

NOTICE TO TRAVELLERS CARRYING PLANTS



A bacterium, *Xylella fastidiosa*, currently present in Italy, causes a deadly disease on olive trees, oleander, prunus, vines, citrus... Vecteded by insects, the disease can also affect many ornamental plants.

**TRAVELLER'S ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE PROHIBITION OF
BRINGING 200 SPECIES OF PLANTS INTO CORSICA**

Intensified disembarkation screenings are planned to verify compliance with the ban.

**IN CASE OF VIOLATION, THE PLANTS WILL BE CONFISCATED AND
DESTROYED**

**PENALTIES OF UP TO TWO YEARS IMPRISONMENT AND 300 000 €
FINE WILL BE APPLIED**

The list of concerned plants, as well as additional information, is available on the Government website.

