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# ISSUE OF PERIODIC GAZETTES

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P2	2.03.00	Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975
F2	2.05.00	Particulars of permissions granted, refused, suspended, reinstated, revoked or reconsidered for the period 1.Sep.99 to 31.Sep.99 and not previously gazetted
-		Particulars of permissions granted, refused, suspended, reinstated, revoked or reconsidered for the period 1.Oct.99 to 31.Oct.99 and not previously gazetted
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P4	14.4.00	Instruments made under Part VII of the National Health Act 1953
P5	27.4.00	Australia New Zealand Food Authority. Amendment No. 48 to the Foo Standards Code.
P6	28.4.00	Notice by the ASIC of intention to deregister defunct companies.
P7	2.5.00	ASIC Money or Property Unclaimed by Dissenting Shareholders
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P11	6.7.00	Royal Charter of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy Amendments to Royal Charter Bye-laws
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P13	31.7.00	Notice by ASIC of intention to deregister defunct companies.
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		Particulars of some permissions granted, refused, suspended, reinstated, revoked or reconsidered for the period 1.Feb.00 to 29.Feb.00 and not previously gazetted
P16	17.8.00	Australia New Zealand Food Authority. Amendment No. 50 to the Food Standards Code.
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P19	29.9.00	Supplemental Royal Charter of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia.
P20	4.10.00	Notice by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission of intention to deregister defunct companies.
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P24	9.11.00	Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975
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		Particulars of permissions granted, refused, suspended, reinstated, revoked or reconsidered for the period 1 Aug 2000 to 30 Aug 2000 and not previously gazetted
P25	21.11.00	Australian Heritage Commission Act 1975  Notice of Intention to enter places in the Register of the National Estate; Notice of entry in the Register of the National Estate; Notice of decision not to enter places and parts of places in the Register
		of the National Estate; Notice of intention to remove places and parts of places from the
		Register of the National Estate;
		Notice of removal of entries from the Rgister of the National Estate.
*P26	4.12.00	Notice by ASIC of intention to deregister defunct companies.
*P27	6.12.00	Amendments to the Defence and Strategic Goods List Pursuant to the Customs Act 1901, Customs (Prohibited Exports) Regulations 13E(1)

<sup>\*</sup> First time notified

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# **Department of the House of Representatives**

## Acts of Parliament assented to

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor-General, in the name of Her Majesty, assented on 13 November 2000 to the undermentioned Acts passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives in the Parliament assembled, viz.:

- No. 130 of 2000—An Act to amend the Higher Education Funding Act 1988, and for related purposes. (Higher Education Funding Amendment Act (No. 1) 2000).
- No. 131 of 2000-An Act to amend the *Telecommunications (Universal Service Levy) Act* 1997, and for related purposes. (*Telecommunications (Universal Service Levy) Amendment Act* 2000).
- No. 132 of 2000-An Act to amend the Social Security Act 1991 and the Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986, and for other purposes. (Social Security and Veterans' Entitlements Legislation Amendment (Private Trusts and Private Companies—Integrity of Means Testing) Act 2000).

I C HARRIS Clerk of the House of Representatives

# Acts of Parliament assented to

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor-General, in the name of Her Majesty, assented on 24 November 2000 to the undermentioned Acts passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives in the Parliament assembled, viz.:

- No. 134 of 2000-An Act to impose a tax on the grant of an approval for a specimen collection centre under the Health Insurance Act 1973, and for related purposes. (Health Insurance (Approved Pathology Specimen Collection Centres) Tax Act 2000).
- No. 135 of 2000-An Act to amend the Tobacco Advertising Prohibition Act 1992. (Tobacco Advertising Prohibition Amendment Act 2000).
- No. 136 of 2000-An Act to amend the Vocational Education and Training Funding Act 1992. (Vocational Education and Training Funding Amendment Act 2000).
- No. 137 of 2000-An Act to amend the Criminal Code Act 1995, and for other purposes. (Criminal Code Amendment (Theft, Fraud, Bribery and Related Offences) Act 2000).
- No. 138 of 2000-An Act to make amendments of the social security law, the family assistance law, and other Acts, and for related purposes. (Family and Community Services (2000 Budget and Related Measures) Act 2000).
- No. 139 of 2000-An Act to amend the *Health Insurance Act 1973*, and for related purposes. (Health Insurance Amendment (Rural and Remote Area Medical Practitioners) Act 2000).
- No. 140 of 2000-An Act to amend the Patents Act 1990 by repealing the petty patent scheme and providing for innovation patents and other minor amendments, and for related purposes. (Patents Amendment (Innovation Patents) Act 2000).
- No. 141 of 2000-An Act to amend the law relating to veterans and the families of veterans, and for related purposes. (Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment Act (No. 1) 2000).

I C HARRIS Clerk of the House of Representatives

# **Courts**

### Workplace Relations Act 1996

# AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION NOTICE OF VARIATION OF COMMON RULE AWARD

IN the matter of:

Building and Construction Industry (Northern Territory) Award 1996 [B0035] (C22512/00)

Disability Services (Northern Territory) Award 1992 [D0085] (C80070/00)

Social and Community Services Industry - Community Services Workers Northern Territory Award 1996 [S1100]
(C80067/00)

Transport Workers Award 1998 [T140] (C31841/00)

AND in the matter of the variation of the awards:
Notice is hereby given

- (a) That the Commission has varied the term /s of the above-mentioned awards referred to in the Schedule below.
- (b) that the variations will be a common rule of the Northern Territory as shown in the Schedule below; and
- (c) that any organisation or person interested and having an objection to the variations binding that person or organisation and wanting to be heard in relation to the above-mentioned variation is invited to lodge with the Commission a notice of that objection.

A copy of the awards may be inspected at the office of the Australian Industrial Registry at NT House, Level 10, 22 Mitchell Street, Darwin free of charge.

#### SCHEDULE OF TERMS TO BE VARIED

award code	variation no.	clause	substance	date of effect
B035	V013	1,5,6,8 App A	safety net review-May 2000 expense related allowances	31.08.00
D085	V013	Sch D	flexible remuneration increase	04.10.00
S1100	V015	5	inclusion of complying superannuation fund	04.10.00
T140	V027a	op date	correction order to Print S9088	28.06.00

28 November 2000

NEIL McHATTIE DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

# **Government Departments**

# Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry



Australian Fisheries Management Authority

### FISHERIES MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS

# LOGBOOK NOTICE NO. GAB 04 LOGBOOKS FOR THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN BIGHT TRAWL FISHERY

I, Frank Meere, delegate of the Australian Fisheries Management Authority, make the following determination under subregulations 32(1) and (3) of the Fisheries Management Regulations.

November 2000.

Managing Director of the Australian Fisheries Management Authority

#### Citation

1. This determination may be cited as Logbook Notice No. GAB 04.

#### Commencement

2. This determination commences on 1 January 2001.

### Interpretation

- In this determination: 3.
- "Commonwealth boat" means an Australian boat nominated on a statutory fishing right or fishing permit which is granted under the Great Australian Bight Trawl Fishery Management Plan 1993;
- "distinguishing mark" in relation to a form of logbook, means the marking by which the logbook can be distinguished from AFMA's other forms of logbook;
- "GB03 Trawl Log" means the form of logbook published by AFMA in October 1994, for which:
  - (a) the title is "Great Australian Bight Trawl Fishery Log"; and
  - (b) the distinguishing mark is "GB03";

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# Logbook Notice No. GAB 04

- "SEF2B Catch Disposal Record" means the form of logbook published by AFMA in March 1999, for which:
  - (a) the title is "Catch Disposal Record for the South Eastern Trawl Managed Fisheries"; and
  - (b) the distinguishing mark is "SEF2B".
- "SEF3B Transit Form" means the form of logbook published by AFMA in March 1999, for which:
  - (a) the title is "South Eastern Trawl Managed Fisheries Transit Form"; and
  - (b) the distinguishing mark is "SEF3B".

[Note: Terms defined in the Fisheries Management Act 1991 and the Fisheries Management Regulations have the same meanings in this determination.]

# Which logbooks must be used?

- 4. When any kind of fish is taken by trawling using a Commonwealth boat in the area of the Great Australian Bight Trawl Fishery:
- (a) the GB03 Trawl Log must be used to record information about the taking of the fish;
- (b) the SEF2B Catch Disposal Record must be used to record information about the sale or disposal of the fish; and
- (c) where the fish are taken by more than one vehicle from the boat to the first person who receives them after they have landed - the SEF3B Transit Form must be used to record information about the carrying of the fish.

# When must the logbooks be used?

- 5. Subregulations 33(1), 33(2) and 33(3) of the Fisheries Management Regulations apply in respect of:
  - (a) the GB03 Trawl Log; and
  - (b) the SEF2B Catch Disposal Record; and
  - (c) the SEF3B Transit Form;

during the period beginning on the commencement of this determination and ending at the end of 30 November 2003.

#### Where can copies of the logbooks be obtained?

6. Copies of the GB03 Trawl Log, SEF2B Catch Disposal Record and the SEF3B Transit Form can be obtained during ordinary business hours from the Australian Fisheries Management Authority, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor John Curtin House, 22 Brisbane Avenue BARTON ACT, 2600.

# **Attorney-General**

# **COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**

# CEO INSTRUMENT OF APPROVAL NO. 57 OF 2000

# **CUSTOMS ACT 1901**

I, LIONEL BARRIE WOODWARD, Chief Executive Officer of Customs, pursuant to sections 4A and 219RAD of the *Customs Act 1901*, approve the attached statement as a description of the training in the operation of the Rapiscan Secure 1000 Personnel Scanner.

CEO Instrument of Approval No. 53 of 2000 is hereby revoked.

The statement takes effect on and from gazettal.

Dated: 29 Normber 2000

L B WOODWARD

Chief Executive Officer

# Statement related to specified training for the Rapiscan Secure 1000 Personnel Scanner

The Australian Customs Service has developed a training course for Customs officers to ensure the competent use of the Rapiscan Secure 1000 Personnel Scanner.

The course consists of four elements. A Customs officer must successfully complete training in each of the competencies related to each element before the CEO may authorise the officer to use the Rapiscan Secure 1000 Personnel Scanner (SECURE 1000).

The elements and the competencies related to each element are as follows:

follows:	
ELEMENT	COMPETENCIES
Passenger Processing Protocols	<ul> <li>Participants can correctly define Body Scan Imaging.</li> <li>Participant can apply correct procedures in detaining and searching persons for a Body Scan Imaging search.</li> <li>Participants can describe the appropriate action to be taken after a search is conducted.</li> </ul>
Secure 1000 Occupational Health & Safety Issues	<ul> <li>Participant can demonstrate correct occupational health and safety principles in the use of the SECURE 1000.</li> <li>Participants can describe the maintenance and service arrangements associated with the SECURE 1000.</li> </ul>
Image Interpretation	Participants can apply correct image interpretation techniques for the SECURE 1000.
Use & Operation of the Secure 1000	<ul> <li>Participants can define the main features of the SECURE 1000.</li> <li>Participants can apply correct Standard Operating Procedures in the use of the SECURE 1000.</li> <li>Participants can demonstrate the correct method in the positioning of subjects for the SECURE 1000.</li> <li>Participants can describe the main Visual Display Unit operational features of the SECURE 1000.</li> </ul>

# **COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**

# CEO INSTRUMENT OF APPROVAL NO. 58 OF 2000

# **CUSTOMS ACT 1901**

I, LIONEL BARRIE WOODWARD, Chief Executive Officer of Customs, pursuant to sections 4A and 219RAD of the *Customs Act 1901*, approve the attached statement as a description of the training in the operation of the Barringer Ionscan Trace Detector.

CEO Instrument of Approval No. 54 of 2000 is hereby revoked.

The statement takes effect on and from gazettal.

Dated: 29 Nombre 2000

L B WOODWARD

Chief Executive Officer

# Statement related to specified training for the Barringer Ionscan Trace Detector

The Australian Customs Service has developed a training course for Customs officers to ensure the competent use of the Barringer Ionscan Trace Detector.

The course consists of eight elements. A Customs officer must successfully complete training in each of the competencies related to each element before the CEO may authorise the officer to use the Barringer Ionscan Trace Detector (Iconscan).

The elements and the competencies related to each element are as follows:

ELEMENT Narcotic Identification	COMPETENCIES  Participants are aware of the narcotics that the Ionscan is programmed to detect.  Participants can describe the safe handling principles for dealing with narcotics.
Ionscan Occupational Health & Safety Issues	<ul> <li>Participants can demonstrate correct occupational health and safety principles in the set-up and use of the Ionscan.</li> <li>Participants can demonstrate how to check and change Dierite in the Ionscan.</li> </ul>
Basic Ion Mobility Spectrometry (IMS) Principles	Participants are aware of the IMS principles used in the Ionscan.
Ionscan Set-up and Start-up Procedure	<ul> <li>Participants can demonstrate the correct procedures for setting up an Ionscan in a Customs environment.</li> <li>Participants can access and navigate Ionscan Manager software to enable use of the Ionscan unit.</li> <li>Participants can demonstrate how to conduct and save the Ionscan verification procedure.</li> <li>Participants can demonstrate how to conduct the Ionscan autocalibration procedure.</li> </ul>
Sample Analysis and Techniques	Participants can describe the contamination check list and demonstrate how to eliminate contamination where necessary.

	<ul> <li>Participants can correctly use various Ionscan sampling methods.</li> <li>Participants can demonstrate how to correctly analyse an Ionscan sample, including procedures to be followed in the event of an "alarm".</li> </ul>
Ionscan Front Panel LCDO	Participants can navigate the non- password-protected features of the Ionscan.
Plasmagram Interpretation	<ul> <li>Participants can demonstrate how to navigate the various plasmagrams under the "View" menu.</li> <li>Participants can interpret the information on the Ionscan plasmagram.</li> </ul>
Reporting and Evidence Procedures	<ul> <li>Participants can complete the various documents, forms associated with Customs Ionscan usage.</li> <li>Participants can demonstrate the correct method for recording Ionscan analysis information for evidential purposes.</li> </ul>

#### COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA CUSTOMS ACT 1901

NOTICE OF RATES OF EXCHANGE - s161J CUSTOMS ACT 1901 I, WAYNE BALDWIN, delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of Customs, hereby specify, pursuant to s161J of the Customs Act 1901, that the amounts set out in Columns 3 to 9 hereunder are the ruling rates of exchange, on the dates specified, for the purposes of ascertaining the value of imported goods under the provisions of Division 2 of Part VIII of the Customs Act 1901.

