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THE DAIRY BOARD ELECTION REGULATIONS 1937, AMENDMENT NO. 2

B. C. FREYBERG, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1950

Present:

THE HON. K. J. HOLYOAKE PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Agriculture (Emergency Powers) Act, 1934, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

- 1. These regulations may be cited as the Dairy Board Election Regulations 1937, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Dairy Board Election Regulations 1937* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).
- 2. These regulations shall come into force on the seventh day after notification in the *Gazette* of the making thereof.
- 3. Clause (3) of Regulation 1 of the principal regulations is hereby amended as follows:—
 - (a) By inserting, next following the definition of the term "Company", the following definition:—
 - ""Corporate elector' means a company (as herein defined) being a corporate body, which is the owner or occupier of a dairy factory:":
 - (b) By adding to the definition of the term "joint elector" the words "or a corporate elector":(c) By inserting, next following the word "elector" where that
 - (c) By inserting, next following the word "elector" where that word first occurs in the definition of the term "voter", the words "a corporate elector".
- 4. Regulation 2 of the principal regulations is hereby amended as follows:—
 - (a) By revoking clause (5) thereof, and substituting the following new clauses:—
 - "(5) In the case of a company being a joint elector (that is to say, a company being a partnership firm, or consisting of two or more persons otherwise in common or jointly entitled, or otherwise being an unincorporated association of persons) the roll shall contain the name of that company entered thereon, together with—
 - "(a) The usual business address of that company; and
 - "(b) The surname, first name, and postal address of the voting representative of that company.

^{*} Statutory Regulations 1936-37, Serial number 161/1937, page 597.
Amendment No. 1: Statutory Regulations 1949, Serial number 1949/2, page 2.

"(5A) In the case of a company being a corporate elector the roll shall contain the name of the company entered thereon, together with—

"(a) The address of the registered office of the company if it is a corporate body required to have a

registered office; or

"(b) The usual business address of the company if it is a corporate body not required to have a registered office.":

(b) By inserting, next following the words "voting representative" in clause (6) thereof, the words "of a joint elector":

- (c) By revoking the words "first Wednesday in the month of May" in clause (7) thereof, and substituting the words "third Wednesday in the month of April":
- (d) By inserting, next following the word "company" in clause (9) thereof, the words "being a joint elector".
- 5. Regulation 3 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking clause (2) thereof.
- **6.** Regulation 4 of the principal regulations is hereby amended as follows:—
 - (a) By inserting, next following clause (2) thereof, the following new clause:—

"(2A) Every nomination by a company being a corporate elector shall be made by instrument under its common seal.":

- (b) By revoking the words "first Wednesday in the month of June" in clause (5) thereof, and substituting the words "third Wednesday in the month of May".
- 7. The form numbered 1 in the Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended as follows:—
 - (a) By inserting, after the words "voting representative" where those words first occur in the said form, the words "or common seal of corporate elector":
 - (b) By revoking the words "or registered company or other corporate body", and substituting the words "or to be under the common seal of a registered company or other corporate body".

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 purport]

Under the principal regulations the power of a dairy company or other corporate body, being the owner of a dairy factory, to nominate a candidate or to vote at elections of elective members of the New Zealand Dairy Board is exercisable through a voting representative appointed by the dairy company or other corporate body and not otherwise.

The effect of the amending regulations is that this requirement in its application to such bodies is revoked and replaced by provisions giving to dairy companies and other corporate bodies direct power to nominate candidates by instrument under their common seal and to vote at elections of members of the Board. In order to give such bodies sufficient time for the nomination of candidates and for voting the periods between the closing of the roll, the closing of nominations and the closing of the poll have been extended by fourteen days.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Agriculture.