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NOXIOUS WEED MANAGEMENT PLAN

For

Weed Free Certification: Quarry, Mine and Pit

General Conditions for Certification:

- A detailed map of the certification area is required.
- Weed free certification documents must to be established.
- A designated individual or Pest Control Business (or both) must be assigned as responsible for the required weed control activities:

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- The applicant must promptly and aggressively pursue noxious weed control in the project area to be certified, including access roads, and meet all conditions to prevent the transport of noxious weeds, from or to public or private lands on transport vehicles and in the product being delivered.
- Noxious weed control must be continual and ongoing until control is gained, to the satisfaction of the certifying authority.
- The weed management plan will be updated in consultation with a County Weed Biologist every three months or as necessary to prevent infestation of weed free pits and quarries and to prevent spread from weed infested areas.
- Vehicles or machinery will not park in or unnecessarily drive through weed infested areas.
- Inspect all vehicles sent off site regularly to assure that undercarriages and grill works are kept free of weed seed.
- Undercarriages of vehicles or machinery potentially contaminated with noxious weed fruits and seeds will be thoroughly washed before entry is made into non infested areas.
- Erosion control products (hay or straw) or groundcover or any other imported natural material used must be noxious weed free from a **certified** source.
- Inspect aggregate pits and yards, staging and storage areas and access roads to identify and document weed free and weed infested areas and establish a weed control list.
- Promptly take action to remove identified noxious weeds.
- Identified noxious weeds must not be allowed to reach the flowering or seed dispersal stage.
- Prevent small noxious weed patch reproduction (vegetative spread and seed dispersal) while steadily replacing removed weeds with desired plants (naturally or through re-vegetation)
- Prevent weed invasion, establishment, and growth in "protected" areas (high quality areas with highly desirable plant cover, relatively weed-free)
- Prevent or greatly reduce weed seed production and dispersal along roadways and waterways, and from crossing onto neighboring property.
- Periodically check the area where pit material is used to ensure that no target weeds have been transported to the use site. Applicant assumes all responsibility to abate weed infestation caused by the transportation of contaminated material.

Specific Conditions for Certification:

(Access roads: _____

(The mine, quarry or pit internal areas:

(Product stock piles, staging and storage areas:

(Treatment of contaminated stock

(The mine, quarry or pit perimeter:

(Equipment and vehicle parking and storage areas

(Vehicle traffic

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(Timing of chemical sprays and control activities:

(Disposition of slash or cutting debris containing noxious weed seeds:

(Priority weed species list:
