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# Feeding Stuffs Act 1965

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An Act to provide for the control of feeding stuffs for animals and birds.

[1 January 1966]

### **Short title**

1. This Act is the Feeding Stuffs Act 1965.

### **Interpretation**

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —
  - “Agency” means the Singapore Food Agency established by the Singapore Food Agency Act 2019;
  - “animal feed” means organic or mineral substances or mixtures of such substances used for the feeding of animals;
  - “authorised officer” means any person appointed under section 3(2) by the Director-General to be an authorised officer;

“compound feed” means products which, when administered in the quantities prescribed, are adequate under normal management conditions to afford to normal animals of the species and class concerned the full range of nutritional ingredients in their diet necessary for the breeding or rearing of exemplary specimens of animals;

“Director-General” means the Director-General, Food Administration appointed under section 3(1) of the Sale of Food Act 1973;

“feed concentrate” means such feed as is designed to supplement or balance the basic ingredients of a feed ratio to afford normal animals full nourishment and includes mineral mixtures;

“simple feed” means a livestock feed which has been declared by the Minister, by notification in the *Gazette*, to be a simple feed within the meaning of this Act;

“statutory statement” means a written statement furnished under section 5.

[11/2019]

### **Administration of Act and appointment of authorised officer, etc.**

3.—(1) The Director-General shall be responsible for the administration of this Act, subject to the general or special directions of the Minister.

(2) The Director-General may in writing appoint any public officer or any officer of the Agency or any other statutory authority, or an auxiliary police officer appointed under the Police Force Act 2004, to be an authorised officer for the purposes of this Act and any rules made thereunder.

[11/2019]

(3) The Director-General may delegate the exercise of all or any of the powers conferred or duties imposed upon him by this Act (except the power of delegation conferred by this subsection) to any authorised officer.

[11/2019]

(4) The Director-General may, for any reason that appears to the Director-General to be sufficient, at any time revoke a person's appointment as an authorised officer.

[11/2019]

(5) An auxiliary police officer who is appointed as an authorised officer under subsection (2) does not, by virtue only of the appointment, become an employee or agent of the Agency.

[11/2019]

### **Licence to import, manufacture, etc., animal feeds**

4.—(1) The Director-General may issue a licence to any person to import, manufacture, process for sale or sell simple feeds, feed concentrates or compound feeds upon an application made in the prescribed form and the payment of such fees as may be prescribed.

(2) A licence shall be subject to such conditions as may be prescribed and such other conditions as the Director-General may, in his discretion, impose.

(3) The Director-General may, in his discretion, at any time, revoke or suspend a licence.

(4) No person shall import, manufacture, process for sale or sell simple feeds, feed concentrates or compound feeds without a licence issued by the Director-General.

(5) Any person who acts in contravention of subsection (4) shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or to both.

### **Obligation to furnish statutory statement by purchaser**

5. Every person who sells animal feeds shall furnish to the purchaser on or before delivery or as soon as possible a written statement in the prescribed form which shall contain such particulars as may be prescribed.