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THE APIARIES PROTECTION REGULATIONS 1957

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 12th day of June 1957

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Apiaries Act 1927, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. These regulations may be cited as the Apiaries Protection Regulations 1957.

2. Except pursuant to a permit from the Director-General of Agriculture and in accordance with the conditions contained in the permit, no person shall, during the period between the first day of September in any year and the thirty-first day of March following, apply any spray or dust which is toxic to bees to any cruciferous or leguminous field crop while it is in flower.

3. Except pursuant to a permit from the Director-General of Agriculture and in accordance with the conditions contained in the permit, no person shall, during the period between the first day of September in any year and the thirty-first day of March following, apply any spray or dust which is toxic to bees to any cruciferous or leguminous crop at any time when flowering plants which attract bees are present in such quantity within these crops that any such application would be likely to damage or destroy foraging bees.

T. J. SHERRARD,
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 prohibit the application to cruciferous field crops such as chou mollier, swedes, rape, and turnips, and to leguminous field crops such as clovers and lucerne, of sprays and dust that are toxic to bees, at any time during the period between 1 September in any year and 31 March following while the crop is in flower or while flowering plants which attract bees are present in such quantity within the crop that any such application would be likely to damage or destroy foraging bees.

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