



# Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Regulations 1998

**Statutory Rules 1998 No. 107 as amended**

made under the

*Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997 and  
the Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Repeals  
and Consequential Provisions) Act 1997*

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**1 Name of Regulations** [see Note 1]

These Regulations are the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Regulations 1998*.

**2 Commencement** [see Note 1]

These Regulations commence when Part 3 of the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997* commences.

**3 Definitions**

In these Regulations:

***Industry Act*** means the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997*.

***licensee*** has the same meaning as in the Industry Act.

***quota document*** has the same meaning as in the Quotas Act.

***quota entitlement*** means the quantity of a kind of goods that a quota holder has a right to export in the period specified in the holder's quota document for the goods.

*Note* See subsection 3 (1) of the Quotas Act for the meaning of ***goods***. Expressions in Division 3 of Part 2 of the Industry Act have the same meaning as in subsection 3 (1) of the Quotas Act — see section 26 of the Industry Act.

***quota holder*** means a licensee who holds a quota granted under section 6 of the Quotas Act in relation to a kind of goods.

***quota year*** means:

- (a) for a quota to export high quality beef to the European Union — a financial year commencing on 1 July; and
- (b) for a quota to export any other kind of goods — a calendar year.

***Quotas Act*** means the *Australian Meat and Live-stock (Quotas) Act 1990*.

**3A Quota variation fee**

- (1) For paragraph 28 (3) (b) of the Industry Act, the fee payable for each kilogram of quota to export high quality beef to the European Union is:
- (a) for the quota year commencing on 1 July 2011 — 0.2 of a cent; and
  - (b) for a subsequent quota year — 0.26 of a cent.
- (1A) For paragraph 28 (3) (b) of the Industry Act, the fee payable for each kilogram of quota to export any other kind of goods is:
- (a) for the quota year commencing on 1 January 2011 — 0.2 of a cent; and
  - (b) for the quota year commencing on 1 January 2012, and each subsequent quota year — 0.26 of a cent.
- (2) The fee is payable to:
- Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry
  - Quota Administration and Statistics Unit
  - GPO Box 858
  - CANBERRA ACT 2601
  - fax: 02 6272 4585.

**4 Prescribed industry bodies**

For section 59 of the Industry Act, the following bodies are prescribed:

- (a) the Sheepmeat Council of Australia Inc.;
- (b) the Cattle Council of Australia Inc.;
- (c) the Australian Lot Feeders Association;
- (d) the Australian Meat Industry Council;
- (f) the Australian Livestock Exporters Council Limited;
- (g) the Goat Industry Council of Australia;
- (h) the Red Meat Advisory Council Limited.

## 5 Gross value of production of the industry

- (1) For subsection 66 (4) of the Industry Act, the Secretary must determine the amount of the gross value of production of the industry for a financial year:
- (a) if the determination is made before the Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics (**ABARE**) provides figures showing the gross value of live-stock production for the previous financial year — in accordance with the formula:

$$GVPI = \frac{EGVLP1 + EGVLP2 + GVLPP3}{3}; \text{ and}$$

- (b) if the determination is made after ABARE provides figures showing the gross value of live-stock production for the previous financial year — in accordance with the formula:

$$GVPI = \frac{EGVLP1 + GVLPP2 + GVLPP3}{3}; \text{ and}$$

where:

**GVPI** is the gross value of production of the industry for the financial year.

**EGVLP1** is the estimated gross value of live-stock production for the financial year (calculated using figures provided by ABARE).

**EGVLP2** is the estimated gross value of live-stock production for the previous financial year (calculated using figures provided by ABARE estimating the gross value of live-stock production in that year).

**GVLPP2** is the gross value of live-stock production for the previous financial year (calculated using figures provided by ABARE).

**GVLPP3** is the gross value of live-stock production in the financial year before the previous financial year (calculated using figures provided by ABARE).

- (2) For subregulation (1), the gross value of live-stock production in a financial year is an amount equal to the sum of the gross values of:
- (a) cattle, sheep, lambs and goats slaughtered in that financial year; and
  - (b) cattle, sheep, lambs and goats exported live in that financial year; and
  - (c) sheep skins from which the wool has been removed in that financial year; and
  - (d) hides produced in that financial year.

**6 Payments that may be made by the marketing body**

For paragraphs 67 (1) (c), 67 (2) (c) and 67 (3) (b) of the Industry Act, the following payments are prescribed:

- (a) payments for a purpose connected with the setting of standards for meat classification and meat classification language for the industry;
- (b) payments for the purpose of managing an industry-wide grading system;
- (c) payments for the purpose of managing industry-wide meat safety and hygiene.

**7 Industry bodies that may receive payments, assets and liabilities, or to which staff have transferred**

For Parts 3 and 4 of Schedule 5 to the *Australian Meat and Live-Stock Industry (Repeals and Consequential Provisions) Act 1997*, the following industry bodies are prescribed:

- (a) Meat & Livestock Australia Limited;
- (b) Australian Meat Processor Corporation Limited;
- (c) Australian Livestock Export Corporation Limited;
- (d) AUS-MEAT Limited;
- (e) Red Meat Advisory Council Limited.

**Table of Instruments****Notes to the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Regulations 1998*****Note 1**

The *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Regulations 1998* (in force under the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997* and the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Repeals and Consequential Provisions) Act 1997*) as shown in this compilation comprise Statutory Rules 1998 No. 107 amended as indicated in the Tables below.

**Table of Instruments**

<b>Year and number</b>	<b>Date of notification in <i>Gazette</i> or FRLI registration</b>	<b>Date of commencement</b>	<b>Application, saving or transitional provisions</b>
1998 No. 107	27 May 1998	1 July 1998 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 1998, No. GN22)	
2000 No. 341	20 Dec 2000	20 Dec 2000	—
2002 No. 136	27 June 2002	27 June 2002	—
2003 No. 234	18 Sept 2003	18 Sept 2003	—
2003 No. 274	7 Nov 2003	7 Nov 2003	—
2010 No. 215	22 July 2010 (see F2010L02112)	23 July 2010	—
2011 No. 171	5 Oct 2011 (see F2011L02029)	6 Oct 2011	—

**Table of Amendments**

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ad. = added or inserted    am. = amended    rep. = repealed    rs. = repealed and substituted

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<b>Provision affected</b>	<b>How affected</b>
Heading to r. 3 .....	rs. 2010 No. 215
R. 3 .....	am. 2000 No. 341; 2002 No. 136; 2010 No. 215; 2011 No. 171
Heading to r. 3A .....	rs. 2010 No. 215
R. 3A .....	ad. 2000 No. 341 am. 2003 No. 274; 2010 No. 215; 2011 No. 171
R. 4 .....	am. 2003 No. 234

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