SCHEDULE	•	(Foreign Currency = AUS \$1)							
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7	Column 8	Column 9	
	Currency	22/11/00	23/11/00	24/11/00	25/11/00	26/11/00	27/11/00	28/11/00	
Austria	Schillings	8.3057	8.5534	8.5369	8.5369	8.5369	8.5259	8.4818	
Belgium/Lux	Francs	24.3500	25.0800	25.0300	25.0300	25.0300	24.9900	24.8700	
Brazil	Reals	.9789	1.0138	1.0160	1.0160	1.0160	1.0201	1.0349	
Canada	Dollars	.7908	.8117	.8043	.8043	.8043	.8018	.8072	
China	Yuan	4.2229	4.3485	4.3087	4.3087	4.3087	4.3128	4.3509	
Denmark	Kroner	4.5035	4.6403	4.6304	4.6304	4.6304	4.6242	4.5979	
European Uni	onEuro	.6036	.6216	.6204	.6204	.6204	.6196	.6164	
Fiji	Dollar	1.1700	1.2107	1.1854	1.1854	1.1854	1.1908	1.2011	
Finland	Markka	3.5888	3.6959	3.6887	3.6887	3.6887	3.6840	3.6649	
France	Francs	3.9594	4.0774	4.0696	4.0696	4.0696	4.0643	4.0433	
Germany	Deutschmark	1.1805	1.2157	1.2134	1.2134	1.2134	1.2118	1.2056	
Greece	Drachmae	205.3000	211.3700	211.0900	211.0900	211.0900	211.0700	209.7200	
Hong Kong	Dollars	3.9784	4.0968	4.0594	4.0594	4.0594	4.0634	4.0993	
India	Rupees	23.8714	24.5892	24.3754	24.3754	24.3754	24.4058	24.6318	
Indonesia	Rupiah	4822.0000	4939.0000	4914.0000	4914.0000	4914.0000	4926.0000	4970.0000	
Ireland	Pounds	.4754	.4895	.4886	.4886	.4886	.4880	.4855	
Israel	Shekel	2.0952	2.1677	2.1389	2.1389	2.1389	2.1356	2.1550	
Italy	Lire	1168.7300	1203.5900	1201.2600	1201.2600	1201.2600	1199.7100	1193.5200	
Japan	Yen	56.1200	57.8300	57.5100	57.5100	57.5100	57.9300	58.0700	
Korea	Won	594.8400	618.9800	623.9800	623.9800	623.9800	618.3600	624.2100	
Malaysia	Ringgit	1.9381	1.9959	1.9776	1.9776	1.9776	1.9795	1.9970	
Netherlands	Guilder	1.3302	1,3698	1.3672	1.3672		1.3654		
New Zealand	Dollar	1.2945	1.3072	1.3011	1.3011	1.3011	1.2993	1.2919	
Norway	Kroner	4.8403	4.9841	4.9701	4.9701	4.9701	4.9700	4.9416	
Pakistan	Rupee	28.9400	29.9000	29.8300	29.8300	29.8300	30.1400	29.9200	
Papua NG	Kina	1.5122	1.5496	1.5383	1.5383	1.5383	1.5324	1.5444	
Philippines	Peso	25.1600	25.8100	25.7300	25.7300	25.7300	25.7300	25.9300	
Portugal	Escudo	121.0100	124.6200	124.3800	124.3800	124.3800	124.2200	123.5800	
Singapore	Dollar	.8947	.9213	.9150	.9150	.9150	.9161	.9210	
Solomon Is.	Dollar	2.5880	2.6665	2.6421	2.6421	2.6421	2.6446	2.6680	
South Africa		3.9852	4.1065	4.0799	4.0799	4.0799	4.0780	4.0723	
Spain	Peseta	100.4300	103.4300	103.2300	103.2300	103.2300	103.0900	102.5600	
Sri Lanka	Rupee	41.0800	42.5400	42.2600	42.2600	42.2600	42.2200	42.5900	
Sweden	Krona	5.2501	5.3948	5.3826	5.3826	5.3826	5.3832	5.3556	
Switzerland	Franc	.9184	.9453	.9445	.9445	.9445	.9393	.9328	
Taiwan	Dollar	16.5600	17.2600	17.1400	17.1400	17.1400	17.1200	17.2800	
Thailand	Baht	22.4200	22.9500	22.7500	22.7500	22.7500	22.7200	22.8500	
UK	Pounds	.3595	.3732	.3716	.3716	.3716	.3716	.3706	
USA	Dollar	.5101	.5253	.5205	.5205	.5205	.5210	.5256	
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WAYNE BALDWIN Delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of Customs CANBERRA A.C.T. 29/11/00

# Communications, Information Technology and the Arts



Australian Broadcasting Authority

> Level 15 Darling Park 201 Sussex St Sydney PO Box Q500 Queen Victoria Building **NSW 1230** Phone (02) 9534 7700 Fax (02) 9334 7799 E-mail info@aba.gov.au DX 13012 Marien St Sydney

## OPINION ON CATEGORY OF BROADCASTING SERVICE

The Australian Broadcasting Authority (the ABA) has considered the information provided by Bathurst Broadcasters Pty. Limited in connection with an application made under section 21 of the Broadcasting Services Act 1992 (the Act). The application sought an opinion from the ABA in relation to the category of broadcasting service for a proposed Bathurst radio service targeted at people aged 65 years old and above who are interested in music released from 1935 to 1950.

This opinion is based on information provided by the applicant in its application received on 27 September 1999 and in the additional information received on 29 October 1999, 10 November 1999, 15 November 1999, 17 November 1999 and 18 November 1999 and other information known to the ABA.

It is the opinion of the ABA that the proposed service falls within the open narrowcasting category.

This opinion is given having regard to the criteria set down in sections 18 and 22 of the Act.

Matters considered by the ABA in reaching this opinion include:

- that reception of the proposed service will not be limited in any of the following ways:
  - by being targeted to special interest groups [s.18(a)(i)]; or
  - · by being intended only for limited locations, for example, arenas or business premises [s.18(a)(ii)]; or
  - by being provided during a limited period or to cover a special event [s.18(a)(iii)]; or
  - for some other reason [s.18(a)(v)];
- that reception of the proposed service will be limited:
  - because it will provide programs of limited appeal. [s.18(a)(iv)].

The ABA would consider that any attempt to broaden the appeal of the proposed service by including music released outside the time period of 1935 to 1950 in its programming would constitute a material change to the circumstances relating to the service as advised to the ABA for the purposes of this opinion.

Under section 21 of the Act, this opinion is binding for at least five years while the circumstances relating to the broadcasting service remain substantially the same as those advised to the ABA in relation to the application for the opinion.

The Common Seal of the Australian Broadcasting Authority was affixed to this document in the presence of:



Signature of Member Signature of Member/General Manager

DAVIO EDWARD VILLAT MICHAEL SOCION - SM (TH)

Name (Please Print)

Name (Please Print)

Dated this SIXTEENTH day of DECEMBER 1999.

File: 1999/0655

# **Environment and Heritage**

### DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

NOTICE OF A DECISION ON WHETHER AN ACTION IS A CONTROLLED ACTION OR NOT

Pursuant to section 77(1)(b) of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999, notice is hereby given that the Minister for the Environment and Heritage or delegate on his behalf, decided on the date indicated that the actions identified below are not controlled actions.

Reference No	Short Title of action	Date of Decision	Decision under s.77(3) applies
2000/75	Dept of Urban Services/Urban developments/Calwell/ACT/Cyclepath extension	23 Nov 2000	No
2000/70	Waldren Constructions Pty Ltd/Urban developments/Jerrabomberra/NSW/Jerrabomber ra Heights Residential Estate	23 Nov 2000	No

Pursuant to Section 91(1)(b) of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999, notice is hereby given that the Minister for the Environment and Heritage or delegate on his behalf, decided on the date indicated on the approach to be used for the assessment of the relevant impacts of the following action.

Refere nce No	Short title of action	Date of Decision	Assessment approach
E2000/ 006	Aurora Expeditions Pty Ltd/Whale Watching Activities/Southern Ocean/Antarctica/Tourist Cruises	28 November 2000	Assessment Preliminary Documentation

For more information see: http://www.environment.gov.au/epbc

# **Family and Community Services**

# CHILD SUPPORT (ASSESSMENT) ACT 1989

# Notice pursuant to Section 155

- I, Michael Joseph Carmody, Child Support Registrar, hereby notify, pursuant to Section 155 of the Child Support (Assessment) Act 1989 that the following amounts apply in relation to all child support periods beginning in the calendar year 2000:
- (a) the yearly equivalent of the relevant AWE amount is \$43,492.80; and of the EAWE amount is \$33,716.80; and
- (b) the relevant annual partnered rate of Social Security pension is, per person, \$8,551.40; and
- (c) the relevant annual unpartnered rate of Social Security pension is, per person, \$10,246.60; and
- (d) the amounts referred to in paragraph 39(2)(b)

standard Family Payment rate for a child under 13 years is \$3,021.20 per year; and standard Family Payment rate for a child between 13 and 15 years is \$3,829.28 per year; and minimum Family Payment rate is \$971.88 per year.

