

# Firewood: Federal Regulations

- The EAB Federal Regulation governs interstate movement
- All hardwood species regulated
- No ash exclusion
- Treatment options
  - Removal of all bark and ½ inch of wood
  - Kiln Dried (Max. thickness of 3 inches)
  - Fumigated with MB
  - Heat Treated
- What to look for
  - USDA Shield or
  - PPQ Form 540
- All noncompliant material stays in IL
- Contact Information
  - Des Plaines: 847-298-3136
  - Swansea: 618-624-5028

A document titled "FEDERAL CERTIFICATE - PPQ Form 540". It features a small shield logo at the top left with the text "U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE" and "NATIONAL FORESTRY SERVICE". Below the logo is a section for "CERTIFICATE" with a warning: "The information on this certificate is for use only by the recipient and is not to be distributed to the public." The form contains several fields for "DATE OF ISSUE", "STATE OF ORIGIN", "COUNTRY OF ORIGIN", "PRODUCTS AND QUANTITIES", "REMARKS", and "SIGNATURE OF THE REGISTRAR". At the bottom, it says "NATIONALLY REGISTERED OR ALTERNATION OF USE" and "OFFICIAL USE ONLY". A small URL is at the bottom: "[Updated 22 http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ehp/ehp/ehp/PPQ540.pdf]". A red arrow points from the text "PPQ Form 540" in the list to this form.