

PEST FREE AREA OF CEARÁ STATE
Anastrepha grandis

Communication from Brazil

The following communication, dated 26 May 2005, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Brazil.

1. The Secretariat of Animal and Plant Health of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply - SDA/MAPA issued Normative Instruction N° 6 on 8 March 2005, published in the "Diário Oficial da União" (Federal Official Journal) on 9 March 2005, to revalidate the recognition as an *Anastrepha grandis* Pest Free Area, the area concerning seven counties of Ceará State, as follows: Aracati, Itaiçaba, Jaguaruana, Icapuí, Russas, Quixeré e Limoeiro do Norte. The revalidation of the recognition of the area in question should be of one year from the date of its publication in the Federal Official Journal.

2. The text may be downloaded from the following Internet site:

http://www.agricultura.gov.br/pls/portal/docs/PAGE/MAPA/LEGISLACAO/PUBLICACOES_DOU/PUBLICACOES_DOU_2005/PUBLICACOES_DOU_MARCO_2005/DO1_2005_03_09-MAPA_MAPA.PDF (available only in Portuguese, a single page).

E-mail: cgome@agricultura.gov.br
