland County. The entire county.
- Grant County. That portion of the county south of the south line T. 5 S. and east of State Highway 167. That portion of the county south of U.S. Highway 270, including the corporate city limits of Sheridan.
- Hempstead County. That portion of the county south of Interstate 30, including all of the incorporated city limits of Hope. That portion of the county south of Arkansas Highway 24.
- Hot Springs County. The entire county.
- Howard County. The entire county.
- Jefferson County. The entire county.
- Lafayette County. The entire county.
- Lincoln County. The entire county.
- Little River County. The entire county.
- Miller County. The entire county.
- Nevada County. That portion of the county south of the south line of T. 10 S. and the Little Missouri River.
- Ouachita County. The entire county.
- Pike County. The entire county.
- Pulaski County. The entire county.
- Saline County. The entire county.
- Sevier County. The entire county.
- Union County. The entire county.

CALIFORNIA

*Los Angeles County.* That portion of Los Angeles County in the Cerritos area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Artesia Boulevard and Marquardt Avenue; then south along Marquardt Avenue to the Los Angeles/Orange County Line; then south and west along the Los Angeles/Orange

County Line to Carson Street; then west along Carson Street to Norwalk Boulevard; then north along Norwalk Boulevard to Centralia Street; then west along Centralia Street to Pioneer Boulevard; then north along Pioneer Boulevard to South Street; then east along South Street to Norwalk Boulevard; then north along Norwalk Boulevard to 183rd Street; then east along 183rd Street to Bloomfield Avenue; then north along Bloomfield Avenue to Artesia Boulevard; then east along Artesia Boulevard to the point of beginning.

That portion of Los Angeles County in the Azusa area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Irwindale Avenue and Foothill Boulevard; then east along Foothill Boulevard to Azusa Avenue; then south along Azusa Avenue to East Fifth Street; then east along East Fifth Street to North Cerritos Avenue; then south along North Cerritos Avenue to Arrow Highway; then west along Arrow Highway to Azusa Avenue, then south along Azusa Avenue to Covina Boulevard; then west along an imaginary line to the intersection of Martinez Street and Irwindale Avenue; then north along Irwindale Avenue to the point of beginning.

*Orange County.* The entire county.

*Riverside County.* That portion of Riverside County in the Indio area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Avenue 50 and Jackson Street; then south along Jackson Street to 54th Avenue; then west along 54th Avenue to Madison Street; then north along Madison Street to Avenue 50; then east along Avenue 50 to the point of beginning.

That portion of Riverside County in the Moreno Valley area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Reche Vista Drive and Canyon Ranch Road; then southeast along Canyon Ranch Road to Valley Ranch Road; then east along Valley Ranch Road to Michael Way; then south along Michael Way to Casey Court; then east along Casey Court to the Moreno Valley City Limits; then south and east along the Moreno Valley City Limits to Pico Vista Way; then southwest along Pico Vista Way to Los Olivos Drive; then south along Los Olivos Drive to Jaclyn Avenue; then west along Jaclyn Avenue to Perris Boulevard; then south along Perris Boulevard to Kalmia Avenue; then west along Kalmia Avenue to Hubbard Street; then north along Hubbard Street to Nightfall Way; then west and south along Nightfall Way to Sundial Way; then west along Sundial Way to Indian Avenue; then south along Indian Avenue to Ebbside Lane; then west along Ebbside Lane to Ridgecrest Lane; then south along Ridgecrest Lane to Moonraker Lane; then west along Moonraker Lane to Davis Street; then south along Davis Street to Gregory Lane; then west along Gregory Lane to Heacock Street; then northwest along an imaginary line to the intersection of Lake Valley Drive and Breezy Meadow

Drive; then north along Breezy Meadow Drive to its intersection with Stony Creek; then north along an imaginary line to the intersection of Old Lake Drive and Sunnymead Ranch Parkway; then northwest along Sunnymead Ranch Parkway to El Granito Street; then east along El Granito Street to Lawless Road; then east along an imaginary line to the intersection of Heacock Street and Reche Vista Drive; then north along Reche Vista Drive to the point of beginning.

