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**AGRICULTURE AND FOOD**

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Animal Welfare Act 2002  
Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007  
Veterinary Chemical Control and Animal Feeding Stuffs Act 1976

**Agriculture and Food Regulations Amendment  
(Veterinary Practice) Regulations 2022**

SL 2022/98

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

**Part 1 — Preliminary****1. Citation**

These regulations are the *Agriculture and Food Regulations Amendment (Veterinary Practice) Regulations 2022*.

**2. Commencement**

These regulations come into operation as follows —

- (a) Part 1 — on the day on which these regulations are published in the *Gazette*;
- (b) the rest of the regulations — on the day on which the *Veterinary Practice Act 2021* section 197 comes into operation.

**Part 2 — *Animal Welfare (General) Regulations 2003*  
amended****3. Regulations amended**

This Part amends the *Animal Welfare (General) Regulations 2003*.

**4. Regulation 7 amended**

In regulation 7(3)(e)(ii) delete “veterinary surgeon” and insert:

veterinarian

**5. Regulation 14 amended**

In regulation 14(2) and (3) delete “registered veterinary surgeon” and insert:

veterinarian

**Part 3 — *Animal Welfare (Pig Industry) Regulations 2010* amended**

**6. Regulations amended**

This Part amends the *Animal Welfare (Pig Industry) Regulations 2010*.

**7. Regulation 4 amended**

In regulation 4(1) in the definition of *suitably qualified person* paragraph (a) delete “veterinary surgeon; or” and insert:

veterinarian; or

**8. Regulation 8 amended**

- (1) In regulation 8(4)(b) delete “veterinary surgeon.” and insert:

veterinarian.

- (2) In regulation 8(5)(a) delete “veterinary surgeon; or” and insert:

veterinarian; or

- (3) Delete regulation 8(7)(a) and insert:

(a) the *Veterinary Practice Act 2021*;

**Part 4 — *Animal Welfare (Transport, Saleyards and Depots) (Cattle and Sheep) Regulations 2020* amended**

**9. Regulations amended**

This Part amends the *Animal Welfare (Transport, Saleyards and Depots) (Cattle and Sheep) Regulations 2020*.

**10. Regulation 32 amended**

In regulation 32(2) delete “veterinary surgeon” and insert:

veterinarian

**11. Regulation 33 amended**

In regulation 33(3):

- (a) in paragraph (a) delete “veterinary surgeon” and insert:

veterinarian

- (b) in paragraph (b) delete “veterinary surgeon’s” and insert:

veterinarian’s

**12. Regulation 35 amended**

In regulation 35(3):

- (a) in paragraph (a) delete “a veterinary surgeon, or an equivalent person under a law of another State or a Territory that corresponds with the *Veterinary Surgeons Act 1960*,” and insert:

a veterinarian, or an equivalent person under a corresponding law as defined in the *Veterinary Practice Act 2021* section 3,

- (b) in paragraph (b) delete “veterinary surgeon’s,” and insert:

veterinarian’s,

**Part 5 — *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management (Agriculture Standards) Regulations 2013* amended****13. Regulations amended**

This Part amends the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management (Agriculture Standards) Regulations 2013*.

**14. Regulation 15 amended**

In regulation 15(1) in the definition of ***relevant person*** paragraph (c) delete “veterinary surgeon,” and insert:

veterinarian,

## **Part 6 — *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Regulations 2013* amended**

### **15. Regulations amended**

This Part amends the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Regulations 2013*.

### **16. Regulation 12 amended**

In regulation 12(1) and (2) delete “veterinary surgeon in the course of practice as a veterinary surgeon)” and insert:

veterinarian in the course of practising veterinary medicine as defined in the *Veterinary Practice Act 2021* section 3)

## **Part 7 — *Veterinary Chemical Control Regulations 2006* amended**

### **17. Regulations amended**

This Part amends the *Veterinary Chemical Control Regulations 2006*.

### **18. Various references to “veterinary surgeon” replaced**

In the provisions listed in the Table:

- (a) delete “veterinary surgeon” (each occurrence) and insert:

veterinarian

- (b) delete “veterinary surgeons” and insert:

**veterinarians**

**Table**

r. 2(4)(a)(ii)	Pt. 2 Div. 1 heading
r. 3	r. 4(1)
r. 5	r. 6(2)
r. 7	r. 8

r. 9(1) and (2)	r. 10(1), (2) and (3)
r. 11(1) and (2)	Pt. 2 Div. 2 heading
r. 12(1)	r. 13(1)
r. 14(2), (3), (4) and (6)	r. 17(1) and (2)

Note: The headings to the amended regulations listed in the Table are to read as set out in the Table.

**Table**

<b>Amended regulation</b>	<b>Regulation heading</b>
r. 4	<b>Use by veterinarian of registered veterinary chemical product</b>
r. 5	<b>Use by veterinarian of unregistered veterinary chemical product</b>
r. 6	<b>Authorised use of low risk chemical by veterinarian</b>
r. 7	<b>Use by veterinarian with authority of CVO</b>
r. 8	<b>Supply of veterinary chemical product by veterinarian</b>
r. 10	<b>Statement to be given by veterinarian</b>
r. 12	<b>Use of registered veterinary chemical product by person who is not veterinarian</b>
r. 13	<b>Use of unregistered veterinary chemical product by person who is not veterinarian</b>
r. 14	<b>Use of registered veterinary chemical product in way stated in veterinarian's statement</b>

V. MOLAN, Clerk of the Executive Council.