

**Feeding Stuffs Act
(CHAPTER 105)**

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FEEDING STUFFS ACT

(CHAPTER 105)

(Original Enactment: Ordinance 6 of 1965)

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

[1st January 1966]

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Feeding Stuffs Act.

Interpretation

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —

“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;

“Authority” means the Agri-food and Veterinary Authority established under section 3 of the Agri-food and Veterinary Authority Act 2000 (Act 16 of 2000);

“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, Agri-food and Veterinary Services appointed under section 3(1) of the Animals and Birds Act (Cap. 7);

“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

[16/2000]

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.

[16/2000]

(2) The Director-General may in writing appoint any public officer or any officer of the Authority or of any other statutory authority to be an authorised officer for the purposes of this Act and any rules made thereunder.

[16/2000]

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

[16/2000]

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.

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(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.

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

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(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.

[16/2000]

(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.

Manufacturer to give warranty

6. A manufacturer of simple feeds, feed concentrates or compound feeds shall give to every purchaser a warranty in the prescribed form which shall contain such particulars as

may be prescribed.

Right of purchaser to have sample taken

7. The purchaser of any animal feed shall on payment of the prescribed fees be entitled to —

- (a) have a sample of the article taken by an authorised officer and analysed; and
- (b) receive a certificate of the result of the analysis.

[16/2000]

Powers of authorised officer

8.—(1) Any authorised officer may at any time enter and examine any land, building or premises for the purpose of ascertaining whether —

- (a) that land, building or premises is being used for the purpose of the manufacture, processing for sale or sale of simple feeds, feed concentrates and compound feeds; or
- (b) any offence under this Act or any rules made thereunder has been or is being committed.

[16/2000]

(2) An authorised officer may at any time enter —

- (a) any premises used for the storage, manufacture and sale of animal feeds; or
- (b) any vehicle used for the transport of animal feeds,

for the purpose of inspecting the condition of —

- (i) storage compartments; and
- (ii) animal feeds and taking samples thereof.

[16/2000]

Fees, etc., to be paid to Authority

9. All fees, charges, composition fines and moneys collected under this Act or any rules made thereunder shall be paid to the Authority.

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Penalty

10.—(1) Any person who fails to furnish a statutory statement as is required under section 5 shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not