

Are you responding on behalf of an organisation?

Yes

What is the name of the organisation?

████████████████████

What industry do you represent?

██████████

State or Territory

National

Are you a currently an agricultural levy payer?

No

What commodity(ies) do you currently produce?

██████████████

How would you like to provide your feedback?

Answer questions

How should a producer be defined for the purposes of the Biosecurity Protection Levy?

A producer in our industry should be defined as ████████████████████ for sale

Are definitions from existing levies legislation appropriate (see levies related legislation) legislation?

Producers have always been captured through the collection mechanism.

If your submission relates to a commodity that is not subject to existing agricultural levies, how would you define a producer for that commodity?

Our industry does pay levies through [REDACTED]

What should the levy rate look like for the commodities of interest to you?

You can refer to page 5 of the consultation paper for further details.

Our understanding is the new levy will be across the total levies rather than placed on only one of the already existing levies for our industry.

Should any thresholds and/or exemptions should be considered?

I would not see exemptions being made for [REDACTED] but possibly [REDACTED]

How should Biosecurity Protection Levy collection arrangements and mechanisms be implemented for your commodity of interest?

These would be implemented through [REDACTED]

What information would be important to you to have confidence the levy is proportionate to biosecurity system benefits?

Some response of the work being undertaken that is of benefit to the industry would be useful. Eg. Have there been [REDACTED] stopped at the border that has protected our industry and helped to reduce risk? The % of [REDACTED] that have been intercepted or other practices that have taken place of interest to our industry. Eg. If there was a [REDACTED] disease outbreak in one of our neighbouring countries, how this levy benefits surveillance.

Is your response confidential?

No

Do you agree to your response being published on our website?

Yes

Please de-identify my response

Yes

I have read and understood the privacy notice and consent to the collection, use and disclosure of my personal information as outlined in the privacy notice.

Yes

Confirm that you have read and understand this declaration.

Yes
