## Basis for changes to the Pale Cyst Nematode (PCN) Regulated Area December 9, 2008

Since the last update to the PCN Regulated Area on June 26, 2008, 20 fields (approximately 1183 acres in total) have been released from regulation under the Federal PCN Interim Rule (effective November 1, 2007).

The locations of the deregulated fields are as follows: T01N, R37E, sections 16, 17, 21, 25, 26, 28, and 36; T01S, R37E, section 1; T02S, R36E, section 11 (Bingham County, ID) and T01N, R37E, sections 8, 10, 14; T01N, R38E, sections 17, 30, and 31 (Bonneville County, ID). These fields were deregulated after completing a release protocol (comprised of a sequence of surveys with negative laboratory results for PCN) in accordance with the Federal PCN Interim Rule subpart 301.86-3(d)(2) *Removal of fields from quarantine – Associated fields*.