

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

Table

Amended regulation	Regulation heading
r. 4	Use by veterinarian of registered veterinary chemical product
r. 5	Use by veterinarian of unregistered veterinary chemical product
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r. 14	Use of registered veterinary chemical product in way stated in veterinarian's statement

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