

REGISTER OF APPROVED EXEMPTIONS – SECTION 78 (formally 80D) BIOSECURITY ACT 1993

Exemption Description	Reason/s for Exemption	Rule/s to be exempt from	Decision Date	Period of Exemption	Active or Historic	Conditions
To collect and grow <i>Carduus nutans</i> and <i>Carduus acanthoides</i> in pots, contained within a glasshouse with thistle flowers enclosed in pollen bags.	Scientific research	6.9 7.1	19/4/05	30 June 2008	Historic	(i) All plants being either <i>Carduus nutans</i> or <i>Carduus acanthoides</i> shall be grown in pots fully contained in a glasshouse. (ii) All flowers shall be contained in pollen bags and the seeds shall be destroyed after counting. (iii) All plants shall be grown at the University of Canterbury property situated on Clyde Road, ChCh, unless a change of location is notified in writing and agreed to by Environment Canterbury.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2011 – 2015 for internal broom and gorse rules	To allow for regeneration of native species within the property	7.5.5 (a) 7.6.5 (a)	27/9/06	Ongoing	Active	Applies to the area defined by the red polygon in the orthophoto only (file BI2C/38), involving c.8.2 ha. Rules 7.5.5(b) 7.6.5 (b) still apply, and rules apply in full over the balance of the property.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2011 – 2015 for internal broom and gorse rules	To allow for regeneration of native species within the property	7.5.5(a) 7.6.5(a)	13/3/07	Ongoing	Active	That the area to which the exemption applies always remains destocked. Rules 7.5.5(b) and 7.6.5(b) still apply.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2018 – 2038 for keeping wallaby	Scientific research	7.2.5 (b)	8 January 2008	30 December 2008	Historic	Exemption expires 30 December 2008 and that any live wallabies be euthanised by this date.
To be exempt from growing St Johnswort for biological agent control purposes	Scientific research	9.3.3	20 May 2008	27 February 2010	Historic	NA
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2011 – 2015 for internal broom and gorse rules	To allow for regeneration of native species within the property	7.5.5 a, and 7.6.5 a	22/03/17	Ongoing	Active	NA
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2018 – 2038 for keeping wallaby	To keep wallaby for zoology purposes	6.4.3	09/03/2020	Ongoing until zoology needs cease	Historic	The wallabies will be kept in an enclosure of approximately up to 450 square metres in size. The enclosure will be deer fenced with enough tie downs to ensure there are no gaps at ground level. There will be 900 mm, 19 mm grid mesh from the ground up. Entry and exit to the enclosure will be via double gates. Male wallabies will be de-sexed on or prior to maturity. An exemption has also been sought and approved from the Ministry for Primary Industries in relation to wallabies Unwanted Organism status.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2018 – 2038 for keeping wallaby	To keep wallaby for zoology purposes	6.4.3	24/07/2020	Ongoing until zoology needs cease	Historic	The wallabies will be kept in four 25m x 20m enclosures. The enclosure will be deer fenced with enough tie downs to ensure there are no gaps at ground level. There will be 900 mm, 19 mm grid mesh from the ground up. • Entry and exit to the enclosure/s will be via double gates. • Male wallabies will be de-sexed on or prior to maturity. • An exemption has also been sought and approved from the Ministry for Primary Industries in relation to wallabies Unwanted Organism status.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2018 – 2038 for internal broom and gorse rules	To allow for regeneration of native species within the property	6.4.6 and 6.4.15	20/07/2021	Ongoing	Active	Regeneration of native species.
To acquire and hold rabbits at an animal facility where species for pest control research	Improve understanding of pest animal responses to management, enabling new and improved management strategies, tools and techniques. New concepts and tools are first tested in a controlled environment prior to larger scale field trials.	S52 and S53 BA	20/07/2021	20/07/2031	Active	Communication of feral rabbits from 10 years from date of exemption.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2018 – 2038 re the propagation, sale and distribution of Scots Pine to specific parts of Canterbury		S52 and S53 BA	27 July 2021	Ongoing	Active	No Scots Pine are sold to occupiers of land o Banks Peninsula and/or Port Hills. No Scots Pine are to be sold outside the Canterbury Region without seeking and obtaining an exemption from any other regional authorities within New Zealand. Acknowledgement that any breaches of exemption conditions may result in the exemption become void and withdrawn.
To be exempt from Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan 2018 – 2038 for internal broom and gorse rules	To allow for regeneration of native species within the property	6.4.6 and 6.4.15	2 March 2022	Ongoing	Active	Regeneration of native species.

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Rule extension	Unable to complete work by compliance date	6.2.5	27/10/16	15 days	Historic	All nassella control to be completed by 15 November 2016
Rule extension	Unable to complete work by compliance date	6.4.18	29/10/19	15 days	Historic	All nassella control to be completed by 15 November 2016