

Public Notice

The Department of Agriculture, State of Ohio, will hold a public hearing for the purpose of accepting testimony on the proposed adoption of one new rule: **901:5-35-02.**

This rule defines agricultural products inspections, compliance agreements, phytosanitary certificates, and solid wood packing material certificates, as those terms are used within the Plant Pest section of the Division of Plant Industry. This rule is being adopted as a result of recent legislation passed by the 125<sup>th</sup> General Assembly; specifically Am. Sub. House Bill 95, signed into law on June 26, 2003.

The hearing will be held Thursday, June 3, 2004, at 8:30 a.m., in Room 133 (Training Room 'B') Bromfield Administration Building, Ohio Department of Agriculture, 8995 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-3399.

The hearing will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code. Any person affected by the proposed rescission (adoption, amendment) of the existing rules or adoption of the new rules may appear and be heard in person, by his attorney, or both, may present his position, arguments, or contentions, orally or in writing, offer and examine witnesses, and present evidence tending to show that the proposed rules, if adopted or effectuated, will be unreasonable or unlawful.

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