

Plan for the Adoption and Implementation of NAPPO standards

1. Name of Standard

RSPM No.29, *Guidelines for the petition for import and release of non-Apis pollinating insects into NAPPO countries*

2. Country Reporting

United States

3. Relevant Authority

3.1 Current Authority

- A. Legislative Authority – Plant Protection Act
- B. Regulatory Authority – 7 CFR 322.5

3.2 Revisions to Authority: none necessary

4. Obtaining Authority to Adopt the Standard

No changes in the Plant Protection Act are required. Authority exists under Title 7 U.S.C 7711 'Regulation of Movement of Plant Pests and 7712 'Regulation of Movement of Plants Plant Products, Biological Control of Organisms, Noxious Weeds, Articles, and Means of Conveyance.'

5. Implementation of Standard

Currently being implemented.