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EAB Update

EAB quarantine: consider adding these links to your favorites. In the first one, you will be able to find the Code of Federal Regulations numbers and link, as well as the Wisconsin Administrative Code numbers and link.

[http://emeraldashborer.wi.gov/pdf/
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Wisconsin DATCP has issued a special local need registration for TREE-äge™. This new special registration allows for injection of the product into the trunks of ash trees (*Fraxinus* species) for control of emerald ash borer <http://www.datcp.state.wi.us/arm/environment/insects/emerald-ash-borer/index.jsp>. DATCP previously issued a different Section 24c for Safari (active ingredient dinotefuran) as a trunk spray for the same purpose. 4/30/08

Two EAB infested trees from an Illinois nursery that were discovered on private land in Kenosha County were removed and destroyed.

Michigan Department of Agriculture's Pesticide and Plant Management Division has established quarantine zones in five counties in the Upper Peninsula. 11/10/08

NR 47.950 urban forestry catastrophic storm grant administrative was passed by the Natural Resources Board at their October meeting. The relevant committees of the two houses of the legislature will receive the rules within 10 days after the

opening of the January session. They have up to 60 days to review the rules.

Assuming no objections, the rules will likely take effect April 1, 2009. If you'd like more info on the grant program, contact UF grants manager, Candice Sovinski, at 608-267-3775.

OSHA

OSHA released Compliance Directorate on 6/25/08 forcing all companies to adopt practices designed for the logging industry. Tree Care Industry Association went to work to attempt to have the directive rescinded. The directive was rescinded August 21.

As new legislators take office, please contact them and get to know them so they are familiar with your name when you need their support.

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