

**Species Assessment Group - Summary of group ratings** Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Species:** *Paulownia tomentosa*

**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	4	4	3	1	1	3	4	4									
2. Establishment potential	4	4	4	1	1	2	4	4									
3. Damage potential	4	4	3	1	1	2	4	4									
4. Prevention and control potential	4	4	3	1	ii	2	4	4									
5. Socio-economic impacts	4	4	3	1	ii	1	2	4									
<b>Totals - 1st round</b>	Prohibited			Restricted				Watch				Non-restricted				Insufficient Information	
Number of votes for each classification	xxxxx			x				xx				x					

Comments:3 - It is not typically grown in WI. It dies back to the ground most years, not fully hardy. It is very invasive in the Southern US. 4 - Seriously doubt the trees will produce seed in WI. At Olbrich Botanical Gardens the plant has never lived above ground through the winter. It is a valuable dieback plant for landscaping in WI. It is so far out of its range that it would be like restricting bananas. 5 - Even though these shouldn't be a threat, keep them out just in case. The only nursery selling these went bankrupt.

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																	
<b>Totals - 2nd round</b>	Prohibited			Restricted				Watch				Non-restricted				Insufficient Information	
Number of votes for each classification																	

**Final Recommended Classification :** Prohibited

Final Comments/Rationale: Prohibited with permit for botanical specimen at Olbrich Botanical Gardens