

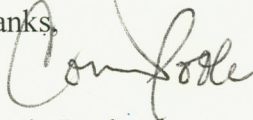
Dear Customers,

It has come to my attention that the ISPM 15 international guidelines for regulating Wood Packaging Materials has some strict regulations regarding usage of dunnage stamped lumber. I've been informed that when lumber is nailed, bolted or screwed into other product it is no longer considered to be dunnage. Lumber that is banded to or wedged around product to keep it from moving is the appropriate use of the dunnage stamped material. If lumber is nailed, bolted, or screwed to a wooden base, it becomes a part of the unit and the whole unit must be stamped with the IPPC pallet stamp.

As a member of the National Hardwood Lumber Associations' heat treatment program, we are authorized to adhere the IPPC audit mark. You may also stamp heat treated lumber by becoming a member of any agency accredited for auditing wood packaging materials. All this is important to us for two reasons: One, we don't want your product to get turned away or destroyed at some international port because it is improperly stamped, and two, we don't want Kentuckiana Wood Products to lose our ability to participate in the heat treatment program, provide a service to our customers or be levied heavy fines for violating the ISPM 15 guidelines. Obviously we want to continue to supply you with dunnage material, but now that we are both a little clearer regarding the guidelines please be careful not to jeopardize your products safe arrival to its destination, and our ability to make a living by inappropriate usage of dunnage stamped material.

Please feel free to call me to discuss this matter, or you may call Wayne Tomas, Technical Service Director at National Hardwood Lumber Association (901) 377-1818, or you may check the applicable regulations at the time of export at <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/nppo.isp>. Thank you in advance for your patience and integrity.

Thanks,



Connie Poole

President & CEO

Kentuckiana Wood Products, Inc.