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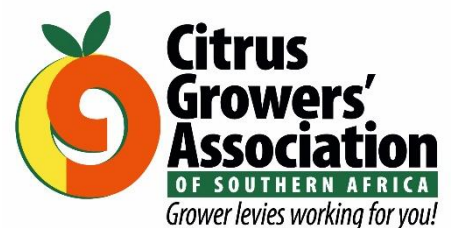
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Chapter 1

Activity P1

Complete this activity to test your knowledge of the entire chapter:

1. Which department develops the minimum export standards for all agricultural products to be exported from South Africa?

The Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development. (DALRRD)

2. What is GLOBALG.A.P.?

GLOBALG.A.P. is a global organisation aimed at ensuring safe, sustainable agriculture.

3. What is the BRC?

The British Retail Consortium is a trade association for retail businesses in the United Kingdom.

4. What is HACCP?

HACCP is a management system in which food safety is addressed through hazard analysis and control.

5. What is SIZA?

SIZA is a membership-based, free-standing, non-profit company, designed to assist growers with ethical labour compliance and environmental assurance whilst minimising costs.

6. What is the IPPC?

The International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC) is a 1951 multilateral treaty.

7. What does the IPPC develop?

ISPMs (International Standards for Phytosanitary Measures)

Chapter 2

Activity P2

Complete this activity to test your knowledge of the entire chapter:

1. What is the PPECB?

The PPECB is a public entity that is the mandated certification agency for perishable export products.

2. Which department assigns the PPECB its responsibilities and duties?

DALRRD.

3. What kind of inspection does the PPECB conduct at the start of season?

Facility inspection.

4. How many of the pallets of fruit packed each season must be inspected by the PPECB?

All of them.

5. What are the two types of inspection services provided by the PPECB?

Quality inspection services at packhouses and cold chain services.

6. What are special markets?

Special markets are export markets that have specific quality, marking and inspection requirements.

7. What is different about the inspections performed for phytosanitary markets?

These inspections also include checking for the presence of specific pest insects and disease symptoms, as per the requirements of the specific market.

8. How long are the outcomes of an inspection valid for?

28 days for oranges and grapefruit and 21 days for soft citrus after the inspection is conducted.