That portion of Riverside County in the Bermuda Dunes, Palm Desert, and Rancho Mirage areas bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Ramon Road and Bob Hope Drive; then south along Bob Hope Drive to Dinah Shore Drive; then east along Dinah Shore Drive to Key Largo Avenue; then south along Key Largo Avenue to Gerald Ford Drive; then west along Gerald Ford Drive to Bob Hope Drive; then south along Bob Hope Drive to Frank Sinatra Drive; then east along Frank Sinatra Drive to Vista Del Sol; then south along Vista Del Sol to Country Club Drive; then east along Country Club Drive to Adams Street; then south along Adams Street to 42nd Avenue; then east along 42nd Avenue to Tranquillo Place; then south along Tranquillo Place to its intersection with Harbour Court; then southwest along an imaginary line to the intersection of Granada Drive and Caballeros Drive; then southeast along Caballeros Drive to Kingston Drive; then west along Kingston Drive to Mandeville Road; then east along Mandeville Road to Port Maria Road; then south along Port Maria Road to Fred Waring Drive; then west along Fred Waring Drive to its intersection with Dune Palms Road; then southwest along an imaginary line to the intersection of Adams Street and Miles Avenue; then west along Miles Avenue to Washington Street; then northwest along Washington Street to Fred Waring Drive; then west along Fred Waring Drive to Joshua Road; then north along Joshua Road to Park View Drive; then west along Park View Drive to State Highway 111; then northwest along State Highway 111 to Magnesia Fall Drive; then west along Magnesia Fall Drive to Gardess Road; then northwest along Gardess Road to Dunes View Road; then northeast along Dunes View Road to Halgar Road; then northwest along Halgar Road to Indian Trail Road; then northeast along Indian Trail Road to Mirage Road; then north along Mirage Road to State Highway 111; then northwest along State Highway 111 to Frank Sinatra Drive; then west along Frank Sinatra Drive to Da Vall Drive; then north along Da Vall Drive to Ramon Road; then east along Ramon Road to the point of beginning.

That portion of Riverside County in the Palm Springs area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Tramway Road,

State Highway 111, and San Rafael Drive; then east along San Rafael Drive to Indian Canyon Drive; then south along Indian Canyon Drive to Francis Drive; then east along Francis Drive to North Farrell Drive; then south along North Farrell Drive to Verona Road; then east along Verona Road to Whitewater Club Drive; then east along an imaginary line to the intersection of Verona Road and Ventura Drive; then east along Verona Road to Avenida Maravilla; then east and south along Avenida Maravilla to 30th Avenue; then west along 30th Avenue to its end; then due west along an imaginary line to the Whitewater River; then southeast along the Whitewater River to Dinah Shore Drive; then west along an imaginary line to the east end of 34th Avenue; then west along 34th Avenue to Golf Club Drive; then south along Golf Club Drive to East Palm Canyon Drive; then south along an imaginary line to the intersection of Desterto Vista and Palm Hills Drive; then south along Palm Hills Drive to its end; then southwest along an imaginary line to the intersection of Murray Canyon and Palm Canyon Drive; then northwest along Palm Canyon Drive to the Palm Springs city limits; then west and north along Palm Springs city limits to Tahquitz Creek; then due north along an imaginary line to Tramway Road; then northeast along Tramway Road to the point of beginning.

FLORIDA

The entire State.

GEORGIA

Appling County. The entire county.  
 Atkinson County. The entire county.  
 Bacon County. The entire county.  
 Baker County. The entire county.  
 Baldwin County. The entire county.  
 Banks County. The entire county.  
 Barrow County. The entire county.  
 Bartow County. The entire county.  
 Ben Hill County. The entire county.  
 Berrien County. The entire county.  
 Bibb County. The entire county.  
 Bleckley County. The entire county.  
 Brantley County. The entire county.  
 Brooks County. The entire county.  
 Bryan County. The entire county.  
 Bulloch County. The entire county.  
 Burke County. The entire county.  
 Butts County. The entire county.  
 Calhoun County. The entire county.  
 Camden County. The entire county.  
 Candler County. The entire county.  
 Carroll County. The entire county.  
 Catoosa County. The entire county.  
 Charlton County. The entire county.  
 Chatham County. The entire county.  
 Chattahoochee County. The entire county.  
 Chattooga County. The entire county.  
 Cherokee County. The entire county.

