

ATTENTION TRAVELLERS

In order to protect St. Lucia's Agricultural, Ornamental and Forest Plants from the threat of Foreign Pests and diseases, please note the following conditions:

- No person shall import, or offer for entry into St. Lucia, any planting material, fruit, vegetable, plant product, handicraft items from plants, plant materials, or plant products, except under a permit in accordance with the Plant Protection Act. No 21 of 1988.**
- On arrival into St. Lucia, the Plant Material and Products will be inspected or detained for inspection by a Plant Quarantine Officer from the Ministry of agriculture. The Plant material and Products should be accompanied by a Plant-Health (Phytosanitary) Certificate from the country of origin.**
- The following is a guide to the entry status for Plant Material and Products:**

Plantain and Bananas (All Parts and handicraft items)	PROHIBITED
Yam and Sweet Potato	PROHIBITED
Citrus	PROHIBITED
Plant rooted in SOIL	PROHIBITED
Anthurium Lilies, Heliconia & Ginger Lilies	PROHIBITED
Packing Material, Grass, Straw, Shag or Trash, Used Bags, etc.	PROHIBITED
Soil	PROHIBITED
Coconut and Palms (All parts and handicraft items)	PROHIBITED

All other Plant Material
e.g. Food Crops, Vegetables,
Fruits, Cut Flowers

- Commercial Consignments
- Planting Materials (GERMPLASM)

Must be authorized by a
Plant Import Permit.
Must also be accompanied by
A Phytosanitary Certificate
From the Country of Origin

**The Plant Quarantine Service should be notified 48 hours before arrival/inspection of consignments.
Detained items must be claimed within 48 hours**

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