

**Controls for the Schedules of the Biological Agents and Toxins Act**

Controls	First Schedule Biological Agent		Second Schedule Biological Agent	Third Schedule Biological Agent	Fourth Schedule Biological Agent	Fifth Schedule	Inactivated Biological Agent	
	Part I	Part II					First Schedule	Second Schedule
Certified Facility	✓	✓	✓	X	X	X	X	X
Protected Place	X	✓	✓	X	X	✓	X	X
Approval to Possess (for first-time use)	✓	✓	✓	X	X	✓	X	X
Large Scale Production <sup>1</sup>	✓	✓	Prohibited	✓	X	X	X	X
Special Approval to Handle	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X	X
Import Permit	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Transshipment Permit	✓	✓	✓	X	X	✓	X	X
Transfer Notification <sup>2</sup>	✓	✓	✓	X	X	✓	X	X
Failure of Receipt Notification <sup>3</sup>	✓	✓	✓	X	X	✓	X	X
Incident Notification <sup>4</sup>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Legend: ✓ = Required  
 X = Not Applicable

<sup>1</sup> Large scale production is the production of the biological agent using equipment at a facility capable of producing in aggregate 10 or ore litres of culture of the biological agent at any one time.

<sup>2</sup> Transfer notification is mandatory for First Schedule Part II and Second Schedule biological agents and Fifth Schedule toxins; and it is highly recommended for First Schedule Part I biological agents.

<sup>3</sup> Notification of failure of receipt is mandatory for First Schedule Part II and Second Schedule biological agents and Fifth Schedule toxins; and it is highly recommended for First Schedule Part I biological agents.

<sup>4</sup> Notification is mandatory for First, Second and Third Schedule biological agents and Fifth Schedule toxins; and it is recommended for Fourth Schedule and Inactivated biological agents.