Clarke County. The entire county.  
 Clay County. The entire county.  
 Clayton County. The entire county.  
 Clinch County. The entire county.  
 Cobb County. The entire county.  
 Coffee County. The entire county.  
 Colquitt County. The entire county.  
 Columbia County. The entire county.  
 Cook County. The entire county.  
 Coweta County. The entire county.  
 Crawford County. The entire county.  
 Crisp County. The entire county.  
 Dade County. The entire county.  
 Dawson County. The entire county.  
 Decatur County. The entire county.  
 De Kalb County. The entire county.  
 Dodge County. The entire county.  
 Dooly County. The entire county.  
 Dougherty County. The entire county.  
 Douglas County. The entire county.  
 Early County. The entire county.  
 Echols County. The entire county.  
 Effingham County. The entire county.  
 Elbert County. The entire county.  
 Emanuel County. The entire county.  
 Evans County. The entire county.  
 Fannin County. The entire county.  
 Fayette County. The entire county.  
 Floyd County. The entire county.  
 Forsyth County. The entire county.  
 Franklin County. The entire county.  
 Fulton County. The entire county.  
 Gilmer County. The entire county.  
 Glascock County. The entire county.  
 Glynn County. The entire county.  
 Gordon County. The entire county.  
 Grady County. The entire county.  
 Greene County. The entire county.  
 Gwinnett County. The entire county.  
 Habersham County. The entire county.  
 Hall County. The entire county.  
 Hancock County. The entire county.  
 Haralson County. The entire county.  
 Harris County. The entire county.  
 Hart County. The entire county.  
 Heard County. The entire county.  
 Henry County. The entire county.  
 Houston County. The entire county.  
 Irwin County. The entire county.  
 Jackson County. The entire county.  
 Jasper County. The entire county.  
 Jeff Davis County. The entire county.  
 Jefferson County. The entire county.  
 Jenkins County. The entire county.  
 Johnson County. The entire county.  
 Jones County. The entire county.  
 Lamar County. The entire county.  
 Lanier County. The entire county.  
 Laurens County. The entire county.  
 Lee County. The entire county.  
 Liberty County. The entire county.  
 Lincoln County. The entire county.  
 Long County. The entire county.  
 Lowndes County. The entire county.  
 Lumpkin County. The entire county.  
 Macon County. The entire county.  
 Madison County. The entire county.

Marion County. The entire county.  
 McDuffie County. The entire county.  
 McIntosh County. The entire county.  
 Meriwether County. The entire county.  
 Miller County. The entire county.  
 Mitchell County. The entire county.  
 Monroe County. The entire county.  
 Montgomery County. The entire county.  
 Morgan County. The entire county.  
 Murray County. The entire county.  
 Muscogee County. The entire county.  
 Newton County. The entire county.  
 Oconee County. The entire county.  
 Oglethorpe County. The entire county.  
 Paulding County. The entire county.  
 Peach County. The entire county.  
 Pickens County. The entire county.  
 Pierce County. The entire county.  
 Pike County. The entire county.  
 Polk County. The entire county.  
 Pulaski County. The entire county.  
 Putnam County. The entire county.  
 Quitman County. The entire county.  
 Randolph County. The entire county.  
 Richmond County. The entire county.  
 Rockdale County. The entire county.  
 Schley County. The entire county.  
 Screven County. The entire county.  
 Seminole County. The entire county.  
 Spalding County. The entire county.  
 Stephens County. The entire county.  
 Stewart County. The entire county.  
 Sumter County. The entire county.  
 Talbot County. The entire county.  
 Taliaferro County. The entire county.  
 Tattnall County. The entire county.  
 Taylor County. The entire county.  
 Telfair County. The entire county.  
 Terrell County. The entire county.  
 Thomas County. The entire county.  
 Tift County. The entire county.  
 Toombs County. The entire county.  
 Treutlen County. The entire county.  
 Troup County. The entire county.  
 Turner County. The entire county.  
 Twiggs County. The entire county.  
 Upson County. The entire county.  
 Walker County. The entire county.  
 Walton County. The entire county.  
 Ware County. The entire county.  
 Warren County. The entire county.  
 Washington County. The entire county.  
 Wayne County. The entire county.  
 Webster County. The entire county.  
 Wheeler County. The entire county.  
 White County. The entire county.  
 Whitfield County. The entire county.  
 Wilcox County. The entire county.  
 Wilkes County. The entire county.  
 Wilkinson County. The entire county.  
 Worth County. The entire county.

LOUISIANA

The entire State.

MISSISSIPPI

The entire State.

## NEW MEXICO

Dona Ana County. The entire county.

## NORTH CAROLINA

Anson County. The entire county.

Beaufort County. The entire county.

Bertie County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of State Highway 11/42 and the Hertford/Bertie County line; then east along the Hertford/Bertie County line to the Bertie/Chowan County line; then south along the Bertie/Chowan County line to the Bertie/Martin County line; then west along the Bertie/Martin County line to State Highway 11/42; then north along State Highway 11/42 to the point of beginning.

Bladen County. The entire county.

Brunswick County. The entire county.

Cabarrus County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Cabarrus/Mecklenburg County line and State Highway 73; then east along State Highway 73 to U.S. Highway 601 Business; then southeast along U.S. Highway 601 Business to State Highway 200; then southeast along State Highway 200 to the Cabarrus/Stanly County line; then south along the Cabarrus/Stanly County line to the Cabarrus/Union County line; then northwest along the Cabarrus/Union County line to the Cabarrus/Mecklenburg County line; then northwest along the Cabarrus/Mecklenburg County line to the point of beginning.

