



MEAT (RESIDUES) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 1999

MICHAEL HARDIE BOYS, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 28th day of June 1999

Present:

THE RIGHT HON JENNY SHIPLEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 49 of the Meat Act 1981, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, makes the following regulations.

ANALYSIS

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| 1. Title and commencement | | 2. Maximum permissible levels of substances in stock or farmed deer |
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REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Meat (Residues) Amendment Regulations 1999, and are part of the Meat (Residues) Regulations 1996* (“the principal regulations”).

(2) These regulations come into force on the 28th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Maximum permissible levels of substances in stock or farmed deer—(1) Regulation 4 (4) of the principal regulations is amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(b) That is named in column 1 of the First Table to the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Mandatory Food Standard 1999 issued under sections 11c and 11z of the Food Act 1981; and”.

(2) Regulation 4 (4) of the principal regulations is amended by revoking paragraph (c), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(c) In relation to which column 2 of that table specifies any type of tissue in the nature of meat or game meat (including liver, kidney, fat or meat fat, or edible offal) that would apply to the particular kind of stock or farmed deer concerned,—”.

(3) Regulation 4 of the principal regulations is amended—

(a) By omitting from subclause (4) the words “the third column” (where they appear after the end of paragraph (c)), and substituting the expression “column 3”:

(b) By omitting from subclause (5) the words “the first column of the Second Table to regulation 257 of the Food Regulations 1984”, and substituting the words “column 1 of the First Table to the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Mandatory Food Standard 1999”:

(c) By omitting from subclause (5) the words “the second column” and also the words “the third column”, and substituting, respectively, the expressions “column 2” and “column 3”.

(4) Regulation 4 (6) of the principal regulations is amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(b) That is named in column 1 of the First Table to the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Mandatory Food Standard 1999 issued under sections 11c and 11z of the Food Act 1981; and”.

(5) Regulation 4 (6) of the principal regulations is amended—

(a) By omitting from paragraph (c) the words “the second column”, and substituting the expression “column 2”:

(b) By omitting from subclause (6) the words “the third column” (where they appear after the end of paragraph (c)), and substituting the expression “column 3”.

(6) Regulation 4 (7) of the principal regulations is amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(b) That is named in column 1 of the First Table to the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Mandatory Food Standard 1999 issued under sections 11c and 11z of the Food Act 1981; and”.

(7) Regulation 4 (7) of the principal regulations is amended—

(a) By inserting, after the expression “‘Any food’” where it twice occurs, the expression “or the words ‘Any food (except cereals)’”:

(b) By omitting from paragraph (c) the words “the second column”, and substituting the expression “column 2”:

- (c) By omitting the words “the third column” (where they appear after the end of paragraph (c)), and substituting the expression “column 3”.

MARIE SHROFF,
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 the 28th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*, amend the Meat (Residues) Regulations 1996 in relation to the maximum levels at which various substances may be present in stock or farmed deer.

Regulation 4 of those regulations currently limits the levels of pesticides and various other substances to those set out in the Second Table to regulation 257 of the Food Regulations 1984. Under the amendment to regulation 4, the relevant levels are now those set out in the First Table to the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Mandatory Food Standard 1999, which was issued by the Minister of Health under sections 11c and 11z of the Food Act 1981.

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These regulations are administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.