

Terrestrial Code

Addresses ‘containers’ in several places, e.g. prior to exportation so indeed the container could be via sea even if a ‘container’ was within a larger sea container. Mostly related to trade in live animals or poultry hatching eggs.

Guidelines for Assessing the Risk of Non-native Animals Becoming Invasive

Refers to hitchhiker pests but only in the framework of conducting a Risk Assessment, not specific risk management measures:

https://www.woah.org/en/document/oieguidelines_nonnativeanimals_2012/



World Organisation
for Animal Health
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Animal health and food safety standards related to container cleanliness

Code of hygienic practice for fresh fruits and vegetables – CXC 53 2003

This document covers more transportation from field to processor and refers to the following text for the onward transportation:

Code of Hygienic Practice for the transport of Food in Bulk and semi-packed food – CXC 47 - 2001

While this is a bit dated, it does have a section related to transport and food transportation units themselves including the material type, hygienic design etc. this is section 8.4.

Code of practice for the packaging and transport of fresh fruits and vegetables CXC 44 - 1995

It covers some aspects related to cleanliness especially in 2.8 to 2.10. Again, this is somewhat dated and has not been revised for some time.