(Michael Joseph Carmody)
CHILD SHEPORT REGISTRAR

17/11/2000

# **Health and Aged Care**

# **GENETIC MANIPULATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF PROPOSALS FOR DELIBERATE RELEASE OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS

# REQUEST FOR SUBMISSIONS

The Genetic Manipulation Advisory Committee (GMAC) has received applications for the deliberate release of genetically modified organisms. The Committee invites written submissions on matters relevant to the environmental and safety issues of these proposals. Submissions should be received by GMAC within 30 days of the date of this Gazette.

All correspondence, including submissions and inquiries, should be addressed to:

The Secretary Genetic Manipulation Advisory Committee **GPO Box 2183** CANBERRA ACT 2601

Tel: 02 6271 4221 Fax: 02 6271 4202

Email: gmac.secretariat@health.gov.au

# PR-145: Evaluation of transgenes in grapevine No.3

Organisation proposing release: CSIRO Plant Industry Horticulture Unit

PO Box 350

Glen Osmond SA 5064

Organism to be released: Grapevine (Vitis vinifera)

**Purpose of the release:** The aim of the release is to evaluate the long-term stability and field performance of transgenic grapevine plants with modified berry colour and tannin levels or sugar composition.

# Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification:

Two types of transgenic grapevines are being tested. They contain extra copies of genes derived from grapevine. One of the genes that has been introduced is for an enzyme that is part of the pathway that synthesises tannins and the anthocyanin pigments present in red grapes. Alteration of the expression of this gene is expected to result in a decrease in these compounds in the grape berry.

In a second set of plants, the genetic modification is aimed at reducing the levels of an enzyme involved in sugar accumulation in grape berries. This should result in an increase in berry sucrose levels due to reduced sucrose cleavage.

In addition, the transgenic plants contain a selectable marker gene that confers resistance to the antibiotics kanamycin and neomycin. This gene is used to aid identification and selection of transgenic plant cells in the laboratory.

Location and size of trial: Merbein, Victoria. Approximately 0.15 hectare.

**Further information:** The institution's contact officers for this proposal are Dr Simon Robinson and Dr Christopher Davies, telephone (08) 8303 8600, facsimile (08) 8303 8601.

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# PR-146: Planned release of GMO (P. somniferum) oilseed poppy

Organisation proposing release: Glaxo Wellcome Australia Ltd

PO Box 189

Latrobe TAS 7307

Supervising Biosafety Committee: Agriculture Western Australia

Organism to be released: Oilseed poppy (Papaver somniferum)

**Purpose of the release:** Oilseed poppy is a source of alkaloids for the production of morphine, codeine and thebaine for the pharmaceutical market. This release is investigating alkaloid production and cross-pollination within the oilseed poppy.

# Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification:

The transgenic plants contain either

- i) the gene for an enzyme,  $\beta$ -glucuronidase (GUS), from the bacterium *Escherichia coli*, to investigate the degree of pollen transfer to non-transgenic oilseed poppy plants; *or*
- ii) the tyrosine decarboxylase gene or the berberine bridge enzyme gene both from the opium poppy, with the aim of increasing alkaloid levels in the plant. In addition, the transgenic plants contain a selectable marker gene that confers resistance to the antibiotic hygromycin.

Location and size of trial: 81,000 plants grown at the Frank Wise Institute Kununurra in the shire of Wyndham and East Kimberley, Western Australia.

**Further information:** The institution's contact officer for this proposal is Dr M J Doyle, telephone (03) 6426 5722, facsimile (03) 6426 2300

# **GENETIC MANIPULATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

# NOTICE OF EXTENSIONS TO PROPOSALS TO RELEASE GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS

# **REQUEST FOR SUBMISSIONS**

The Genetic Manipulation Advisory Committee (GMAC) has received applications for extensions to proposals for the deliberate release of genetically modified organisms. The Committee invites written submissions on matters relevant to the environmental and safety issues of these proposals. Submissions should be received by GMAC within 30 days of the date of this Gazette.

All correspondence should be addressed to:

The Secretary
Genetic Manipulation Advisory Committee
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# PR-63X(6): Release of glufosinate-ammonium tolerant hybrid and open-pollinated canola cultivars

Organisation proposing release: AventisCropScience Ptv Ltd

391-393 Tooronga Road East Hawthorn VIC 3123

Organism to be released: Canola (Brassica napus)

Purpose of the extension to the release: Canola plants genetically modified for tolerance to the herbicide alufosinate-ammonium are to be trialled under this extension to the original proposal. Use of the herbicide-tolerance gene would allow the application of glufosinate-ammonium on canola crops to control broadleaf and grass weeds.

During the winter season, agronomic features of the herbicide-tolerant canola will be assessed along with a new system developed for making hybrid varieties of canola. Hybrid varieties of canola may provide higher yields.

During the Australian spring/summer 'contraseason', seed from open-pollinated glufosinate-ammonium-tolerant canola will be obtained and supplied to Aventis CropScience Canada for use in the Canadian breeding program.

Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification: The transgenic plants to be released in both the winter and spring/summer season contain the phosphinothricin acetyltransferase gene from the bacterium Streptomyces hygroscopicus, which confers resistance to the herbicide glufosinate-ammonium.

The hybridisation system comprises two genetically modified lines of canola - a male-sterile line and a fertility-restorer line. The genes conferring these properties were introduced from the bacterium Bacillus amyloliquefaciens.

Some of the plants also contain a selectable marker gene conferring resistance to the antibiotics kanamycin and neomycin.

Location and size of trial: A total area of approximately 1100 hectares will be grown at a number of sites in the canola-growing regions of Western Australia, NSW, South Australia, Queensland and Victoria in May 2001 and in Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania in September 2001.

Further information: The institution's contact officer for this proposal is Mr Peter Whitehouse, telephone (03) 9248 6888, facsimile (03) 9248 6605. PR-64X(2): Evaluation of transgenic white clover for field resistance to alfalfa mosaic virus

Organisation proposing release: Plant Biotechnology Centre

Agriculture Victoria

Victorian Department of Natural Resources

and

**Environment** 

Organism to be released: White clover (Trifolium repens)

Purpose of the extension to the release: White clover plants have been produced that are immune to infection by at least two strains of alfalfa mosaic virus. This virus causes large economic losses to dairy farmers. The aims of this proposal are a) to determine whether the immunity to alfalfa mosaic virus observed in the primary transgenic plants under glasshouse and planned field release conditions also occurs in elite offspring from these plants under field conditions; and b) to establish a breeding nursery for selection of elite plants for the development of experimental cultivars.

Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification: The DNA inserted into the plants is derived from alfalfa mosaic virus and includes the sequence that encodes the virus coat protein.

A marker gene from the bacterium *Escherichia coli*, encoding resistance to the antibiotics kanamycin and neomycin, was also transferred to the transgenic plants.

**Location and size of trial:** A total of 1300 transgenic plants will be planted at Hamilton, Victoria and a total of 336 transgenic plants will be planted at Howlong, NSW.

**Further information:** The institution's contact officer for this proposal is Professor German Spangenberg, telephone (03) 9479 3851 or (03) 9479 2995 and facsimile (03) 9479 3618.

