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AGRICULTURE

PIG AND LIVESTOCK INDUSTRIES

The Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Amendment Regulations 1964

Made - - - -	30*th January* 1964
Laid before Parliament	31*st January* 1964
Coming into Operation	
(*a*) *Regulations* 1 *and* 2	1*st February* 1964
(*b*) *Regulations* 3 *and* 4	10*th February* 1964

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 2, 4, 5 and 11 of the Improvement of Live Stock (Licensing of Bulls) Act 1931(**a**), as amended and applied to boars by section 6 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1944(**b**) and extended by section 16 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1963(**c**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury as to fees, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Amendment Regulations 1964, and shall come into operation as follows:—

(*a*) this regulation and regulation 2 on 1st February 1964;

(*b*) regulations 3 and 4 on 10th February 1964.

(2) In these regulations the expression " the principal regulations " means the Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Regulations 1956(**d**).

Revocation

2. The Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Amendment Regulations 1963(**e**) are hereby revoked, and the principal regulations shall thereupon have effect in the form in which they were immediately before such amendment regulations were made.

Fees

3. For paragraph (1) of regulation 14 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

" (1) Fees of the following amounts shall be payable to the Minister in respect of licences, permits, and inspections by referees—

(*a*) in respect of a licence or permit to keep a boar ... ... £1 1s.

(*b*) in respect of a duplicate of any such licence or permit as aforesaid ... ... 5s.

(**a**) 21 & 22 Geo. 5. c. 43. (**b**) 7 & 8 Geo. 6. c. 28. (**c**) 1963 c. 11.
(**d**) S.I. 1956/1428 (1956 I, p. 188). (**e**) S.I. 1964/126 (1964 I, p. 230).

(*c*) in respect of an inspection by a referee—

(i) except as otherwise prescribed below, for each boar	£5 5s.
(ii) where two boars owned by the same person are to be inspected by the same referee at the same premises at the same time, for each boar	£4 4s.
(iii) where three or more boars owned by the same person are to be inspected by the same referee at the same premises at the same time, for each boar ...	£3 3s.

Provided that no fee shall be payable in respect of—

(*a*) a licence or permit to keep a boar where at the time of application therefor a licence or permit issued by the Secretary of State in respect of Scotland is in force in relation to the boar;

(*b*) a permit to keep a boar where the prescribed fee has been paid in respect of a licence to keep that boar, and such licence has been refused."

Amendments to Forms

4. The First Schedule to the principal regulations shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) in Forms 1 and 2, for "5s." there shall be substituted "£1 1s.";

(*b*) in Form 5, for "2s. 6d." there shall be substituted "5s.";

(*c*) for Form 6 there shall be substituted the form numbered 6 in the Schedule to these regulations.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 29th January 1964.

(L.S.) *Christopher Soames,*
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Approved on 30th January 1964.

M. A. Hamilton,
Ian MacArthur,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Regulation 4

SCHEDULE

FORM 6

Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Improvement of Live Stock (Licensing of Bulls) Act 1931

Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Regulations 1956 (as amended)

APPLICATION FOR A REFEREE'S INSPECTION

Name of boar Breed or type Date of birth

19

Number of licence (if any) Earmarks

Full name of applicant (in BLOCK LETTERS)

Full postal address

Whereas the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food has *refused to grant/revoked/served a notice of suspension of a licence to keep the boar described above, now therefore I require a referee's inspection of the boar in accordance with Section 5 of the Improvement of Live Stock (Licensing of Bulls) Act, 1931, as amended and applied to boars.

The boar will be kept during the next 28 days at

I enclose *cheque/postal orders/money order for *£5 5s. / £4 4s. / £3 3s. (see Note (1))

in payment of the prescribed fee†.

Date 19 Signature

* Strike out words that do not apply.

† This will be returned if the refusal, revocation or notice of suspension is not confirmed.

NOTES:

(1) The prescribed fees payable for a referee's inspection are:—

(i) for the inspection of one boar ... ... £5 5s.

(ii) for the inspection of two boars in the same ownership, provided the inspection of each boar is to be carried out by the same referee on the same premises and at the same time, for each boar ... £4 4s.

(iii) for the inspection of three or more boars in the same ownership, provided the inspection of each boar is to be carried out by the same referee on the same premises and at the same time, for each boar ... ... £3 3s.

(2) If a licence has been refused because of a veterinary defect in the boar, the referee appointed will be a veterinary surgeon, whatever the breed. In other cases separate referees will be appointed for boars of different breeds. The same referee will not be appointed to deal with veterinary and other appeals.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Regulations 1956.

Fees for applications for licences and permits to keep boars are increased from 5s. to £1. 1s. per boar, and fees for referees' inspections are increased from £2. 2s. to £5. 5s., with certain reductions where more than one boar is available for inspection at the same time. There are minor and consequential changes, including amendments to the prescribed forms.

The Licensing of Boars (England and Wales) Amendment Regulations 1963, providing for increases of fees which were not put into effect, are revoked and the substance of their provisions incorporated in these regulations.