

**State of California
Office of Administrative Law**

In re:
Department of Food and Agriculture

Regulatory Action:

Title 03, California Code of Regulations

Amend sections: 3280

**NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY
REGULATORY ACTION**

Government Code Sections 11346.1 and
11349.6

OAL Matter Number: 2025-0915-02

OAL Matter Type: Emergency (E)

This emergency rulemaking action by the California Department of Food and Agriculture proposes to amend the Japanese beetle exterior quarantine area to include the entire state of Oregon.

OAL approves this emergency regulatory action pursuant to sections 11346.1 and 11349.6 of the Government Code.

This emergency regulatory action is effective on 9/19/2025 and will expire on 3/19/2026. The Certificate of Compliance for this action is due no later than 3/18/2026.

Date: September 19, 2025



Stephen P. Mehlert
Senior Attorney

For: Kenneth J. Pogue
Director

Original: Karen Ross, Secretary
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NOTICE PUBLICATION/REGULATORY ACTION SUBMISSION

STD. 400 (REV. 10/2019)

EMERGENCY

For use by Secretary of State only

OAL FILE NUMBERS	NOTICE FILE NUMBER Z-	REGULATORY ACTION NUMBER 2025-0915-08	EMERGENCY NUMBER E
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NOTICE		REGULATIONS	

ENDORSED - FILED
in the office of the Secretary of State
of the State of California

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AGENCY WITH RULEMAKING AUTHORITY
Department of Food and Agriculture

AGENCY FILE NUMBER (If any)

A. PUBLICATION OF NOTICE (Complete for publication in Notice Register)

1. SUBJECT OF NOTICE		TITLE(S)	FIRST SECTION AFFECTED	2. REQUESTED PUBLICATION DATE
3. NOTICE TYPE <input type="checkbox"/> Notice re Proposed Regulatory Action <input type="checkbox"/> Other		4. AGENCY CONTACT PERSON	TELEPHONE NUMBER	FAX NUMBER (Optional)
OAL USE ONLY	ACTION ON PROPOSED NOTICE <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as Submitted <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved/Withdrawn	NOTICE REGISTER NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	

B. SUBMISSION OF REGULATIONS (Complete when submitting regulations)

1a. SUBJECT OF REGULATION(S) Japanese Beetle Exterior Quarantine		1b. ALL PREVIOUS RELATED OAL REGULATORY ACTION NUMBER(S)	
2. SPECIFY CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE(S) AND SECTION(S) (Including title 26, if toxics related)			
SECTION(S) AFFECTED (List all section number(s) individually. Attach additional sheet if needed.)		ADOPT	
		AMEND	
3		3280	
TITLE(S)		REPEAL	
3. TYPE OF FILING			
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Rulemaking (Gov. Code §11346) <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Compliance: The agency officer named below certifies that this agency complied with the provisions of Gov. Code §§11346.2-11347.3 either before the emergency regulation was adopted or within the time period required by statute. <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Readopt (Gov. Code, §11346.1(h)) <input type="checkbox"/> Changes Without Regulatory Effect (Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn nonemergency filing (Gov. Code §§11349.3, 11349.4) <input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn emergency filing (Gov. Code, §11346.1) <input type="checkbox"/> File & Print <input type="checkbox"/> Print Only			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emergency (Gov. Code, §11346.1(b)) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____			
4. ALL BEGINNING AND ENDING DATES OF AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED REGULATIONS AND/OR MATERIAL ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE (Cal. Code Regs. title 1, §44 and Gov. Code §11347.1)			
5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES (Gov. Code, §§ 11343.4, 11346.1(d); Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Effective January 1, April 1, July 1, or October 1 (Gov. Code §11343.4(a)) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Effective on filing with Secretary of State <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 Changes Without Regulatory Effect <input type="checkbox"/> Effective other (Specify) _____			
6. CHECK IF THESE REGULATIONS REQUIRE NOTICE TO, OR REVIEW, CONSULTATION, APPROVAL OR CONCURRENCE BY, ANOTHER AGENCY OR ENTITY			
<input type="checkbox"/> Department of Finance (Form STD. 399) (SAM §6660) <input type="checkbox"/> Fair Political Practices Commission <input type="checkbox"/> State Fire Marshal			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____			
7. CONTACT PERSON Rachel Avila		TELEPHONE NUMBER 916-698-2947	FAX NUMBER (Optional) E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional) rachel.avila@cdfa.ca.gov

8. I certify that the attached copy of the regulation(s) is a true and correct copy of the regulation(s) identified on this form, that the information specified on this form is true and correct, and that I am the head of the agency taking this action, or a designee of the head of the agency, and am authorized to make this certification.

SIGNATURE OF AGENCY HEAD OR DESIGNEE
Arima Kozina
Digitally signed by Arima Kozina
Date: 2025.09.15 10:52:28 -0700

TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNATORY
Arima Kozina, Deputy Secretary

DATE

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ENDORSED APPROVED

SEP 19 2025

Office of Administrative Law

Amend the following:

3 CCR § 3280

§ 3280. Japanese Beetle Exterior Quarantine.

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(c) Area Under Quarantine.

- (1) The entire states of Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, and the District of Columbia.
- (2) In Canada: the entire provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Prince Edward Island, and Quebec.

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Note: Authority cited: Sections 407, 5301, 5302 and 5311, Food and Agricultural Code.
Reference: Sections 5024, 5301, 5302, 5311, 5701, 6403, 6441, 6442 and 6461, Food and Agricultural Code.