



**THE MEAT REGULATIONS 1969, AMENDMENT NO. 22**

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PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 15th day of June 1987

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.

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REGULATIONS

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Meat Regulations 1969, Amendment No. 22, 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. Director-General may exempt establishments**—(1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by inserting, after regulation 76, the following regulation:

“76A. (1) Subject to subclause (2) of this regulation, if satisfied that, having regard to—

\*S.R. 1969/192  
Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1976/83  
Amendment No. 19: S.R. 1983/125  
Amendment No. 20: S.R. 1984/264  
Amendment No. 21: S.R. 1986/173

- “(a) An establishment’s current schedule of working hours; and
- “(b) The system of ante-mortem and post-mortem examinations used or proposed to be used in it; and
- “(c) Its location; and
- “(d) Its usual volume, rate, and pattern of slaughter; and
- “(e) The intended destinations of its products,—

the requirements of regulations 77 and 118 (2) of these regulations are not necessary in relation to the establishment, the Director-General may exempt it from those requirements.

“(2) If no longer satisfied, in the light of the matters specified in subclause (1) of this regulation, that the requirements of regulations 77 and 118 (2) of these regulations are not necessary in relation to any establishment for the time being exempted from those requirements under that subclause, the Director-General may cancel the exemption, with effect from any date the Director-General specifies.

“(3) This subclause applies to any establishment for the time being exempted under subclause (1) of this regulation from the requirements of regulations 77 and 118 (2) of these regulations.”

(2) The principal regulations are hereby consequentially amended by inserting—

- (a) In regulation 77 after the word “establishment”; and
- (b) In regulation 113 after the word “slaughterhouse”; and
- (c) In regulation 118 (2), after the word “establishment”,—

the words “(not being an establishment to which regulation 76A (3) of these regulations applies)”.

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 the Meat Regulations 1969 so as to empower the Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries to exempt certain slaughterhouses from some of the inspection requirements of these regulations in certain circumstances.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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