

TRADE NOTICE
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EXPORTS OF PEARL MILLET GRAINS TO NAMIBIA

The importation of Pearl Millet Grains to Namibia is guided by International Standard Operation Procedures (SOP) in order to ensure food safety, food security and compliance with trade.

Accordingly, the export consignment of pearl millet grains to Namibia shall be accompanied by the following documents:

- A copy of the import permit that is issued by Plant Health Control Sub Division in Namibia, which is in line with the Plant Quarantine Act of 2008.
- A Phytosanitary certificate from the country of origin
- A fumigation certificate (as a proof) from the country of origin

Special import conditions:

- Confirmation on the phytosanitary certificate that the consignment has been fumigated with aluminum phosphate
- A declaration by the importer that the consignment will not be used for planting purposes.
- Free from live insects/pests and weeds
- A consignment without the required documents may be prohibited from entry into Namibia

Application forms

- Applications are available on the Ministry of Agriculture, Water and Forestry portal
- The application fees is N\$150.00
- The import permit is issued after payments.

The details containing Import requirements or Pearl Millets grains to Namibia are attached herewith.

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HIS EXCELLENCY, MR KUMARTUHIN
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Your Excellency

SUBJECT: IMPORT REQUIREMENTS FOR PEARL MILLET GRAINS TO NAMIBIA

I refer to the above captioned subject.

Your Excellency, the Ministry of Agriculture, Water and Forestry (MAWF) hereby acknowledge the receipt of the Verbale No: WIN/226/1/2012 dated 11 October 2017, concerning import requirements for Pearl Millet grains to Namibia.

Namibia is a member of the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC), Codex Alimentarius and World Trade Organisation (WTO). For this reason, the importation of grains to Namibia is guided by International Standard Operation Procedures (SOP) in order to ensure food safety, food security and compliance with trade.

In light of the above, I have honour to submit the Namibian import requirement for pearl millet grains as follow:

An imported consignment to Namibia has to be accompanied by the following documents:

- a copy of the import permit that is issued by Plant Health Control Sub Division in Namibia, which is in line with the Plant Quarantine Act of 2008

- a phytosanitary certificate from the country of origin(international model or equivalent)in this case India.
- a fumigation certificate (as a proof) from the country of origin

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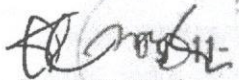
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I would like to draw Your Excellency's attention to the fact that granting and issuance of the permit does exempt the importer from complying with other national laws.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest esteem,


Percy W. Misika

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