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Power to order  
destruction.

Restriction or prohibition  
of inter-Island movement.

Obstruction etc. an  
offence.

Import or export only  
through certain ports.

Penalty.

Regulations.

Repeal.

5. The C.A.V.O. may at any time in writing direct that any plant imported into the Islands without the permission required by section 3 or any plant with respect to which any condition prescribed under section 4 has not been complied with to his satisfaction be destroyed.

6. The Governor in Council may, when it has been certified by the C.A.V.O. that it is necessary for the prevention of the spread of disease to restrict or prohibit the importation or exportation of plants between the Islands, make Regulations for that purpose.

7. The C.A.V.O., when accompanied by an officer of the Royal Cayman Islands Police Force of the rank of Sergeant or over, may for the purpose of carrying out a directive under section 5, and having obtained the prior written authority of a Justice of the Peace after such Justice of the Peace has been satisfied that it is fit and proper so to do, enter any place where such plant may be, and any person who assaults, obstructs, hinders or resists, or aids or incites any other person to assault, obstruct, hinder or resist any person acting under this section, is guilty of an offence.

8. Any person who imports into or exports from the Islands any plant, other than through —  
(a) in Grand Cayman, the port of George Town or Owen Roberts International Airport; or  
(b) in Cayman Brac, the port of Creek or Gerrard Smith Airport,  
is guilty of an offence.

9. Any person who is guilty of an offence under this Law is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

10. The Governor in Council may make regulations for carrying this Law into effect.

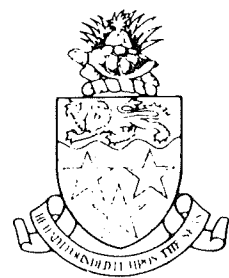
11. The Plants (Importation and Transportation) (Regulation) Law (Revised) is repealed.

Passed the Legislative Assembly this 22nd day of November, 1983.

PETER LLOYD  
President.

SYBIL Mc LAUGHLIN  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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THE PLANTS (REGULATION OF  
IMPORTATION AND EXPORTATION)  
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Law 29 of 1983

I assent

**PETER LLOYD**  
Governor  
22nd December 1983

**A LAW TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT WITH AMENDMENTS  
THE PLANTS (IMPORTATION AND TRANSPORTATION)  
(REGULATION) LAW (REVISED)**

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Cayman Islands.

Short title.

1. This Law may be cited as the Plants (Regulation of Importation and Exportation) Law, 1983.

Interpretation.

2. In this Law —  
“C.A.V.O.” means the Chief Agricultural and Veterinary Officer and any person authorised by him;  
  
“plant” includes any growing plant, cutting, bud, graft, bulb, root or seed, and also any fruit or vegetable intended for propagation or for consumption as food.

No importation or exportation without permission.

3. Any person who, without the written permission of the C.A.V.O., imports into or exports from the Islands any plant is guilty of an offence.

Power to prescribe conditions.

4. The C.A.V.O. may, in granting the permission referred to in section 3, prescribe conditions upon which the importation or exportation is permitted and any person who contravenes any such condition is guilty of an offence.