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HEALTH ACT, 1911-1955.

Department of Public Health,
Perth, 5th April, 1956.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, acting under the provisions of section 241D of the Health Act, 1911-1955, and on the advice of the Advisory Committee constituted under section 241C of the Act, has been pleased to make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereunder.

(Sgd.) LINLEY HENZELL,
Commissioner of Public Health.

Schedule.

Pesticides Regulations.

Part I—General.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Pesticides Regulations.
2. In these regulations, unless the context requires otherwise—
 - “advertisement” means any method, including written, spoken, pictorial, broadcast transmission or television, of notifying any claim or statement as to the value or merits of a pesticide;
 - “Advisory Committee” means the Committee appointed by the Governor pursuant to section 241C of the Health Act, 1911, as amended;
 - “Commissioner” means the Commissioner of Public Health;
 - “package” includes anything in or by which a pesticide is immediately cased, covered, enclosed, contained or packed;
 - “pesticide” means a substance or compound used or intended for use for agricultural, pastoral, horticultural, domestic, or industrial purposes for controlling, destroying, or preventing the growth and development of, any fungus, virus, insect, mite, mollusc, nematode, plant or animal;
 - “to sell” means to sell by wholesale or retail and includes barter, supply for profit, offer for sale, receive for sale, have in possession for sale, expose for sale, send forward or deliver for sale, cause or suffer or allow to be sold, and inflections and derivatives of the verb “to sell,” have correlative meanings;
 - “wholesale dealer” means the manufacturer, importer, distributor, agent, or other person responsible for placing a pesticide on the market in Western Australia.
3. Each member of the Advisory Committee not employed in the State Public Service shall be paid a fee of three guineas for each meeting of the Committee attended by him.
4. (1) Every wholesale dealer shall, within thirty days after the commencement of these regulations, make application in writing in the form set out in Schedule A to these regulations to the Commissioner for the registration of each pesticide which he then sells.
 - (2) Such application shall contain a statement setting forth—
 - (a) a description of the chemical and physical nature of the product together with a percentage analysis of its composition;
 - (b) specific and complete claims as to the purpose of the product;
 - (c) directions for its use;
 - (d) a description of the nature of the package used;
 - (e) such further information as the Commissioner may require.