Camden County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of State Road 1112 and State Highway 343; then east along State Highway 343 to State Road 1107; then south along State Road 1107 to the Camden/Pasquotank County line; then north along the Camden/Pasquotank County line to State Road 1112; then north along State Road 1112 to the point of beginning.

Carteret County. The entire county.

Chatham County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Chatham/Randolph County line and U.S. Highway 64; then east along U.S. Highway 64 to the Chatham/Wake County line; then south along the Chatham/Wake County line to the Chatham/Harnett County line; then south along the Chatham/Harnett County line to the Chatham/Lee County line; then west along the Chatham/Lee County line to the Chatham/Moore County line; then west along the Chatham/Moore County line to the Chatham/Randolph County line; then north along the Chatham/Randolph County line to the point of beginning.

Chowan County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Chowan/Gates County line and State Highway 32; then south along State Highway 32 to State Highway 37; then east along State Highway 37 to the Chowan/

Perquimans County line; then south along the Chowan/Perquimans County line to the shoreline of the Albemarle Sound; then west along the shoreline of the Albemarle Sound to the Chowan/Bertie County line; then north along the Chowan/Bertie County line to the Chowan/Hertford County line; then north along the Chowan/Hertford County line to the Chowan/Gates County line; then east along the Chowan/Gates County line to the point of beginning.

Columbus County. The entire county.

Craven County. The entire county.

Cumberland County. The entire county.

Currituck County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Currituck/Camden County line and State Road 1112; then east along State Road 1112 to U.S. Highway 158; then south along U.S. Highway 158 to State Road 1111; then east along State Road 1111 to the shoreline of the Atlantic Ocean; then south along the shoreline of the Atlantic Ocean to the Currituck/Duck County line; then south and west along the Currituck/Duck County line to the Currituck/Camden County line; then north along the Currituck/Camden County line to the point of beginning.

Dare County. The entire county, excluding the portion of the barrier islands south of Oregon Inlet.

Duplin County. The entire county.

Edgecombe County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of State Highway 33 and State Highway 111; then east along State Highway 111 to State Highway 142; then east along State Highway 142 to the Edgecombe/Martin County line; then south along the Edgecombe/Martin County line to the Edgecombe/Pitt County line; then west along the Edgecombe/Pitt County line to State Highway 33; then north along State Highway 33 to the point of beginning.

Gaston County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Gaston/Cleveland County line and Interstate Highway 85; then north and east along Interstate Highway 85 to the Gaston/Mecklenburg County line; then south along the Gaston/Mecklenburg County line to the North Carolina/South Carolina State line; then west along the North Carolina/South Carolina State line to the Gaston/Cleveland County line; then north along the Gaston/Cleveland County line to the point of beginning.

Greene County. The entire county.

Hoke County. The entire county.

Hyde County. The entire county.

Jones County. The entire county.

Lenoir County. The entire county.

Martin County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Martin/Edgecombe County line and State Highway 142; then east along State Highway 142 to State Highway 125; then

north along State Highway 125 to State Road 1429; then east along State Road 1429 to the Martin/Bertie County line; then south along the Martin/Bertie County line to the Martin/Washington County line; then south along the Martin/Washington County line to the Martin/Beaufort County line; then west along the Martin/Beaufort County line to the Martin/Pitt County line; then north along the Martin/Pitt County line to the Martin/Edgecombe County line; then north along the Martin/Edgecombe County line to the point of beginning.

Mecklenburg County. The entire county.

Montgomery County. The entire county.

Moore County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Moore/Chatham County line and State Highway 22; then south along State Highway 22 to State Highway 24/27; then east along State Highway 24/27 to State Road 1805 (Union Church Road); then southeast along State Road 1805 (Union Church Road) to U.S. Highway 1; then south along U.S. Highway 1 to State Road 1001 (Lobelia Road); then southeast along State Road 1001 (Lobelia Road) to the Moore/Cumberland County line; then north along the Moore/Cumberland County line to the Moore/Harnett County line; then north, west, and east along the Moore/Harnett County line to the Moore/Lee County line; then northwest along the Moore/Lee County line to the Moore/Chatham County line; then west along the Moore/Chatham County line to the point of beginning.

New Hanover County. The entire county.

Onslow County. The entire county.

Pamlico County. The entire county.