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PR-77X(4): Planned release of transgenic canola expressing tolerance to the herbicide glyphosate (Roundup Ready<sup>®</sup> canola)

Organisation proposing release: Monsanto Australia Ltd

PO Box 6051 St Kilda Road

**CENTRAL VIC 8008** 

Organism to be released: Canola (Brassica napus)

Purpose of the extension to the release: The aim of this extension is to continue breeding and variety-testing of canola modified for tolerance to the herbicide glyphosate (Roundup®). The use of herbicide-tolerant canola would allow the application of glyphosate for the control of weeds that emerge following crop planting. The trial is for seed production and, in addition, options for weed management in glyphosate-tolerant canola will be examined during the trial. Seed production in preparation for a general release will also take place.

Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification: The transgenic canola plants have been modified to contain two new genes that are found naturally in common soil microorganisms. The proteins produced by the two genes together confer tolerance to glyphosate, the active ingredient of the herbicide Roundup®.

**Location and size of trial:** A total area of approximately 100 hectares will be planted on up to 60 sites in NSW, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, Western Australia and South Australia.

Further information: The institution's contact officer for this proposal is Helen Arthur, telephone (03) 9522 7122, facsimile (03) 9525 2253.

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PR-85X(4): Small and large scale seed increase of a genetically modified canola (*Brassica rapa*) with a new hybridisation system

Organisation proposing release: Aventis CropScience Pty Ltd

391-393 Tooronga Road East Hawthorn VIC 3123

Organism to be released: Canola (Brassica rapa)

**Purpose of the extension to the release:** The aim of this extension is to continue the evaluation of a new genetic system for making hybrid varieties of canola (*Brassica rapa*) and to increase seed stocks for use in Aventis' global breeding program. Part of the trial is aimed at investigating the level of tolerance to Blackleg, a fungal disease.

The canola plants have also been genetically modified for tolerance to the herbicide glufosinate-ammonium. The herbicide-tolerance gene would allow the use of glufosinate-ammonium in canola crops as a post-emergent application to control broadleaf and grass weeds.

Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification: The hybridisation system comprises two genetically modified lines of canola - a malesterile line and a fertility-restorer line. The genes conferring these properties were introduced from the bacterium *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens*.

The herbicide-tolerance gene introduced into the canola plants is the phosphinothricin acetyltransferase gene from the bacteria *Streptomyces viridichromogenes* or *Streptomyces hygroscopicus*.

**Location and size of trial:** A total of 121 hectares will be planted at a number of sites in NSW, Queensland and Victoria in May 2001 and in Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania in September 2001.

**Further information:** The institution's contact officer for this proposal is Mr Peter Whitehouse, telephone (03) 9248 6888, facsimile (03) 9248 6605.

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PR-90X(3): Development of herbicide tolerant Brassica juncea

Organisation proposing release: Aventis CropScience Pty Ltd

391-393 Tooronga Road East Hawthorn VIC 3123

Organism to be released: Indian mustard (Brassica juncea)

**Purpose of the extension to the release:** The Indian mustard plant (*Brassica juncea*) is closely related to commercially grown canola (*Brassica napus*). Plant breeders are keen to develop canola-quality lines of *B. juncea* would be interchangeable with *Brassica napus* for processing. Features of non-canola quality *Brassica juncea* lines, such as greater tolerance to heat and drought and early maturity, are sought-after in canola quality breeding.

The aim of this extension to the original proposal is to continue trialling in the field a new system for making hybrids in suitably modified Indian mustard plants. The plants have also been modified for tolerance to the herbicide glufosinate-ammonium. The herbicide-resistance trait would also enable glufosinate-ammonium to be used to assist weed control in the crop.

Brief description of the nature and effect of the genetic modification: The hybridisation system comprises two genetically modified lines of canola - a malesterile line and a fertility-restorer line. The genes conferring these properties were introduced from the bacterium Bacillus amyloliquefaciens.

The gene conferring resistance to the herbicide glufosinate-ammonium was introduced from the bacterium *Streptomyces hygroscopicus*. Some of the plants

also contain a selectable marker gene coding for resistance to the antibiotics kanamycin and neomycin.

Location and size of trial: A total area of 10 hectares comprising less than 1 hectare per site will be planted at a number of sites in May 2001 in NSW, Queensland and Victoria, and in September 2001 in Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania.

Further information: The institution's contact officer for this proposal is Mr Peter Whitehouse, telephone (03) 9248 6888, facsimile (03) 9248 6605.

#### COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

#### THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1989

#### **SECTION 14 NOTICE**

On 23 November 2000, the delegate of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Aged Care for the purposes of subsection 14(1) of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989 ("the Act") gave his consent for Baxter Healthcare Pty Ltd, 1 Baxter Drive, Old Toongabbie NSW ("the Company") to supply Water for Injection 1000mL in PVC (Viaflex) bags (Aust R 19456) which do not comply with the requirements of the British Pharmacopoeia (BP) 1999 (Amendment No. 1) monograph for Sterilised Water For Injection, with respect to the test and limit for conductivity.

For the purposes of subsection 15(1) of the Act, the Company must adhere to the following conditions in supplying the products:

- 1. No other changes have been made to product;
- 2. A test and limit for conductivity (NMT 2.04 S cm<sup>-1</sup>) applies to bulk water for injection used during the initial, in-process and final stages of the manufacture of the product;
- 3. A test and limit for conductivity (interim limit NMT 10.0ų S cm<sup>-1)</sup> is included in the finished product expiry specifications. The interim limit will be reviewed within six months based on the results from testing of newly manufactured batches, any on-going stability test batches and appropriate retention samples.

# COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

#### THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1989

# **SECTION 14 NOTICE**

On 23 November 2000, the delegate of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Aged Care for the purposes of subsection 14(1) of the *Therapeutic Goods Act 1989* ("the Act") gave his consent for Wyeth Australia Pty Ltd, 5 Gibbon Road, Baulkham Hills NSW("the Company") to minocycline (Minomycin) 100 mg capsules (AUST R 48643) with labels which do not comply with the requirements of Therapeutic Goods Order No. 48 "General requirements for labels for drug products", specifically that the designations for batch number and expiry date (but not the numbers themselves) are missing from the blister labels.

For the purposes of subsection 15(1) of the Act, the Company must adhere to the following conditions in supplying the products:

- 1. The exemption applies only to batch P-20 of the product;
- 2. No other changes have been made to the product:
- 3. The foil and carton labels are as submitted with the Company letter of 14 November 2000.

TG A THERAPEBTIC GOODS ADMINISTRATION

PO Box 100 Woden ACT 2606 Australia Telephone: (02) 6232 8485 Facsimile: (02) 6232 8481



## THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1989

# **CONSENT UNDER SUBSECTION 14(1)**

I, Gary Grohmann, delegate of the Secretary to the Department of Health and Aged Care for the purpose of the exercise of the Secretary's powers under Section 14 of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989, acting under subsection 14(1), CONSENT to the request that CSL Limited be granted an exemption from the requirements of Therapeutic Goods Order No 48 - "General requirements for labels for drug products" in respect of BCG Vaccine (AUST R 53569), with the 'L' (to indicate lot number) and 'E' (to indicate the expiry date) omitted from the vaccine vial label of Lot number CO423AH. Both the actual lot number (CO423AH) and date (JUL 2002) are printed on the vaccine vial label. The exemption is for BCG vaccine Lot number CO423AH only.

Gary Grohmann
Head, Immunobiology Section
TGA Laboratories Branch
Therapeutic Goods Administration
(Delegate of the Secretary to the
Department of Health and Aged Care)
November 17, 2000

### COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

### THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1989

# SECTION 14 NOTICE

On 28 November 2000, the delegate of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Aged Care for the purposes of subsection 14(1) of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989 ("the Act") gave his consent for Astra Pharmaceuticals Pty Ltd (trading as AstraZeneca), Alma Road, North Ryde NSW ("the Company") to supply foscarnet (Foscavir) intravenous infusion containing foscarnet sodium 6 g/250 mL which do not comply with the requirements of Therapeutic Goods Order No. 48 "General requirements for labels for drug products", specifically the carton and bottle labels do not contain the correct name of the goods ("foscarnet sodium intravenous infusion" is cited instead of "foscarnet intravenous infusion").

