

Rule 40-12-4-.01 Limitations on Noxious Weed Seeds

It is unlawful to sell, offer for sale, or expose for sale, any agricultural or vegetable seed for planting purposes in this State if the noxious weed seeds per pound of pure seed is in excess of the following limitations:

(a) Prohibited Noxious Weed Seed

| Genus | Species | Common Name | Limitations |
|---------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Acalypha | ostryifolia | Hophornbeam Copperleaf | Prohibited |
| Acalypha | virginica | Three-seeded mercury | Prohibited |
| Calystegia | Spp. | Hedge Bindweed | Prohibited |
| Cardiospermum | halicacabum | Balloonvine | Prohibited |
| Convolvulus | arvensis | Bindweed, Field | Prohibited |
| Convolvulus | Equitans | Bindweed, hoary | Prohibited |
| Conyza | canadensis | Horseweed (Marestail) | Prohibited |
| Crotalaria | Spp. | Crotalaria | Prohibited |
| Cyperus | esculentus | Nutsedge, Yellow | Prohibited |
| Cyperus | rotundus | Nutsedge, Purple | Prohibited |
| Euphorbia | heterophylla | Poinsettia, annual; spurge, painted | Prohibited |
| Imperata | brasiliensis | Brazilian satintail | Prohibited |
| Imperata | Brevifolia | Satintail | Prohibited |
| Imperata | cylindrica | Cogongrass | Prohibited |
| Ipomoea | aquatica | Water-spinach, Chinese | Prohibited |
| Ipomoea | muricata | Morningglory, giant | Prohibited |
| Ipomoea | turbinata | Morningglory, Giant or Moonflower | Prohibited |
| Lonicera | japonica | Honeysuckle, common | Prohibited |
| Lonicera | tatarica | Honeysuckle, Tartarian | Prohibited |
| Lythrum | salicaria | Purple loosestrife | Prohibited |
| Nassella | trichotoma | Tussock, Serrated | Prohibited |
| Sesbania | exaltata | Sesbania, hemp | Prohibited |
| Solanum | torvum | terongan; turkeyberry; | Prohibited |
| Solanum | viarum | Tropical Soda Apple | Prohibited |
| Striga | Spp. | Witchweed | Prohibited |
| Xanthium | Spp. | Cocklebur | Prohibited |

(b) Restricted Noxious Weed Seed

| Genus | Species | Common Name | Limitations per pound |
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| Acroptilon | repens | Knapweed, Russian | 100 |
| Agrostemma | githago | Corncockle | 100 |

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| Allium | canadense | Onion, Wild; Onion, wild bulbous | 27 |
| Allium | praecox | Onion, Wild | 27 |
| Allium | vineale | Garlic, Wild | 27 |
| Amaranthus | albus | Pigweed, tumble | 27 |
| Amaranthus | blitoides | Pigweed, prostrate | 27 |
| Amaranthus | hybridus | Pigweed, smooth | 27 |
| Amaranthus | palmeri | Amaranth, Palmer | 27 |
| Amaranthus | powellii | Powell's Amaranth | 27 |
| Amaranthus | retroflexus | Pigweed, redroot (rough) | 27 |
| Amaranthus | spinosus | Pigweed, spiny | 27 |
| Brassica | nigra | Mustard, black; mustard, wild | 27 |
| Sinapis | arvensis L. subsp. Arvensis | Mustard, wild; Turnip, wild | 27 |
| Brassica | tournefortii | Mustard, wild | 27 |
| Bromus | commutatus | Hairy chess | 300 |
| Bromus | secalinus | Cheat | 300 |
| Carduus | acanthoides | Thistle, plumeless | 100 |
| Carduus | nutans | Thistle, musk; Thistle, nodding | 100 |
| Cenchrus | spinifex | Sandbur, coast; Sandbur, Field | 27 |
| Cirsium | arvense | Thistle, Canada | 100 |
| Cirsium | vulgare | Thistle, Bull | 100 |
| Centaurea | benedicta | Thistle, Blessed | 9 |
| Cnicus | benedictus | Thistle, Blessed | 9 |
| Croton | capitatus | Croton, woolly | 27 |
| Croton | glandulosus | Croton, tropic | 27 |
| Cuscuta | Spp. | Dodder | 100 |
| Cynodon | dactylon | Bermuda grass | 300 |
| Echium | vulgare | Blueweed | 200 |
| Elymus | repens | Quackgrass | 100 |
| Helianthus | ciliaris | Blueweed | 200 |
| Ipomoea | hederacea | Morningglory, ivyleaf | 27 |
| Ipomoea | purpurea | Morningglory, tall | 27 |
| Lolium | temulentum | Darnel | 200 |
| Oryza | rufipogon | Rice, Red | 300 |
| Oryza | longistaminata | Rice, Red | 300 |
| Oryza | punctata | Rice, Red | 300 |
| Panicum | texanum | Panicum, Texas or Texas Millet | 27 |
| Paspalum | nicorae | Brunswick grass | 270 |
| Plantago | aristata | Plantain, Bracted | 200 |