Pasquotank County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Pasquotank/Perquimans County line and U.S. Highway 17; then east along U.S. Highway 17 to the Pasquotank/Camden County line; then south along the Pasquotank/Camden County line to the shoreline of the Albemarle Sound; then west along the shoreline of the Albemarle Sound to the Pasquotank/Perquimans County line; then north along the Pasquotank/Perquimans County line to the point of beginning.

Pender County. The entire county.

Perquimans County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Perquimans/Chowan County line and State Road 1118; then east along State Road 1118 to State Road 1200; then north along State Road 1200 to State Road 1213; then east along State Road 1213 to State Road 1214; then southeast along State Road 1214 to State Road 1221; then northeast along State Road 1221 to the Perquimans/Pasquotank County line; then south along the Perquimans/Pasquotank County line to the shoreline of the Albemarle Sound; then west along the shoreline of the Albemarle

Sound to the Perquimans/Chowan County line; then north along the Perquimans/Chowan County line to the point of beginning.

Pitt County. The entire county.

Richmond County. The entire county.

Robeson County. The entire county.

Sampson County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Sampson/Cumberland County line and U.S. Highway 13; then northeast along U.S. Highway 13 to the Sampson/Wayne County line; then southeast along the Sampson/Wayne County line to the Sampson/Duplin County line; then south and east along the Sampson/Duplin County line to the Sampson/Pender County line; then southwest along the Sampson/Pender County line to the Sampson/Bladen County line; then northwest along the Sampson/Bladen County line to the Sampson/Cumberland County line; then northwest along the Sampson/Cumberland County line to the point of beginning.

Scotland County. The entire county.

Stanly County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Stanly/Cabarrus County line and State Highway 24/27; then east along State Highway 24/27 to the Stanly/Montgomery County line; then south along the Stanly/Montgomery County line to the Stanly/Anson County line; then west along the Stanly/Anson County line to the Stanly/Union County line; then west along the Stanly/Union County line to the Stanly/Cabarrus County line; then north along the Stanly/Cabarrus County line to the point of beginning.

Tyrrell County. The entire county.

Union County. The entire county.

Wake County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of State Highway 55 and the Wake/Durham County line; then south along the Wake/Durham County line to U.S. Highway 1; then north along U.S. Highway 1 to U.S. Highway 70; then north along U.S. Highway 70 to the Wake/Durham County line; then south and west along the Wake/Durham County line to the point of beginning.

Washington County. The entire county.

Wayne County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Wayne/Johnston County line and U.S. Highway 70; then east along U.S. Highway 70 to State Highway 111; then north along State Highway 111 to State Road 1572; then southeast along State Road 1572 to U.S. Highway 13; then east along U.S. Highway 13 to the Wayne/Greene County line; then south along the Wayne/Greene County line to the Wayne/Lenoir County line; then south along the Wayne/Lenoir County line to the Wayne/Duplin County line; then west along the Wayne/Duplin County line to the Wayne/Sampson County line; then west along the Wayne/Sampson County line to the Wayne/

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Johnston County line; then north along the Wayne/Johnston County line to the point of beginning.

**OKLAHOMA**

Bryan County. The entire county.  
Carter County. The entire county.  
Choctaw County. The entire county.  
Comanche County. The entire county.  
Johnston County. The entire county.  
Love County. The entire county.  
Marshall County. The entire county.  
McCurtain County. The entire county.

**PUERTO RICO**

The entire State.

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

Abbeville County. The entire county.  
Aiken County. The entire county.  
Allendale County. The entire county.  
Anderson County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of South Carolina Primary Highway 28 and the Pickens County/Anderson County line; then southeast along South Carolina Primary Highway 28 to its intersection with County Road 115; then southeast along County Road 115 to its intersection with County Road 29; then southeast along County Road 29 to its intersection with County Road 81; then south along County Road 81 to its intersection with South Carolina Highway 247; then east along this highway to its intersection with the eastern Anderson County line; then south, southwest, north and northeast along this county line to the point of beginning.  
Bamberg County. The entire county.  
Barnwell County. The entire county.  
Beaufort County. The entire county.  
Berkeley County. The entire county.  
Calhoun County. The entire county.  
Charleston County. The entire county.  
Cherokee County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Cherokee/Spartanburg County line and Interstate Highway 85; then north along Interstate Highway 85 to the South Carolina/North Carolina State line; then east along the South Carolina/North Carolina State line to the Cherokee/York County line; then south along the Cherokee/York County line to the Cherokee/Union County line; then northwest along the Cherokee/Union County line to the Cherokee/Spartanburg County line; then northwest along the Cherokee/Spartanburg County line to the point of beginning.  
Chester County. The entire county.  
Chesterfield County. The entire county.  
Clarendon County. The entire county.  
Colleton County. The entire county.  
Darlington County. The entire county.  
Dillon County. The entire county.  
Dorchester County. The entire county.

