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**THE PLANT PROTECTION (CONTROL OF QUARANTINE PEST) ORDER, made in exercise of
the powers contained in section 4 of the Plant protection Act, Cap. 329.**

1. Short title

This Order may be cited as the Plant Protection (Control of Quarantine Pest) Order, 2011.

2. Interpretation

In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“*Achatina Fulica*” means the quarantine pest which is commonly known as the Giant African Land Snail;

“Conveyance” includes any item, including vehicles and containers, used or capable of being used for carrying materials;

“Goods” means any kind of moveable property;

“Plant material” means any goods that are wholly or partly derived from a member of the plant kingdom and includes soil;

“Quarantine pest” means a pest of potential economic importance to the area endangered thereby and not yet present there, or present but not widely distributed and being official controlled.

3. Movement of plant material, goods and conveyances

(1) A person shall not move any plant material, goods or conveyance suspected of carrying the quarantine pest *Achatina fulica* out of the controlled area.

(2) Any movement of plant material, goods or conveyance from the controlled area shall be authorized in writing by an officer of Plant Protection in the Department of Agriculture.

4. Offences

Any person who moves or causes to move any plant material, goods, or conveyance from the controlled area in contravention of Section 2 of this Order is in breach of this Order and will have committed an offence under section 13(c) of the Plant Protection Act Cap 329.

5. Controlled area

The areas listed in the Schedule to this Order comprise the controlled area(s).

SCHEDULE

The Controlled areas regulated by this Quarantine Order are as follows—

Barnes Hill up to Barnes Hill Main Road

Blubber Valley

Bolans

Bolans New Extension

Burma (to incl. Burma Road, Burma Quarry)

Carlisle

Cassada Gardens Main Road and the Cassada Gardens Race Track

Christian Valley

Cooks

Cooks Estate

Cook Extension

Coolidge

Donovans

Dunnings

Ebenezer

Fitches Creek

Five Islands

Grays Farm

Greenbay

Hatton

Jennings

Jennings Extension

Jolly Beach Resort

Jolly Harbour

Jolly Hill

Paynters (all areas bounded by the Sir Sidney Walling Highway and the Sir George Walter Highway)

Pearns

Pensioner's Corner

Seafort

Side Hill

Weirs Estate

Winthrope Farm (Geotech Quarry)

Yorks Estate

Made the 19th day of April, 2011.



*Hon. Hilson Baptiste
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