

3597. LETTUCE ROOT APHID HOST-FREE DISTRICTS

State Miscellaneous Ruling

Host-free districts are established against the following pest and its hosts in Monterey County.

- A. Pest.** Lettuce Root Aphid, *Pemphigus bursarius*
- B. Host-Free Districts.** The following areas are declared lettuce root aphid host-free districts:
 - 1. **District 1.** Pajaro Valley.
 - 2. **District 2.** Salinas Valley.
- C. Hosts.** Lombardy poplar, *Populus nigra* cv.'Italica', and lettuce, *Lactuca sativa*.
- D. Restrictions**
 - 1. **The planting, growing, cultivating, or maintenance** in any manner of Lombardy poplar is prohibited except under permit by the Director or Monterey County Agricultural Commissioner.
 - 2. **Lettuce maybe planted, grown, cultivated or maintained** in any lettuce root aphid host-free district at any time, except when prohibited by Section 3611, California Code of Regulations.