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THE WILDLIFE REGULATIONS 1955, AMENDMENT NO. 4

BERNARD FERGUSSON, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 12th day of May 1965

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. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Wildlife Regulations 1955, Amendment No. 4, and shall be read together and deemed part of the Wildlife Regulations 1955* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).
- (2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.
- 2. (1) Regulation 21 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words "every automatic or auto-loading or repeating shotgun used for hunting or killing game shall be so adjusted that the gun is incapable of holding more than two shells", and substituting the words "every shotgun having a magazine of any kind and used for hunting or killing game shall be so adjusted that the magazine is incapable of holding more than one shell".
- (2) Regulation 21 of the principal regulations is hereby further amended by revoking paragraph (d), and substituting the following paragraph:
 - "(d) In the case of a shotgun of any type other than those specified in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of this regulation having a magazine of any kind, the magazine shall be rendered incapable of holding more than one shell by a method which will not allow of a change in the field."

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

*S.R. 1955/28 (Reprinted with Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1962/199) Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1963/4 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1965/54

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This amendment is consequential on the provisions of section 5 of the Wildlife Amendment Act 1964, which prohibits the use of shotguns having a magazine unless the magazine is so adjusted that it is incapable of holding more than one shell.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Internal Affairs.