For the purposes of subsection 15(1) of the Act, the Company must adhere to the following conditions in supplying the products:

- 1. The exemption applies only to batch BD 793. Based on the Company fax of 27 November 2000, 99 units are currently in Australia and a further 50 units are due on 18 December 2000;
- 2. The Company will submit a formal Category 3 application within 2 weeks of the date of approval, and pay the normal fee that applies for an application to make this change;
- No other changes have been made to the product;
- 4. The carton and bottle labels are as supplied with the Company letter of 2 November 2000.

# National Health and Medical Research Council

REVIEW OF DIETARY GUIDELINES: Dietary Guidelines for Australians (1991), Dietary guidelines for children and adolescents (1995) and Infant feeding guidelines for health workers (1996).

# NOTICE OF INTENTION TO REVIEW GUIDELINES

The National Health and Medical Research Council proposes to review three of it's dietary guidelines. In order to assist in the review process a survey has been prepared.

You are invited to participate in this review by completing the survey. A copy of the survey is available from: <a href="http://www.nhmrc.health.gov.au/advice/diet.htm">http://www.nhmrc.health.gov.au/advice/diet.htm</a> or from Lorraine O'Connor (at the address below).

Please return your completed survey to:

Lorraine O'Connor Health Advisory Unit (Mail Drop Point 100) Office of NHMRC GPO Box 9848 CANBERRA ACT 2601

E-mail: lorraine.o'connor@health.gov.au

Tel: (02) 6289 9188 Fax: (02) 6289 9180

# Closing date

The closing date for surveys is Friday 22 December, 2000.

## National Health and Medical Research Council Act 1992

## NATIONAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL

TIMETABLE AND PROCEDURES RELATING TO RESEARCH AND TRAINING GRANTS FOR FUNDING COMMENCING IN 2002

For section 11A of the Act, the National Health and Medical Research Council has made the timetable and procedures, set out below, to assist it in making recommendations to the Commonwealth on the application of the Medical Research Endowment Reserve on:

- (a) public health research and training; and
- (b) medical research and training.

**Project Grants** 

Procedure	Timetable
Advertisement	6 December 2000
System available	9 December 2000
Applications close	2 March 2001
Advice to Minister	by 31 October 2001
Advice to applicants	by 30 November
	2001
Commencement	1 January 2002

Program Grants

Procedure	Timetable
Advertisement	6 December 2000
System available	9 December 2000
Notification of Intent to Apply	31 December 2000
Applications close	9 February 2001
Interviews	April-May 2001
Advice to Minister	By 31 October 2001
Advice to applicants	By 30 November 2001
Commencement	1 January 2002

**Fellowships** 

Procedure	Timetable
Advertisement	6 December 2000
System available	9 December 2000
Applications close	2 March 2001
Advice to Minister	By 31 October 2001
Advice to applicants	By 30 November 2001
Commencement	1 January 2002

**Training Awards** 

Procedure	Timetable
Advertisement	6 December 2000
Applications open for	9 December 2000
Travelling Awards for	
Research Training (Round 1)	
Applications close for	2 March 2001
Travelling Awards for	
Research Training (Round 1)	
Training Awards Applications	May 2001
available	
Training Awards applications	27 July 2001
close	
Scholarship applications	17 August 2001
available	
Scholarship applications close	17 August 2001
Applications close for	27 July 2001
Travelling Awards for	
Research Training (Round 2)	
Advice to Minister	By 31 October 2001
Advice to applicants	by 30 November 2001
Commencement	1 January 2002

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## **Transport and Regional Services**

#### **SCHEDULE**

GUIDELINES under SECTION 10.03 for the exercise of the REGISTRAR'S POWER in NOMINATING DESIGNATED SECONDARY SHIPPER BODIES for the purposes of SECTIONS 10.29, 10.41 and 10.52 of PART X of the TRADE PRACTICES ACT 1974

These guidelines relate only to designated outwards or inwards secondary shipper bodies that meet, in the opinion of the Minister, the requirements of subsection 10.03(2)(a) or subsection 10.03(2B)(a) of the Act and have been declared by the Minister under subsection 10.03(2) or subsection 10.03(2A). The Registrar may exercise his or her power to nominate one or more of these designated secondary shipper bodies for the purposes of conducting negotiations under Sections 10.29, 10.41 and 10.52 of the Act within the following guidelines.

- (1)In the case of a nomination pursuant to Section 10.29 of the Act for the purposes of negotiations over minimum service levels to be included in a conference agreement:
  - only in the absence of a designated outwards or inwards peak shipper body; and
  - where a designated outwards or inwards (as appropriate) secondary shipper body meets the following criteria to the greatest extent:
    - a) greatest aggregation of exporter or importer interests, in terms of the range of cargo types, of users, or those who might reasonably be expected to need to use, outwards or inwards liner cargo shipping services respectively;
    - b) greatest aggregation of exporter or importer interests, on a national basis, of users, or those who might reasonably be expected to need to use, outwards or inwards liner cargo shipping services respectively;
    - c) highest aggregate value of export or import cargo shipped, or which might reasonably be expected to be needed to be shipped, on outwards or inwards liner cargo shipping services respectively;
    - d) highest aggregate volume of export or import cargo shipped, or which might reasonably be expected to be needed to be shipped, on outwards or inwards liner cargo shipping services respectively.
- (2) In the case of a nomination pursuant to Sections 10.41 and 10.52 of the Act for the purposes of negotiations over arrangements for, and the terms and conditions of carriage, in a particular outwards or inwards trade covered by a conference agreement or served by a nonconference ocean carrier with a substantial degree of market power:
  - Where a designated outwards or inwards secondary shipper body meets any one of the following criteria:
    - a) greatest aggregation of exporter or importer interests, in terms of types of cargo, of users or those who might reasonably be expected to need to use the particular outwards or inwards service:
    - b) greatest aggregation of exporter or importer interests, in terms of geographic locality, of users, or those who might reasonably be expected to need to use, the particular outwards or inwards service;
    - c) highest aggregate value of cargo shipped, or which might reasonably be expected to be needed to be shipped, on the particular outwards or inwards service;
    - d) highest aggregate volume of cargo shipped, or which might reasonably be expected to be needed to be shipped, on the particular outwards or inwards service.

JOHN ANDERSON Minister of State for Transport and Regional Services 15 November 2000

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#### NOTIFICATION OF THE ISSUE OF AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES UNDER THE CIVIL AVIATION REGULATIONS 1998

The following Airworthiness Directives under subregulation 39.1 (1) of the Civil Aviation Regulations 1998 will become effective on 6 December 2000:

### Part 105 - Aircraft

AD/BN-2/71

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### **Treasurer**

#### COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975

## **ORDER UNDER SUBSECTION 22(1)**

#### WHEREAS -

- (A) Joseph George Nassif is a foreign person for the purposes of section 21A of the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 ('the Act');
- (B) Joseph George Nassif proposes to acquire an interest in the Australian urban land described in the notice furnished on 31 October 2000 under section 26A of the Act;

NOW THEREFORE I, Peter Biggs, Acting General Manager of the Foreign Investment Policy Division of the Treasury and authorised to make this order for and on behalf of the Treasurer, pursuant to subsection 22(1) of the Act for the purpose of enabling consideration to be given as to whether an order should be made under subsection 21A(2) of the Act in respect of the proposed acquisition PROHIBIT the proposed acquisition for a period not exceeding ninety days after this order comes into operation.

