

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE**

LCB File No. R090-11

Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation

The Nevada Department of Agriculture, 405 South 21st Street, Sparks, Nevada, 89431, is proposing the Amendment of regulations pertaining to chapter NAC 587 of Nevada Administrative Code. A workshop has been set for 10:00 A.M. on November 4, 2011 at:

Nevada Department of Agriculture
405 South 21st Street
Sparks, Nevada, 89431

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topics that may be addressed in the proposed regulations:

NAC 587.173: A regulation relating to the fee for analysis and testing of seed.

NAC 587.220: A regulation relating to the listing of weed seed as noxious.

NAC 587.254: A regulation relating to the fee for certification of seed.

NAC 587.340: A regulation relating to the fee for phytosanitary field inspection.

A copy of all materials relating to the proposal may be obtained at the workshop or by contacting:

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A reasonable fee for copying may be charged.

This Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation has been sent to all persons on the agency's mailing list for administrative regulations and posted at the following locations:

Nevada Department
of Agriculture
405 South 21st Street
Sparks, NV 89434

Nevada Department
of Agriculture
2300 McLeod
Las Vegas, NV 89104

Nevada Department
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4780 E. Idaho Street
Elko, NV 89801

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Carson City, Nevada 89702

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553 South Main Street
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Clark County District Library
833 Las Vegas Boulevard North
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

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Elko, Nevada 89801

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Goldfield, Nevada 89013

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Winnemucca, Nevada 89445

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63 Main Street
Pioche, Nevada 89043

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1125 Central Avenue
Lovelock, Nevada 89419

Storey County Public Library
95 South R Street
Virginia City, Nevada 89440

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167 Central Street
Tonopah, Nevada 89049

Washoe County Library
301 South Center Street
Reno, Nevada 89501

White Pine County Library
950 Campton Street
Ely, Nevada 89301

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NAC 587.173 Prohibited noxious weed seeds. (NRS 587.083) Seed of the following plants are classified as prohibited noxious weed seeds, the occurrence of which must not exceed the tolerances prescribed by NAC 587.200: (The state noxious weed list NAC 555.010, *with exception of Anthemis cotula*, is hereby adopted by reference.)

NAC 587.175 Restricted noxious weed seeds. (NRS 587.083) Seed of the following plants are restricted ~~noxious~~ weed seeds, the occurrence of which must not exceed 27 per pound, singly or collectively:

1. Bindweed, field (Convolvulus arvensis).
2. Crabgrass (Digitaria sanguinalis, Digitaria ischaemum).
3. Dock, curly (Rumex crispus).
4. Dodder, all species (Cuscuta spp.).
5. Mustard, wild (Charlock) (Brassica kaber).
6. Pennycress (Fanweed) (Thlaspi arvense).
- ~~7. Puncture vine (Tribulus terrestris).~~
7. ~~8.~~ Sandbur, field (Cenchrus pauciflorus).

This change has been requested by federal agencies who have recently purchased seed for rehabilitation projects and later found it to be infested with noxious weeds seed from species not currently listed in NAC 587.173 or 175.