Edgefield County. The entire county.  
Fairfield County. The entire county.  
Florence County. The entire county.  
Georgetown County. The entire county.  
Greenwood County. The entire county.  
Greenville County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 29 and the western Greenville County line; then east along U.S. Highway 29 to its intersection with the eastern Greenville County line; then south, southwest, and north along the eastern Greenville County line to the point of beginning.  
Hampton County. The entire county.  
Horry County. The entire county.  
Jasper County. The entire county.  
Kershaw County. The entire county.  
Lancaster County. The entire county.  
Laurens County. The entire county.  
Lee County. The entire county.  
Lexington County. The entire county.  
Marion County. The entire county.  
Marlboro County. The entire county.  
McCormick County. The entire county.  
Newberry County. The entire county.  
Oconee County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the South Carolina/Georgia State line and U.S. Highway 123; then east along U.S. Highway 123 to U.S. Highway 76; then southeast along U.S. Highway 76 to State Highway 183; then northeast along State Highway 183 to Oconee County Road 107; then east along Oconee County Road 107 to State Highway 11; then north along State Highway 11 to State Highway 183; then east along State Highway 183 to the Oconee/Pickens County line; then south along the Oconee/Pickens County line to the Oconee/Anderson County line; then southwest along the Oconee/Anderson County line to the South Carolina/Georgia State line; then northwest along the South Carolina/Georgia State line to the point of beginning.  
Orangeburg County. The entire county.  
Pickens County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Pickens/Oconee County line and State Highway 183; then northeast along State Highway 183 to Pickens County Road 160; then southeast along Pickens County Road 160 to State Highway 133; then south along State Highway 133 to Pickens County Road 15; then southeast along Pickens County Road 15 to State Highway 93; then northeast along State Highway 93 to Pickens County Road 395; then east along Pickens County Road 395 to Pickens County Road 27; then south along Pickens County Road 27 to U.S. Highway 123; then northeast along U.S. Highway 123 to U.S. Highway 178; then south along U.S. Highway 178 to the Pickens/Anderson County line; then southwest along the Pickens/Anderson County line to the Pickens/Oconee County line; then north along the

Pickens/Oconee County line to the point of beginning.

Richland County. The entire county.

Saluda County. The entire county.

Spartanburg County. That portion of the county bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the Spartanburg/Greenville County line and State Highway 357; then northeast along State Highway 357 to Spartanburg County Road 38; then east along Spartanburg County Road 38 to U.S. Highway 176; then southeast along U.S. Highway 176 to Spartanburg County Road 56; then east along Spartanburg County Road 56 to U.S. Highway 221; then northeast along U.S. Highway 221 to Spartanburg County Road 105; then southeast along Spartanburg County Road 105 to State Highway 110; then north along State Highway 110 to the Spartanburg/Cherokee County line; then south along the Spartanburg/Cherokee County line to the Spartanburg/Union County line; then southwest along the Spartanburg/Union County line to the Spartanburg/Laurens County line; then northwest along the Spartanburg/Laurens County line to the Spartanburg/Greenville County line; then northwest and north along the Spartanburg/Greenville County line to the point of beginning.

Sumter County. The entire county.

Union County. The entire county.

Williamsburg County. The entire county.

York County. The entire county.

TENNESSEE

Bradley County. The entire county.

Chester County. The entire county.

Decatur County. That portion of the county lying south of Interstate Highway 40.

Fayette County. The entire county.

Franklin County. That portion of the county lying south and east of a line beginning at the intersection of State Highway 50 and the Moore/Franklin County line; then east along State Highway 50 to U.S. Highway Alt. 41; then north and east along U.S. Highway Alt. 41 to the Franklin/Grundy/Marion County line.

Giles County. That portion of the county lying south of a line beginning at the intersection of State Highway 129 and the Giles/Marshall County line; then west along State Highway 129 to U.S. Highway 31; then west along an imaginary line to the Lawrence/Giles County line.

Hamilton County. The entire county.

Hardeman County. The entire county.

Hardin County. The entire county.

Haywood County. That portion of the county lying south of Interstate Highway 40.

Henderson County. That portion of the county lying south of Interstate Highway 40.

Lawrence County. The entire county.

Lewis County. The entire county.

Lincoln County. The entire county.

Madison County. The entire county.

Marion County. The entire county.

Marshall County. That portion of the county lying south of a line beginning at the intersection of State Highway 129 and the Giles/Marshall County line; then east along State Highway 129 to U.S. Highway Alt. 31; then north along U.S. Highway Alt. 31 to State Highway 50; then southeast along State Highway 50 to the Marshall/Lincoln County line.

