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## THE WILDLIFE REGULATIONS 1955, AMENDMENT NO. 2

BERNARD FERGUSSON, Governor-General

### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 23rd day of January 1963

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Wildlife Act 1953, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

### REGULATIONS

1. These regulations may be cited as the Wildlife Regulations 1955, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Wildlife Regulations 1955\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

2. (1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 13, and substituting the following regulation:

“13. (1) Subject to the provisions of regulation 11 hereof there shall be paid and taken for a licence issued under these regulations such sum, being not less than 30s. nor greater than 60s., as the Council of the society by resolution from time to time decides:

“Provided that it shall be lawful for the society, with the prior approval of the Minister, to fix at less than 30s. the sum to be paid and taken for a licence to take Canada goose (*Branta canadensis*) during an open season for that species only:

“Provided also that it shall be lawful for a society to issue a complimentary licence where it has been approved of by the unanimous decision of the Council of the society, or to issue a licence to any person for either no fee or at such reduced fee as the Council of the society, in its sole discretion, may approve when adequate compassionate grounds are shown. The annual report of each society shall include a list of persons to whom complimentary licences were issued during the year covered by the report.

“(2) The Council of the society shall not alter the licence fee unless at least 14 clear days' notice of its intention so to do has been published in a daily newspaper circulating in the district of the society.”

(2) Regulation 3 of the Wildlife Regulations 1955, Amendment No. 1, is hereby revoked.

\*S.R. 1955/28

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3. Regulation 14 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding to subclause (2) the words "except a licence to take Canada goose (*Branta canadensis*) during an open season for that species only".

4. Regulation 24 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding the following proviso:

"Provided that any person who has been authorised under section 56 of the Act to export frozen pheasants as defined in the First Schedule to the Act, or the agent of any such person, may with the approval of the Secretary, place, or cause to be placed, any such pheasants in any specified freezing chamber outside the open season for that game in which it was hunted or killed."

T. J. SHERRARD,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.*

Regulation 2 substitutes a new regulation for regulation 13 of the principal regulations, relating to the fees payable for licences to take game. The new regulation includes a provision authorising an acclimatisation society, with the approval of the Minister of Internal Affairs, to fix at less than 30s. the fee for a licence to take Canada goose during an open season for that species only.

The effect of regulation 3 is that acclimatisation societies will not be required to pay to the Council of South Island Acclimatisation Societies any amount in respect of licences issued to take Canada goose during an open season for that species only.

Regulation 4 provides that a person who has been authorised to export frozen pheasants may place them in a freezing chamber during the close season with the consent of the Secretary for Internal Affairs.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Internal Affairs.