



Biosecurity (Costs) Amendment Regulations 2023

Cindy Kiro, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 22nd day of May 2023

Present:

Her Excellency the Governor-General in Council

These regulations are made under section 165 of the Biosecurity Act 1993—

- (a) on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council; and
- (b) on the recommendation of the Minister for Biosecurity made after consultation in accordance with section 164D(2) of that Act.

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Regulations

1 Title

These regulations are the Biosecurity (Costs) Amendment Regulations 2023.

2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 1 July 2023.

3 Principal regulations

These regulations amend the Biosecurity (Costs) Regulations 2010.

4 Regulation 8 amended (Travel costs)

- (1) In regulation 8(2)(a), replace “\$34.86” with “\$53.00”.
- (2) In regulation 8(2)(ab), replace “\$70.75” with “\$107.57”.
- (3) In regulation 8(2)(b), replace “\$109.24” with “\$166.10”.
- (4) In regulation 8(2)(c), replace “\$149.19” with “\$226.84”.
- (5) In regulation 8(4), replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.

5 Regulation 9 amended (Waiting-time costs)

In regulation 9(3)(a), replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.

6 Regulation 10 amended (Call-out costs)

- (1) In regulation 10(3)(a), replace “\$116.16” with “\$233.25”.
- (2) In regulation 10(3)(b), replace “\$130.05” with “\$311.00”.
- (3) In regulation 10(4A)(a), replace “\$222.28” with “\$337.97”.

7 Schedule amended

- (1) In the Schedule, item 1, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (2) In the Schedule, item 2, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (3) In the Schedule, item 3, replace “\$18.08” with “\$27.49”.
- (4) In the Schedule, item 4, replace “\$49.53” with “\$75.31”.
- (5) In the Schedule, item 5, replace “\$60.79” with “\$92.43”.
- (6) In the Schedule, replace item 6 with:

6	Inspection of unaccompanied goods imported for personal use of the importer for the purpose of ascertaining whether those goods should be cleared	\$38.88 for 1 item \$77.74 for 2 to 4 items \$155.50 for 5 to 12 items \$202.15 for 13 to 20 items \$241.03 for 21 to 28 items \$279.89 for 29 to 36 items \$38.88 for each block or part block of 8 items exceeding 36 items	Importer
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- (7) In the Schedule, item 7, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (8) In the Schedule, item 8, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (9) In the Schedule, item 9, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (10) In the Schedule, item 10, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (11) In the Schedule, item 11, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (12) In the Schedule, item 12, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (13) In the Schedule, item 16, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (14) In the Schedule, item 17,—
- (a) replace “\$191.95” with “\$233.25”; and
- (b) replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (15) In the Schedule, replace item 18 with:

18	Processing an application for approval of a transitional or containment facility, or a facility operator	\$1,244.00 for each application processed, plus \$155.50 per hour for each inspector or biosecurity adviser for processing beyond the first 8 hours	Applicant
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- (16) In the Schedule, item 19, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (17) In the Schedule, item 20, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (18) In the Schedule, item 21, replace “\$298.05” with “\$453.18”.
- (19) In the Schedule, item 23, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (20) In the Schedule, item 24, replace “\$102.27” with “\$155.50”.
- (21) In the Schedule, item 25, replace “\$155.00” with “\$135.00”.

Rachel Hayward,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations, which come into force on 1 July 2023, amend the Biosecurity (Costs) Regulations 2010.

The amendments—

- increase various fees:
- reduce the fee for support provided by technical staff from \$155.00 per hour to \$135.00 per hour.

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2019.

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These regulations are administered by the Ministry for Primary Industries.