Dated this

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Acting General Manager

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## **O**APRA

## REVOCATION OF AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BANKING BUSINESS IN AUSTRALIA

## Banking Act 1959

#### SINCE:

- A. Subitem 7(3) of Division 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 8 of the Financial Sector Reform (Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Act (No. 1) 1999 (the "FSR Act") provides, among other things, that on the transfer date, a body that was a FIC body immediately before the transfer date is taken to have been granted an authority under subsection 9(3) of the Banking Act 1959 (the "Banking Act"); and
- B. CPS Credit Union Limited ACN 087 651 269 (the "ADI") is an ADI by virtue of the FSR Act provision mentioned in recital A;
- C. On 23 October 2000, the ADI, by notice in writing to the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority ("APRA"), requested a revocation of its section 9 authority; and
- D. I am satisfied that the revocation of the authority:
  - (i) would not be contrary to the national interest; and
  - (ii) would not be contrary to the interests of depositors of the ADI,
- I, Graeme John Thompson, a delegate of APRA, under paragraph 9A(1)(a) of the Banking Act REVOKE the section 9 authority of the ADI.

In this instrument:

"ADI" has the meaning given by section 5 of the Banking Act; and

"FIC body" has the meaning given by item 1 of Division 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 8 of the FSR Act.

This instrument and the revocation of the section 9 authority of the ADI is to take effect and come on force on the close of business at 5.00 pm on 17 November 2000.

Dated 17 November 2000

[Signed]

G J Thompson Chief Executive Officer

#### COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

### Australian Bureau of Statistics Act 1975

Termination of Appointment of Persons to act in the Office of Australian Statistician and Appointment of Persons to act in the Office of Australian Statistician

I, WILLIAM PATRICK DEANE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council and under section 15 of the Australian Bureau of Statistics Act 1975:

- (a) terminate the appointment dated 24 July 2000 of Timothy Joseph Skinner and Brian Norman Pink to act in the office of Australian Statistician; and
- (b) appoint Timothy Joseph Skinner and Robert William Edwards to act alternately in the office of Australian Statistician during all periods when Dennis John Trewin, the holder of that office, is absent from duty or from Australia or is, for any other reason, unable to perform the duties of that office, as follows:
  - Robert William Edwards is to act in the office during the first period of (i) that kind that commences after the date of this instrument:
  - During each subsequent period of that kind, whichever of the appointees (ii) was not acting in the office at the end of the last period of that kind is to act in the office if that appointee is available to do so;
  - If the appointee who, under subparagraph (i) or (ii), would act in the (iii) office during a period of that kind is unavailable to do so, the other appointee is to act in the office during that period;
  - If either of the appointees is acting in the office and, during the period for (iv) which that appointee is acting, that appointee becomes unable to do so, the other appointee is to act in the office during the remainder of that period.

Dated

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WILLIAM DEANE

Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Joe Hockey

Minister for Financial Services and Regulation

#### COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION

The Commissioner of Taxation gives notice of the following Ruling, copies of which can be obtained from Branches of the Australian Taxation Office.

#### NOTICE OF RULINGS

Ruling Number	Subject	Brief Description
PR 2000/115	Income tax: Goulburn Valley Orchards 2000 Project	Ruling sets out the tax consequences of investing in the Project, by Growers entering into a Lease and Management Agreement for the purposes of commercially growing fruit trees for the Goulburn Valley Orchards.

#### NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF PRODUCT RULINGS

The Commissioner of Taxation gives notice that the following Product Ruling(s) is/are withdrawn on the date nominated below. The Notice of Withdrawal is incorporated in the Product Ruling.

Ruling Number	Subject	Brief Description
PR 2000/115	Income tax: Goulburn Valley Orchards 2000 Project	This Product Ruling is withdrawn and ceases to have effect after 30 June 2003.
PR 1999/44	Income tax: Ord River Sandalwood Project No 2	This Product Ruling is withdrawn with effect from today.
PR 1999/54	Income tax: Heydon Park Tea Tree Project	This Product Ruling is withdrawn with effect from today.



## Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act 1998

## APPROVAL TO HOLD A STAKE IN A FINANCIAL SECTOR COMPANY OF MORE THAN 15%

#### SINCE:

- (1) Cable and Wireless Australia & Pacific Holding BV ('the applicant') has applied to the Treasurer under section 13 of the *Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act 1998* (the "Act") for approval to hold a 52.5% stake in Cable & Wireless Optus Limited ACN 052 833 208 ("CWO") and Optus Insurance Services Pty Limited ACN 005 711 928 ("OIS");
- (2) CWO and OIS are financial sector companies under the Act by virtue of OIS being a company authorised under the "Insurance Act 1973" to carry on insurance business effective 7 January 1981, and CWO being its holding company; and
- (3) I am satisfied that it is in the national interest to approve the applicant holding a stake in OIS and CWO of more than 15%,
- I, Stephen Edward Glenfield, a delegate of the Treasurer, under section 14 of the Act, APPROVE the applicant holding a 52.5% stake in OIS and CWO.

Dated 24 November 2000

Stephen É Glenfield General Manager South West Region

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## APPROVAL UNDER THE PAYMENT SYSTEMS AND NETTING ACT 1998

Approval No 1 of 2000

The RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA makes the following approval under section 9 of the Payment Systems and Netting Act 1998:

- 1. The Clearing House Electronic Subregister System (CHESS) is hereby approved as an "approved RTGS system" in terms of the Payment Systems and Netting Act.
- 2. This approval is a disallowable instrument under section 46A of the Acts

  Interpretation Act 1901 and, accordingly, is being tabled before each House of the Commonwealth Parliament.
- 3. Subject to disallowance, this approval will take effect from the date of notification in the Gazette.
- 4. This approval may be reviewed from time to time.

Signed

IJ Macfarlane Governor

Reserve Bank of Australia

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CIVIL AVIATION
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## NOTIFICATION OF THE ISSUE OF AN AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE UNDER THE CIVIL AVIATION REGULATIONS 1998

The following Airworthiness Directive under subregulation 39.1 (1) of the *Civil Aviation Regulations 1998* will become effective on 27 November 2000:

#### Part 105 - Aircraft

AD/HU 369/106 - Helicopter Technology Main Rotor Blades

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## <u>DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,</u> TRAINING AND YOUTH AFFAIRS

NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF A DETERMINATION UNDER THE HIGHER EDUCATION FUNDING ACT 1988.

The following determination has been made under the *Higher Education Funding Act 1988*. A copy can be obtained from the Director, Institution Financing Unit, Higher Education Division, Department of Education, Training and Youth Affairs, 14 Mort Street, Canberra City, ACT 2601, or by telephoning (02) 6240 9647.

Number/ Year	Section	Description	Date Made
T13-2000	15	To revise the level of base operating grants in 2000 for the reimbursement of HECS for overseas trained doctors programme	24/11/2000



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#### NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF STATUTORY RULES

The following Statutory Rules have been made and copies may be purchased at the Government Info Shop, 10 Mort Street, Canberra City, ACT, 2600.

