STOP
CRATE INVADERS

Cunning crate invaders like the Asian Longhorned Beetle may be coming in with your cargo.

Each year, wood-boring stowaways are accidentally imported into the U.S. inside solid wood packing materials from foreign countries. Once here, exotic pests can easily spread and destroy trees throughout the U.S.

If you handle solid wood packing materials, carefully check crates, pallets and other wood shipping containers for exit/entry holes, larvae, sawdust or live insects.

IF YOU FIND AN UNUSUAL PEST OR SUSPECT ITS PRESENCE, CONTACT:

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