

[Subsidiary]

SCHEDULE

The districts of Moshi, Same, Lushoto, Handeni, Pangani and Tanga.

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THE PLANT PROTECTION (PEST AND DISEASE) RULES, 1954

1. These Rules may be cited as the Plant Protection (Pest and Disease) Rules, 1954.

2. Every occupier, or, in the absence of the occupier, every owner of land who has been duly notified by an inspector in writing that a pest or disease which has been declared to be a pest or disease under the Plant Protection Ordinance has been found on his land shall disinfect, spray or otherwise treat such land and infected plant or plants growing thereon in such manner as directed by an inspector in order to reduce or exterminate such pest or disease.

3. Where no other practical means are known to exist for reducing or exterminating such pest or disease and where the presence of such pest or disease, in the opinion of the Senior Agricultural Officer of the Province, constitutes a menace to neighbouring farmers, the Senior Agricultural Officer may by order in writing direct that all infested or diseased plants be uprooted and burnt by the occupier or owner.

4. An inspector may prohibit the removal of any diseased or infested plant or part of a plant (including seed) from the property on which he has notified the presence of a declared pest or disease.

5. An inspector may prohibit the use for propagation purposes of any seed or part of plant taken from a property on which the presence of such pest or disease has been notified to the owner or occupier, and shall give directions for the disposal of such seed or parts of plants in the most economical manner consonant with the safety of crops growing on other properties.