Serial Number 201/1937.



THE WOOL PUBLICITY COMMITTEE ELECTION REGULATIONS, 1937.

Enacting authority: His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, Act pursuant to which the regulations were made: The Wool Industry Promotion Act, 1936.

Date on which the regulations were made: 27th day of July, 1937. Date of notification in Gazette: 29th day of July, 1937.

REGULATIONS.

- 1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Wool Publicity Committee Election Regulations, 1937.
- (2) These regulations shall come into force on the day following notification in the Gazette of the making hereof.
 - (3) In these regulations—
 - 'The Committee" means the New Zealand Wool Publicity Committee:
 - "Electoral Committee" means the Electoral Committee elected pursuant to regulations made under the Meat Export Control Act, 1921–22, on the 7th day of June, 1923*:

 - "Wool-grower" means the owner of any sheep:
 "Wool-growers' representatives" means the persons to be elected pursuant to these regulations for appointment to the Committee as representatives of the wool-growers of the Dominion.
- 2. (1) No person shall be eligible for election as a wool-growers' representative unless he has been nominated by a wool-grower and his nomination has been seconded by another wool-grower and he has accepted nomination in writing.
- (2) The form of nomination may be in the form in the Schedule hereto.
- (3) Nominations shall close at 4 p.m. on the 16th day of August in every year in which an election is required to be held.
- (4) The decision of the Returning Officer as to the validity of a nomination shall be final.
- **3.** If no more persons are nominated as wool-growers' representatives than are required to fill the vacant positions on the Committee they shall be deemed to be duly elected.

^{*} Gazette, 7th June, 1923, Vol. 11, page 1612.

- 4. (1) If more persons are nominated as wool-growers' representatives than are required to fill the vacant positions on the Committee, the delegates comprising the Electoral Committee shall at their meeting in August in the year in which the election is required to be held proceed to elect by ballot from among the persons nominated the number of wool-growers' representatives required.
- (2) At such ballot no voting-paper shall be valid unless votes are recorded for the full number of persons required to be elected.
- (3) If at such ballot two or more candidates have received the same number of votes, then if it is necessary for the purposes of the election to determine their order of preference and so often thereafter as it may be necessary to determine the order of preference of any candidates, a further ballot shall be taken of those candidates only:

Provided that if no order of preference is indicated with respect to any candidates in two successive ballots, the Chairman shall determine the order of preference by lot.

- (4) Subject to the foregoing provisions, the number of candidates required to be elected who have received the greatest number of votes shall be declared elected.
- 5. The Returning Officer for the purposes of any ballot conducted for the purposes of these regulations shall be the Secretary to the Committee.
- 6. The names of the persons who have been elected pursuant to these regulations as wool-growers' representatives shall be forwarded forthwith to the Minister of Agriculture to be by him submitted to the Governor-General for appointment.

SCHEDULE.

Nomination of Wool-growers' Representative on the New Zealand Wool Publicity Committee.

(When completed this nomination should be addressed to the Secretary, New Zealand Wool Publicity Committee, care of Department of Agriculture, Wellington, C. 1, so as to be in his hands not later than 4 p.m. on the 16th day of August, 19 .)

 Candidate :
 Name in full :
 Address :
 Occupation :

 Nominated by :
 Signature :
 Name in full :
 Address :
 Occupation :

 Seconded by :
 Signature :
 Name in full :
 Address :
 Occupation :
 Occupation :
 Nomination accepted.

(Signature of candidate.)

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.
These regulations are administered by the Department of Agriculture.

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