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| Plantago | lanceolata | Plantain, Buckhorn | 200 |
| Raphanus | raphanistrum | Radish, Wild | 27 |
| Richardia | scabra | Pusley, Florida; Mexican clover | 27 |
| Rumex | acetosa | Sorrel; sorrel, garden | 27 |
| Rumex | acetosella | Red Sorrel; Sheep Sorrel | 200 |
| Rumex | Spp. | Dock | 100 |
| Senna | occidentalis | Senna, Coffee | 100 |
| Senna | armata | Senna | 100 |
| Senna | obtusifolia | Sicklepod | 100 |
| Senna | tora | Senna, sickle; Coffee weed | 100 |
| Setaria | faberi | Foxtail, Giant | 27 |
| Setaria | grisebachii | Bristlegrass, Grisebach | 27 |
| Setaria | parviflora | Bristlegrass, knotroot | 27 |
| Setaria | pumila subsp. pumila | Bristlegrass, yellow; foxtail, yellow | 27 |
| Setaria | pumila subsp. subtesselata | cattailgrass | 27 |
| Setaria | verticillata | Bristlegrass, bur | 27 |
| Setaria | viridis | Foxtail, green | 27 |
| Silybum | marianum | Milkthistle; Milkthistle, blessed | 100 |
| Solanum | americanum | Nightshade, American black | 100 |
| Solanum | cardiophyllum | Nightshade, heartleaf | 100 |
| Solanum | carolinense | Horsenettle, Carolina; bullnettle | 100 |
| Solanum | dimidiatum | Nightshade, Torrey's | 100 |
| Solanum | dulcamara | Nightshade, bitter | 100 |
| Solanum | elaegnifolium | horsenettle, white nightshade, purple nightshade, silverleaf | 100 |
| Solanum | heterodoxum | nightshade, melonleaf | 100 |
| Solanum | interius | nightshade, inland | 100 |
| Solanum | lanceolatum | nightshade, lanceleaf | 100 |
| Solanum | marginatum | nightshade, white-margined | 100 |
| Solanum | nigrum | Nightshade, Black | 100 |
| Solanum | physalifolium | nightshade, hairy | 100 |
| Solanum | ptychanthum | nightshade, eastern black | 100 |
| Solanum | rostratum | buffalobur | 100 |
| Solanum | tampicense | nightshade, wetland | 100 |
| Solanum | triflorum | Nightshade, Cutleaf | 100 |
| Solanum | villosum | nightshade, hairy | 100 |

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| Sorghum | halepense | Johnsongrass | 100 |
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| Urochloa | texana | Millet, Texas | 27 |

(c) Sum total of Restricted Noxious Weed Seed.....300 per pound

(d) 7 C.F.R. 360 Noxious Weed Regulations is hereby incorporated by reference including all subsequent amendments and editions. All seed and vegetative propagules of weeds listed in 7 C.F.R. 360 including all subsequent amendments and editions are hereby prohibited to be intermixed or commingled with any seed covered under O.C.G.A. 2-11-22.

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