

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

26 July 2022

VARROA MITE SURVEILLANCE ZONE

Costa Group Holdings Limited (Costa; ASX: CGC), Australia's leading grower, packer and marketer of fresh fruit and vegetables notes the announcement by NSW DPI of a new detection of varroa mite honey bee disease near Nana Glen north-west of Coffs Harbour.

A 10km eradication, 25km surveillance and 50km biosecurity zone has been set up around the detection site. Costa's Corindi berry farm falls within the 25km surveillance zone, which means DPI officials monitor and inspect managed and feral honeybees in this zone to limit the extent of any further incursions.

These bees can continue to be used for pollination purposes in the surveillance zone and Costa will closely monitor the situation and cooperate fully with any surveillance requirements, including working with apiarists to limit the threat of any further incursion.

This release is authorised by David Thomas, Company Secretary, Costa Group Holdings Ltd.

About Costa (ASX:CGC) - Costa is Australia's leading grower, packer and marketer of fresh fruit & vegetables and operates principally in five core categories: berries, mushrooms, glasshouse tomatoes, citrus and avocados. Operations include approximately +7,000 planted hectares of farmland, 40 hectares of glasshouse facilities and three mushroom growing facilities across Australia. Costa also has strategic foreign interests, with majority owned joint ventures covering six blueberry farms in Morocco and four berry farms in China, covering approximately 740 planted hectares.

For further information contact: Michael Toby – Corporate Affairs Manager T: +613 8363 9071