

Species Assessment Group - Summary of group ratings Date: _____

Species: *Pinus sylvestris*

Members of the SAG:

Ratings for Criteria - 1st round	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Total #	Average
1. Current status and distribution	3	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	2								
2. Establishment potential	4	2	2	1	2	1	2	2	2								
3. Damage potential	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2								
4. Prevention and control potential	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	2								
5. Socio-economic impacts	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	ii	1								
Totals - 1st round	Prohibited			Restricted				Watch			Non-restricted				Insufficient Information		
Number of votes for each classification								xxxxx			xxxx						

Comments:1 - Concerned about spreading in natural areas in northern WI, especially in rare ecosystems like Moquah Barrens. No problem with exemption for christmas trees. Now is the time to contain species that are not yet widespread. 3- This a major christmas tree species, dwarf cultivars are not invasive at all, and are commercially important. the species is generally very pest prone (insects and diseases). 4 - This species would be relatively easy to prevent and control, have cut plants in nursery with no re-sprouting, no herbicide would likely be necessary. Very economically important species, one christmas tree grower sold \$400,000 annually. 7 - There should be exemptions for cultivars.

Ratings for Criteria - 2nd round	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Total #	Average
1. Current status and distribution																	
2. Establishment potential																	
3. Damage potential																	
4. Prevention and control potential																	
5. Socio-economic impacts																	
Totals - 2nd round	Prohibited			Restricted				Watch			Non-restricted				Insufficient Information		
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Final Recommended Classification : Non-restricted

Final Comments/Rationale: