Appendix 1

How to determine whether an organism is present in New Zealand, according to the HSNO database

Introduction

Remember that the HSNO database, although legally authoritative, is quite limited as it is simply a record of statutory and non-statutory determinations.

You may need to refer to New Zealand databases such as the Landcare Databases. The EPA website refers to a number of other databases (plants, insects etc.) that can be used. These databases will give you a reasonable basis to decide whether the particular organism is **likely** to be present in NZ. Refer to Quick Guide 2 for interrogation of Landcare Databases.

HSNO Database

Go to EPA website: [www.epa.govt.nz](http://www.epa.govt.nz)
Click ‘Search Our Records and click HSNO application Register

Enter organism name (in this case ‘Beauveria’) into search engine

This what you get
Click on BER00001 (which is the number of the determination)

Then click on ‘Substances or organism in application’

Scroll through the organisms until you get the species you are searching for