Freshwater Fish Farming Amendment Regulations (No 2) 2000

Pursuant to sections 89 and 91 of the Fisheries Act 1983 and sections 297 and 301 of the Fisheries Act 1996, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, makes the following regulations.

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1 Title

- (1) These regulations are the Freshwater Fish Farming Amendment Regulations (No 2) 2000.
- (2) In these regulations, the Freshwater Fish Farming Regulations 1983¹ are called "the principal regulations".

2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 1 October 2000.

¹ SR 1983/278

3 Fees

- (1) Regulation 15A of the principal regulations is amended by inserting, after subclause (1), the following subclause:
- "(1A) If the cost of processing an application (in respect of which a fee is prescribed in the Schedule) at the rate of \$202.62 per hour or part of an hour—
 - "(a) is less than the prescribed fee, the chief executive must remit the balance of the prescribed fee:
 - "(b) is more than the prescribed fee, the applicant must pay the additional amount."
- (2) Regulation 15A of the principal regulations is amended by revoking subclause (3).

4 New Schedule substituted

The principal regulations are amended by revoking the Schedule, and substituting the Schedule set out in the Schedule of these regulations.

5 Revocations

The following regulations are consequentially revoked:

- (a) Freshwater Fish Farming Amendment Regulations 1997 (SR 1997/191):
- (b) Freshwater Fish Farming Amendment Regulations 1998 (SR 1998/280).

Schedule r 4
New Schedule substituted in principal regulations
Schedule r 15A

Fees

Matter in respect of which fee Fee (\$) payable

Application for fish-farm licence under regulation 8

3,039.30

Schedule—continued

Application for variation of conditions of fish-farm licence under regulation 8 (on application of licence holder)	1,215.60
Application for renewal of fish-farm licence under regulation 11	1,215.60
Application for approval of transfer of fish-farm licence under regulation 12	1,215.60
Application for each approval, authority, or consent of the Director-General granted under any of regulations 17, 18, and 22—	
(a) in respect of a single occasion or transaction only	101.31
(b) in any other case	405.24
Martin Bell, for 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 October 2000, amend the Freshwater Fish Farming Regulations 1983.

The amendments—

- (a) increase the fees payable for applications in respect of fish-farm licences and approvals; and
- (b) require the remission of part of the fees payable for those applications or the payment of additional amounts, based on the time taken to process the applications at a specified hourly rate.

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