Maury County. That portion of the county lying south and west of a line beginning at the intersection of the Lewis/Maury County line and Mount Joy Road; then east along Mount Joy Road to State Highway 243; then northeast along State Highway 243 to Dry Creek Road; then south along Dry Creek Road to the Maury/Lawrence County line.

McMinn County. The entire county.

McNairy County. The entire county.

Meigs County. The entire county.

Monroe County. That portion of the county lying south of a line beginning at the intersection of the Loudon/Monroe County line and State Highway 68; then southeast along State Highway 68 to U.S. Highway 411; then northeast along U.S. Highway 411 to the Monroe/Loudon County line; also the entire cities of Sweetwater, Madisonville, and Vonore, TN.

Moore County. That portion of the county lying south of State Highway 50.

Perry County. That portion of the county lying south of latitude 35°45'.

Polk County. The entire county.

Rhea County. The entire county.

Sequatchie County. That portion of the county lying south of a line beginning at the intersection of the Grundy/Sequatchie County line and State Highway 399; then northeast along State Highway 399 to State Highway 8/111; then northeast along an imaginary line to the Sequatchie/Bledsoe County line.

Shelby County. The entire county.

Wayne County. The entire county.

TEXAS

Anderson County. The entire county.

Angelina County. The entire county.

Aransas County. The entire county.

Atascosa County. The entire county.

Austin County. The entire county.

Bandera County. The entire county.

Bastrop County. The entire county.

Bee County. The entire county.

Bell County. The entire county.

Bexar County. The entire county.

Blanco County. The entire county.

Bosque County. The entire county.

Bowie County. The entire county.

Brazoria County. The entire county.

Brazos County. The entire county.

Brooks County. The entire county.

Brown County. The entire county.

Burleson County. The entire county.

Burnet County. The entire county.

Caldwell County. The entire county.

Calhoun County. The entire county.

Cameron County. The entire county.  
Camp County. The entire county.  
Cass County. The entire county.  
Chambers County. The entire county.  
Cherokee County. The entire county.  
Collin County. The entire county.  
Colorado County. The entire county.  
Comal County. The entire county.  
Comanche County. The entire county.  
Cooke County. The entire county.  
Coryell County. The entire county.  
Dallas County. The entire county.  
Delta County. The entire county.  
Denton County. The entire county.  
De Witt County. The entire county.  
Dimmit County. The entire county.  
Duval County. The entire county.  
Eastland County. The entire county.  
Ector County. The entire county.  
Edwards County. The entire county.  
Ellis County. The entire county.  
Erath County. The entire county.  
Falls County. The entire county.  
Fannin County. The entire county.  
Fayette County. The entire county.  
Fort Bend County. The entire county.  
Franklin County. The entire county.  
Freestone County. The entire county.  
Frio County. The entire county.  
Galveston County. The entire county.  
Gillespie County. The entire county.  
Goliad County. The entire county.  
Gonzales County. The entire county.  
Grayson County. The entire county.  
Gregg County. The entire county.  
Grimes County. The entire county.  
Guadalupe County. The entire county.  
Hamilton County. The entire county.  
Hardin County. The entire county.  
Harris County. The entire county.  
Harrison County. The entire county.  
Hays County. The entire county.  
Henderson County. The entire county.  
Hidalgo County. The entire county.  
Hill County. The entire county.  
Hood County. The entire county.  
Hopkins County. The entire county.  
Houston County. The entire county.  
Hunt County. The entire county.  
Jack County. The entire county.  
Jackson County. The entire county.  
Jasper County. The entire county.  
Jefferson County. The entire county.  
Jim Wells County. The entire county.  
Johnson County. The entire county.  
Jones County. The entire county.  
Karnes County. The entire county.  
Kaufman County. The entire county.  
Kendall County. The entire county.  
Kenedy County. The entire county.  
Kerr County. The entire county.  
Kimble County. The entire county.  
Kinney County. The entire county.  
Kleberg County. The entire county.  
La Salle County. The entire county.  
Lamar County. The entire county.  
Lampasas County. The entire county.  
Lavaca County. The entire county.  
Lee County. The entire county.  
Leon County. The entire county.  
Liberty County. The entire county.  
Limestone County. The entire county.  
Live Oak County. The entire county.  
Llano County. The entire county.  
Madison County. The entire county.  
Marion County. The entire county.  
Mason County. The entire county.  
Matagorda County. The entire county.  
Maverick County. The entire county.  
McCulloch County. The entire county.  
McLennan County. The entire county.  
McMullen County. The entire county.  
Medina County. The entire county.  
Midland County. The entire county.  
Milam County. The entire county.  
Montague County. The entire county.  
Montgomery County. The entire county.  
Morris County. The entire county.  
Nacogdoches County. The entire county.  
Navarro County. The entire county.  
Newton County. The entire county.  
Nueces County. The entire county.  
Orange County. The entire county.  
Palo Pinto County. The entire county.  
Panola County. The entire county.  
Parker County. The entire county.  
Polk County. The entire county.  
Rains County. The entire county.  
Real County. The entire county.  
Red River County. The entire county.  
Refugio County. The entire county.  
Robertson County. The entire county.  
Rockwall County. The entire county.  
Rusk County. The entire county.  
Sabine County. The entire county.  
San Augustine County. The entire county.  
San Jacinto County. The entire county.  
San Patricio County. The entire county.  
San Saba County. The entire county.  
Shelby County. The entire county.  
Smith County. The entire county.  
Somervell County. The entire county.  
Stephens County. The entire county.  
Tarrant County. The entire county.  
Taylor County. The entire county.  
Titus County. The entire county.  
Tom Green County. The entire county.  
Travis County. The entire county.  
Trinity County. The entire county.  
Tyler County. The entire county.  
Upshur County. The entire county.  
Uvalde County. The entire county.  
Val Verde County. The entire county.  
Van Zandt County. The entire county.  
Victoria County. The entire county.  
Walker County. The entire county.  
Waller County. The entire county.  
Washington County. The entire county.  
Webb County. The entire county.  
Wharton County. The entire county.  
Wichita County. The entire county.  
Willacy County. The entire county.  
Williamson County. The entire county.  
Wilson County. The entire county.

