



New York Among Four States Asking Feds For Help Keeping Bugs At Bay

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New York, Connecticut, California and Illinois are asking the Department of Agriculture to find better ways to keep pests like the Asian Long Horned Beetle out of the country.

The states say the beetles stow away on overseas freighters, and once they arrive in the city, they wreak havoc on local trees which then have to be cut down.

A USDA spokeswoman says the department is reviewing the suit.