



THE MEAT REGULATIONS 1969, AMENDMENT NO. 21

PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 28th day of July 1986

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Meat Act 1981, 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 Meat Regulations 1969, Amendment No. 21, and shall be read together

with and deemed part of the Meat Regulations 1969* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 14th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Post-mortem inspections—(1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulations 123 and 124, and substituting the following regulation:

“123. (1) The manager of every establishment shall ascertain, and inform the Inspector of, the intended use and destination of all parts of every animal to be slaughtered in the establishment.

“(2) Where an animal is slaughtered in an establishment—

“(a) An Inspector at that establishment shall subject to a post-mortem inspection, in a manner and to the extent approved by the Director, all parts of the animal the Director approves; and

“(b) The manager of the establishment shall ensure—

“(i) The presentation, in the manner approved by the Director for such animals, of the parts of the animal required for inspection under paragraph (a) of this subclause; and

“(ii) Until their inspection is completed, the continued identification with each other, in a manner approved by the Director, of all parts of the animal so required for inspection.

“(3) For the purposes of subclause (2) (a) of this regulation the Director may approve for post-mortem inspection different parts of animals of different descriptions; and may specify different descriptions of animal by reference to all or any of the following:

“(a) The source of the animals:

“(b) The manner in which their products and byproducts are intended to be used:

“(c) The destination to which their products and byproducts are intended to be sent.

“(4) For the purposes of this regulation, the manner in which an inspection is carried out may include all or any of the following:

“(a) The procedures to be followed, and their timing and sequence:

“(b) The standards to be met and criteria to be applied in deciding the fitness of any part of the animal concerned for use as a product or byproduct:

“(c) Whether or not samples should be taken, and if so which, and how:

*S.R. 1969/192

- Amendment No. 1: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 2: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 3: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 4: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 5: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 6: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 7: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1976/83
- Amendment No. 9: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 10: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 11: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 12: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 13: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 14: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 15: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 16: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 17: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 18: *(Revoked)*
- Amendment No. 19: S.R. 1983/125
- Amendment No. 20: S.R. 1984/264

- “(d) The means by which any decision made by an Inspector during the course of the inspection is to be recorded and identified:
- “(e) The brands to be applied to carcasses that have been passed by an Inspector as fit for human consumption, or to any edible offal or part of a carcass, and the colour, design, and means of application of such brands:
- “(f) The persons or classes of person by whom such brands may be applied.
- “(5) The Director may from time to time promulgate circulars setting out criteria for inspection of animals for the purposes of this regulation, and may set out different criteria for animals for all or any of the following classes:
- “(a) Animals from different sources:
- “(b) Animals whose products and byproducts are intended to be used for different purposes:
- “(c) Animals whose products and byproducts are intended to be sent to different destinations:
- “(d) Animals slaughtered in different premises or premises of different kinds or descriptions.”
- (2) Regulations 127, 130, and 151 of the principal regulations are hereby consequentially revoked.

P. G. MILLEN,
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 amend provisions of the Meat Regulations 1969 relating to the inspection and branding of carcasses, meat, and offal, so as to allow for variations in procedure, depending on their source and intended use and destination, and so as to allow for scientific and technological changes, or changes in the requirements of overseas authorities.

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