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Wise County. The entire county.  
Wood County. The entire county.  
Young County. The entire county.  
Zavala County. The entire county.

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**§ 301.81-4 Interstate movement of regulated articles from quarantined areas.**

(a) Any regulated article may be moved interstate from a quarantined area into or through an area that is not quarantined only if moved under the following conditions:

(1) With a certificate or limited permit issued and attached in accordance with §§ 301.81-5 and 301.81-9 of this subpart;

(2) Without a certificate or limited permit, provided that each of the following conditions is met:

(i) The regulated article was moved into the quarantined area from an area that is not quarantined;

(ii) The point of origin is indicated on a waybill accompanying the regulated article;

(iii) The regulated article is moved through the quarantined area (without stopping except for refueling, or for traffic conditions, such as traffic lights or stop signs), or has been stored, packed, or parked in locations inaccessible to the imported fire ant, or in locations that have been treated in accordance with the methods and procedures prescribed in the Appendix to this subpart (“III. Regulatory Procedures”), while in or moving through any quarantined area; and

(iv) The article has not been combined or commingled with other articles so as to lose its individual identity; or

(3) Without a certificate or limited permit provided the regulated article is a soil sample being moved to a laboratory approved by the Administrator<sup>3</sup>

<sup>3</sup>Criteria that laboratories must meet to become approved to process, test, or analyze soil, and the list of currently approved laboratories, may be obtained from the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Plant

to process, test, or analyze soil samples.

(b) Inspectors are authorized to stop any person or means of conveyance moving in interstate commerce they have probable cause to believe is moving regulated articles, and to inspect the articles being moved and the means of conveyance. Articles found to be infested by an inspector, and articles not in compliance with the regulations in this subpart, may be seized, quarantined, treated, subjected to other remedial measures, destroyed, or otherwise disposed of. Any treatments will be in accordance with the methods and procedures prescribed in the Appendix to this subpart (“III. Regulatory Procedures”), or in accordance with the methods and procedures prescribed in the Plant Protection and Quarantine Treatment Manual. The Plant Protection and Quarantine Treatment Manual is incorporated by reference. For full identification of this standard, see § 300.1 of this chapter, “Materials incorporated by reference.”

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**§ 301.81-5 Issuance of a certificate or limited permit.**

(a) An inspector<sup>4</sup> or person operating under a compliance agreement will issue a certificate for the interstate movement of a regulated article approved under such compliance agreement if he or she determines that the regulated article:

(1) Is eligible for unrestricted movement under all other applicable Federal domestic plant quarantines and regulations;

Protection and Quarantine, Domestic and Emergency Operations, 4700 River Road Unit 134, Riverdale, Maryland 20737-1236.

<sup>4</sup>Inspectors are assigned to local offices of APHIS, which are listed in local telephone directories. Information on local offices may also be obtained from the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Plant Protection and Quarantine, Domestic and Emergency Operations, 4700 River Road Unit 134, Riverdale, Maryland 20737-1236.