- **6. Quality requirements**—The fruit must meet the quality requirements of Class 1 fruit as specified in paragraphs 6 (a), 6 (b) and 6 (e) of the Standard Grade for the Export of Kiwifruit Notice 1984 (*). In addition:
- (a) The fruit must be reasonably well formed and typical of the variety but the defects of shape as listed in the Schedule of this notice are permitted.
- (b) Provided that the flesh is sound, the keeping quality not seriously impaired and the aggregate area of all skin defects does not exceed 2 square centimetres, then each kiwifruit is permitted the defects as listed in the Schedule of this notice.
- (c) Fruit flesh pressure must average at load out from the coolstore at more than 0.8 kilograms.
 - (Note—Standard Industry procedures are to be adopted).
- **7. Sizing**—(a) The minimum weight for fruit packaged in 10 kg containers shall be 77.8 grams.
- (b) Fruit must be packed within the following count ranges:

Medium 42 to 39.

Large 36 to 33.

Extra large 30 to 25.

- (c) Fruit of weight between 70 and 77.8 grams must be prepacked form only.
- 8. Packaging and presentation—The fruit must meet the requirements of Class 1 fruit as specified in paragraphs 8 (a) and 8 (b) of the Standard Grade for the Export of Kiwifruit Notice 1984 (*). In addition the fruit in medium, large and extra large sizes may only be packed in pre packs containing 7 or 13 pieces.
- 9. Marking—Each package must be clearly labelled Class 2 and comply with the requirements of Class 1 fruit as specified in paragraph 9 of the Standard Grade for the Export of Kiwifruit Notice 1984 (*). In addition individual fruit are to be labelled in a manner to identify the fruit as Class 2 or equivalent.
- **10. Tolerance**—Any one package shall not contain more than 20 percent of fruit by number without a label.

Schedule

1. Allowances for misshapen fruit:

Hayward Mark is permitted provided they are not broken. Inverted marks are not permitted.

Frost damage (during bud development); Fruit that is not malformed or does not have an inverted flower is acceptable. Dropped shoulder; A shoulder with a slope of less than 30° from the horizontal is permitted.

Flats/Fans; Flat fruit are acceptable provided it is not wider than it is long. Square fruit are acceptable. Fan-shaped fruit are not acceptable.

(a) Blemishes:

Skin rub; Surface rub which are not more than 2 square centimetres in area are permitted. Open cracks are not permitted.

Skin burn; Burns that contrast with the colour of the fruit but do not exceed 2 square centimetres in area are permitted. Surface cracking of the burn is acceptable but open cracks in the skin are not permitted.

Old Hail Damage; Surface marks totalling not more than 2 square centimetres in area in which only dry surface cracking is present are permitted. Open cracks are not permitted.

Sun Weathering; All crazing is permitted. Open cracks are not permitted.

Healed Insect Damage; Healed superficial surface chewings not more than 2 square centimetres in area is permitted. Holes in the skin are not permitted.

Fungal Damage; Surface scarring which is not more than 2

square centimetres in area is permitted. Open cracks in the scarring are not permitted.

Other Blemish; An aggregate area of defects not exceeding 2 square centimetres in area is permitted providing no open cracks in the scarring of the skin is present.

Water Stain; (includes other stains of non toxic or pathological nature). Stains must not be black and not significantly contrast with the colour of the fruit.

- (b) Proximity Mark—Any number of marks which are not black or visibly depressed are permitted.
- (c) Sunburn—Purple flecking on the shoulder of fruit is permitted. Olive green fruit are not permitted.
- (d) Skin defects in storage—Marks which contrast with the colour of the fruit but are less than 3 square centimetres in area are permitted including the following:
 - 1. Physiological storage pitting.
 - 2. Purple discolouration.
 - 3. Latent storage stain.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of August 1989.

R. E. W. ELLIOTT, Acting Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries. go12739

Noxious Plants Act 1978

Notice Declaring White-edged Nightshade (Solanum marginatum) a Class B Noxious Plant (No. 4925; Ag. 12/10/18/6)

- 1. Pursuant to section 19 of the Noxious Plants Act 1978, the Noxious Plants Council hereby declares white-edged nightshade (*Solanum marginatum*) to be a Class B noxious plant in that part of New Zealand lying within the boundaries of Silverpeaks District Noxious Plants Authority.
- 2. This notice shall come into effect on the day after its date of notification in the *Gazette*.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of August 1989.

J. L. RANDALL, Secretary.

Noxious Plants Council. go12740

Notice Declaring Woolly Nightshade (Solanum mauritianum) a Class B Noxious Plant (No. 4924; Ag. 12/10/18/6)

- 1. Pursuant to section 19 of the Noxious Plants Act 1978, the Noxious Plants Council hereby declares Woolly nightshade (*Solanum mauritianum*) to be a Class B noxious plant in that part of New Zealand lying within the boundaries of Rangitikei District Noxious Plants Authority.
- 2. This notice shall come into effect on the day after its date of notification in the *Gazette*.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of August 1989.

J. L. RANDALL, Secretary.

Noxious Plants Council. go12741

Notice Declaring Bathurst Bur (*Xanthium spinosum*) a Class B Noxious Plant (No. 4927; Ag. 12/10/18/6)

- 1. Pursuant to section 19 of the Noxious Plants Act 1978, the Noxious Plants Council hereby declares Bathurst bur (Xanthium spinosum) to be a Class B noxious plant in that part of New Zealand lying within the boundaries of Rangitikei and Ashburton District Noxious Plants Authorities.
- 2. This notice shall come into effect on the day after its date of notification in the *Gazette*.