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Subject: New-Caledonian crafts imported in Australia and New-Zealand

I undersigned, Mrs Loïse de Valicourt, certify, after soliciting the Australian and New-Zealand Biosecurity authorities (February 2023), that :

Travelers going back to Australia and New-Zealand are able to bring back the following items from New-Caledonia as personal consignments (as small and non-commercial quantities) under the specified requirements:

Item	Australia	New-Zealand
Declaration and conditions	All items arriving into Australia must be declared on a passenger arrival card. If an item does not meet the below conditions, it must be treated, exported or destroyed at the importer's expense.	All items arriving into New Zealand must be declared on a passenger arrival card. If an item does not meet the below conditions, it must be treated, exported or destroyed at the importer's expense.
Website	Import conditions for all animals, plants and other biological products intended for import into Australia can be searched for and viewed on our Biosecurity Import Conditions database (BICON); <a href="https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/">https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/</a>	For items coming into New Zealand, allowance can be checked by using the following link: <a href="https://www.mpi.govt.nz/bring-send-to-nz/bringing-and-posting-items-to-nz/check-if-you-can-bring-or-send-an-item-to-nz/">https://www.mpi.govt.nz/bring-send-to-nz/bringing-and-posting-items-to-nz/check-if-you-can-bring-or-send-an-item-to-nz/</a>

Wooden products	<p>- Import permit is not required.</p> <p>- Each shipment must be free of live insects and other biosecurity risk material (bark, soil) prior to arrival in Australian territory.</p> <p>- The goods being imported must be listed as a <a href="#">wooden product</a> (carvings, thin wooden articles, jewellery, frames, stationery...)</p> <p><a href="https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/ViewElement/Element/Index?elementPk=1671395&amp;caseElementPk=2048307">https://bicon.agriculture.gov.au/BiconWeb4.0/ViewElement/Element/Index?elementPk=1671395&amp;caseElementPk=2048307</a></p>	Wooden items are allowed if it does not contain bugs, seeds, soil, disease, willow, cane, bamboo, rattan, bark or other plant or animal material. There is no weight limit.
Highly processed goods containing tanned hide	Import permit is not required for goods that are or contain tanned skin and/or hides from animals (including fish).	Item containing animal parts is allowed if it has been commercially processed or mounted so it is free of adherent fat, muscle, sinew, blood, extraneous organic material, pest infestation, evidence of decay, and a high standard of whiteness (if applicable). There is no weight limit.
Candles	Beeswax products (including beeswax wraps, candles and furniture polish) are allowed into Australia for personal use. Beeswax products must be inspected to verify they are clean and free from insects, seeds or other contamination. The products must be clearly identifiable.	Soy candles, Beeswax and beeswax products are allowed if it is commercially refined, manufactured, and packaged. There is no weight limit.

For all legal intents and purposes.

La cheffe du service d'inspection vétérinaire alimentaire et phytosanitaire

*Loïse De Valicourt*  
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