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**THE ANIMALS QUARANTINE AND IMPORT INSPECTION
FEES REGULATIONS 1968**

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 23rd day of September
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Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Animals Act 1967, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Animals Quarantine and Import Inspection Fees Regulations 1968.

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*, and shall apply to animals introduced into New Zealand on and after the day on which these regulations come into force.

2. Quarantine fees—The fees prescribed by regulations 3, 4, and 5, hereof shall be payable for the transport, sustenance, care, testing, dipping, inspection, and other treatment of animals imported into New Zealand. The fees so prescribed are in substitution for the scale of fees and charges set out in the Fifteenth Schedule to the regulations for the prevention of the introduction into New Zealand of diseases affecting stock made under the Stock Act 1908 on the 4th day of October 1915*, as substituted by regulation 2 of the Stock Importation Amending Regulations 1967†.

(2) The regulations and Schedule specified in regulation 6 hereof shall, notwithstanding their revocation, continue to apply to animals introduced into New Zealand before the commencement of these regulations as if the regulations and Schedule specified in regulation 6 hereof continued in force.

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3. Fees and charges—(a) Fees in respect of transport, sustenance, and care shall be payable as follows:

	Per Day \$
Horses, asses, and mules	3.50
Foals born while in transit to New Zealand or in quarantine	2.25
Cattle	3.50
Calves born while in transit to New Zealand or in quarantine	2.25
Goats	2.00
Swine	2.00
Swine (sow plus litter)	3.00
Sheep	2.00
Lambs born while in transit to New Zealand or in quarantine	1.00
Dogs	1.75
Dogs—pups under 2 months old	1.00

(b) Testing charges shall be payable as follows:

Cattle—	
For each animal up to 10	10.50
For each additional animal over 10 the property of the same owner	5.50
Plus blue tongue test if required each animal	140.00
(Plus \$30 for each test sheep in excess of two if required)	
Plus probang test (if required)	35.00
Swine—	
For each animal up to 10	4.50
For each additional animal over 10 the property of the same owner	2.50

Horses, asses, mules, sheep, goats, and dogs—

The costs of any tests or examinations on these animals required to be carried out at the direction of the Director-General or Chief Veterinary Officer shall be charged to the importer at the actual costs of the service at the time.

(c) Dipping charges shall be payable as follows:

For one sheep	1.50
For each additional sheep the property of the same owner	0.50

4. Veterinary, inspection, and supervision fees—The following fees shall be payable for the examination, inspection, and supervision in respect of animals not quarantined:

Dogs, cats, sheep, and goats—		\$
For one animal		4.00
For each additional animal the property of the same owner		1.00
Horses, asses, and mules—		
For one animal		4.00
For each additional animal the property of the same owner		2.00

	\$
Birds, lizards, and fish—	
For approved scientific and medical research purposes	No charge
For each other consignment	4.00
Toads, mice, animal semen, and eggs—	
For approved scientific and medical research purposes	No charge
For each other consignment	1.50
Circus animals, animals for zoological gardens, etc.:	
Animals belonging to a circus or menagerie, performing animals, wild or domesticated animals, animals for zoological gardens class A, and animals not otherwise provided for—	
For one animal	4.00
For each additional animal	1.00
Maximum fee for any one circus or menagerie or con- signment of animals	25.00

5. Besides the charges specified in the foregoing provisions of these regulations for transport, sustenance, care, testing, and dipping, the costs and expenses of disinfecting animals, or the vessel by which they arrive, or the vehicle on which they are conveyed to the quarantine station, or the fittings used in connection with the animals, or the effects of their attendants, as well as all other charges and expenses of every description incurred in connection with the importation of animals shall be payable by the importer.

6. **Revocations**—The following regulations are hereby revoked:

- (a) Regulation 41 and the Fifteenth Schedule to the said regulations for the prevention of the introduction into New Zealand of diseases affecting stock made under the Stock Act 1908 on the 4th day of October 1915*:
- (b) The Stock Importation Amending Regulations 1967†.

P. J. BROOKS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the charges payable in connection with the quarantine, veterinary inspection, and supervision of animals, etc., introduced into New Zealand.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Agriculture.