

THE POULTRY BOARD REGULATIONS 1939.

GALWAY, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 2nd day of June, 1939.

Present :

THE HON. P. FRASER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to the Poultry-runs Registration Act, 1933, 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 Poultry Board Regulations 1939.

2. In these regulations, unless inconsistent with the context,—

- "The said Act "means the Poultry-runs Registration Act, 1933 :
- "Board " means the New Zealand Poultry Board established by the said Act :
- "Business of the Board " means attendance at any meeting of the Board or of any committee of the Board and any business transacted by a member or officer of the Board pursuant only to a resolution of the Board :
- "Member" means a member of the Board who is not permanently employed in the service of the Government.

3. The respective regulations made under the said Act and referred to in the Schedule hereto are revoked.

LOCOMOTION EXPENSES.

4. (1) There may be refunded to each member, officer, or servant of the Board all locomotion expenses actually and reasonably expended by him in travelling on the business of the Board.

(2) In the case of refund to members, the cost of first-class accommodation by rail, steamer, motor-vehicle, or other public conveyance and of sleeping-berths on trains and deck cabins on steamers shall be deemed to be locomotion expenses reasonably incurred.

(3) No refund of the cost of locomotion by the use of air services shall be made unless the use of that means of locomotion was previously authorized by the Board or unless the Board in its discretion by resolution directs that such refund shall be made. (4) Where any member, officer, or servant of the Board uses his private motor-car in travelling on the business of the Board he may be paid for locomotion expenses a motor-car mileage-allowance at such rate as may be approved by the Board, not exceeding a rate of $4\frac{1}{2}d$. for every mile travelled.

TRAVELLING-ALLOWANCES AND LIVING-EXPENSES.

5. (1) Each member, officer, or servant of the Board travelling on the business of the Board and necessarily absent from his usual place of residence at night may be paid an hourly travelling-allowance for the time during which he is so absent at a rate to be determined by the Board, not exceeding in the case of members £1 ls. and in the case of officers and servants 17s. 6d. for each day of twenty-four hours commencing at the time of departure from his usual place of residence or (in the case of an officer or servant) from the office or place at which he ordinarily performs duty.

(2) In computing the time of absence a fraction of an hour, if less than half an hour, shall not be taken into account, but half an hour or more shall be reckoned as one hour.

(3) Where a member, officer, or servant of the Board travelling on the business of the Board leaves and returns to his usual place of residence or to headquarters (as the case may be) on the same day, actual and reasonable expenses only shall be paid.

REMUNERATION OF CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS.

6. (1) There may be paid to the Chairman of the Board in addition to any other fees, expenses, or allowances which may be paid to him by the Board an honorarium in respect of his services at such annual rate as the Board may determine, not exceeding the rate of $\pounds 50$ per annum.

(2) There may be paid to each member of the Board (including the Chairman) for each day or part of a day on which he is travelling or occupied on the business of the Board such fee as the Board may determine, not exceeding the sum of $\pounds 1$ 1s.

SALARIES OF OFFICERS.

7. The salary paid to any officer of the Board shall be at a rate not exceeding the rate of \pounds 350 per annum.

Additional Purposes for which Moneys of the Board May be expended.

8. In addition to the purposes for which the moneys of the Board may be applied, pursuant to section 12 of the said Act, the Board shall have power to expend its moneys for all or any of the following purposes :—

- (a) In payment by way of subsidy or otherwise in respect of the conduct of egg-laying competitions in New Zealand :
- (b) In payment by way of subsidy or otherwise in respect of the publication in New Zealand from time to time of information relating to the activities of the Board and generally relating to matters of interest to poultry-producers and directed to the purpose of encouraging the development of the poultry industry in New Zealand :

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- (c) In payment by way of subsidy or otherwise in respect of the provision and carrying out by or on behalf of the Board of any exhibit, display, or advertisement in New Zealand or elsewhere in relation to New Zealand poultry and eggs:
- (d) Subject to the prior approval of the Minister, in payment by way of subsidy or otherwise in respect of the operations of the New Zealand Poultry Producers' Federation :
- (e) In payment for trophies, not exceeding an aggregate value of £20 in any one year, for competition at poultry shows for the purpose of encouraging the breeding of better utility poultry in New Zealand :
- (f) In payment of expenses incurred by the Board in effecting improvements in the methods of marketing eggs and poultry in New Zealand, and for the purpose of increasing the consumption of poultry and poultry products in New Zealand :
- (g) In payment of expenses incurred by the Board, in New Zealand or elsewhere, for the purpose of assisting generally in the export of eggs:
- (h) In payment of locomotion expenses and travelling-allowances to officers and servants of the Board.

SCHEDULE.

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J. T. WAUGH, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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