Act under which the Statutory Rule was made	Description of the Statutory Rule	Year and number of the Statutory Rule
Fisheries Management Act 1991	Fisheries Management Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 3)	2000 No. 310
Fisheries Management Act 1991	Fisheries Management (Refund) Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 1)	2000 No. 311
Family Law Act 1975	Family Law (Hague Convention on Intercountry Adoption) Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 1)	2000 No. 312
Broadcasting Services Act 1992	Broadcasting Services (Digital Television Standards) Regulations 2000	2000 No. 313
Defence Act 1903	Defence (Areas Control) Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 1)	2000 No. 314
National Health Act 1953	National Health Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 4)	2000 No. 315
Science and Industry Research Act 1949	Science and Industry Research (Gifts, Trusts and Contracts) Regulations 2000	2000 No. 316
Patents Act 1990	Patents Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 1)	2000 No. 317
Diesel and Alternative Fuels Grants Scheme Act 1999	Diesel and Alternative Fuels Grants Scheme Amendment Regulations 2000 (No. 2)	2000 No. 318



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#### COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGED CARE

#### THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1989

ORDER UNDER SECTION 3 - DEFINITION OF THE "BRITISH PHARMACOPOEIA"

I TERRY SLATER, delegate of the Minister for Health and Aged Care for the purposes of the exercise of the Minister's powers under the definition of the "British Pharmacopoeia" in Subsection 3(1) of the *Therapeutic Goods Act 1989* ("the Act") and acting under that provision, HEREBY SPECIFY that on and from 1 December 2000 the definition of the "British Pharmacopoeia" in the Act shall refer to the British Pharmacopoeia 2000.

Dated this

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day of November 2000

TERRY SLATER
National Manager

Therapeutic Goods Administration

(Delegate of the Minister for Health and Aged Care)



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#### **COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**

Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975

**ORDER UNDER SUBSECTION 22(1)** 

WHEREAS -

- MAATALLAKH OLGA is a foreign person for the purposes of section 21A of the (A) Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 ('the Act');
- MAATALLAKH OLGA proposes to acquire an interest in the Australian urban land (B) referred to in the notice furnished on 23 October 2000 under section 26A of the Act;

NOW THEREFORE I, Peter Biggs, Acting General Manager of the Foreign Investment Policy Division of the Treasury and authorised to make this order for and on behalf of the Treasurer, PROHIBIT pursuant to subsection 22(1) of the Act the proposed acquisition for a period not exceeding ninety days after this order comes into operation, for the purpose of enabling consideration to be given as to whether an order should be made under subsection 21A(2) of the Act in respect of the proposed acquisition.

Dated this

23 A day of

Acting General Manager

#### **COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**

## Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975

#### **ORDER UNDER SUBSECTION 22(1)**

#### WHEREAS -

- (A) Kyung Il Kim is a foreign person for the purposes of section 21A of the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 ('the Act');
- (B) Kyung Il Kim proposes to acquire an interest in the Australian urban land referred to in the notice furnished on 27 October 2000 under section 26A of the Act;

NOW THEREFORE I, Peter Biggs, Acting General Manager of the Foreign Investment Policy Division of the Treasury and authorised to make this order for and on behalf of the Treasurer, PROHIBIT pursuant to subsection 22(1) of the Act the proposed acquisition for a period not exceeding ninety days after this order comes into operation, for the purpose of enabling consideration to be given as to whether an order should be made under subsection 21A(2) of the Act in respect of the proposed acquisition.

Dated this

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Acting General Manager



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# Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Sheepmeat and Goatmeat Export to the European Union) Order 2000

I, GREGORY ROBERT READ, delegate of the Secretary to the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, make this Order under section 17 of the Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997.

Dated 29 November

2000

Delegate of the Secretary to the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

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## Part 1 Preliminary

#### 1 Name of Order

This Order is the Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Sheepmeat and Goatmeat Export to the European Union) Order 2000.

#### 2 Commencement

This Order commences on gazettal.

#### 3 Definitions

In this Order:

access amount, for a year, means the total carcase equivalent weight of quota meat that may, under the law of the EU, be exported from Australia to the EU during the year.

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

**Preliminary** 

Part 1

Section 3

#### AFFA means the Department.

Note The Department means the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (also called Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Australia) — see section 19A of the Acts Interpretation Act 1901 and the Administrative Arrangements Order made on 21 October 1998 and published in the Gazette on 22 October 1998.

AFFA's QA Unit means the section of AFFA known as the Quota Administration and Statistics Unit.

Note The address of AFFA's OA Unit is given in section 21.

approval means an approval for an export issued under Part 4.

AQIS means the operating group of AFFA known as the Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service.

AUS-MEAT means AUS-MEAT Limited (ACN 082 528 881).

carcase equivalent weight, for meat, means:

- (a) for bone-in meat its weight; or
- (b) for boneless mutton its weight divided by 0.55; or
- (c) for boneless goatmeat its weight divided by 0.55; or
- (d) for boneless lamb its weight divided by 0.6.

certificate means the Document of Origin required by the EU for sheepmeat or goatmeat exported to the EU.

Note Part 5 provides for the issue of certificates.

consignment means a quantity of meat exported by an exporter on 1 ship or aircraft to 1 consignee.

#### consignment information for a consignment means:

- (a) if the information required by section 3 of the Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation Order No. M67/94, Provision of Information, to be given to AQIS or AFFA about an export is given to AQIS in accordance with paragraph 3 (b) of that Order — the information so given; or
- (b) if the information is given to AFFA by means of a Form 4, 9 or 10 under that Order the information in the form.

eligible exporter means an exporter to which an EU quota is allocated, or to which all or part of an EU quota is transferred.

#### establishment means premises that:

- (a) are under the full-time inspection and supervision of AQIS; and
- (b) are registered under the Export Control Act 1982; and
- (c) have been accredited by AUS-MEAT and AQIS for the export of meat to the EU.

EU means the European Union.

EU-accredited goatmeat establishment means an establishment that is accredited by AQIS to produce goatmeat for export to the EU.

EU-accredited sheepmeat establishment means an establishment that is accredited by AQIS to produce sheepmeat for export to the BU.

Preliminary

#### Section 3

EU quota means the quantity of quota meat that an eligible exporter is entitled to export to the EU.

EXDOC means the electronic documentation system maintained by AOIS.

exporter means the holder of a meat export licence allowing the holder to export sheepmeat or goatmeat to the EU.

meat does not include edible offal.

performance, for an exporter, means the recorded carcase equivalent weight of the meat exported by the exporter.

**Performance Account D**, for an exporter, means the recorded carcase equivalent weight of exports, by the exporter through an EU accredited sheepmeat or goatmeat establishment, of sheepmeat and goatmeat to the EU under an EU quota.

**Performance Account 1**, for an exporter, means the recorded carcase equivalent weight of exports by the exporter to all destinations, except those exports of sheepmeat and goatmeat to the EU under an EU quota, of:

- (a) sheepmeat slaughtered, boned or packed in an EU-accredited sheepmeat establishment; and
- (b) goatmeat slaughtered, boned or packed in an EU-accredited goatmeat establishment.

Note AFFA keeps accounts for each exporter, called Performance Account D and Performance Account I, to record the exporter's performance.

quota meat means fresh, chilled or frozen mutton, lamb or goatmeat, but does not include:

- (a) edible offal; or
- (b) canned or processed meat; or
- (c) product for ships' stores; or
- (d) a product for which a certificate is not required by the EU.

shipped weight, for quota meat, means the actual weight of the meat (whether it is bone-in or boneless).

Prohibition of certain exports

Part 2

Section 4

## Part 2 Prohibition of certain exports

4 No export without approval and certificate

An eligible exporter may export quota meat to a member country of the EU only if AFPA has issued an approval and a certificate for the export.

**EU quotas** 

#### Section 5

#### Part 3 **EU** quotas

#### 5 What this Part does

This Part sets out how an EU quota is obtained and how to work out an exporter's EU quota that will have effect for the calendar year 2001.

#### How EU quota is obtained

(1) The Secretary may invite exporters to apply for an EU quota for 2001.

Note AFFA intends to give exporters a notice, called a notice of limitation, that advises the amount of quota meat that may be exported to the EU during 2001 and, in that notice, may seek applications from exporters for the allocation of quota within this amount - see the Australian Meat and Live-stock (Quotas) Act 1990, section 5.

- (2) An exporter may apply to the Secretary for an EU quota.
- (3) The Secretary may grant a quota.

Note 1 AFFA intends to give an eligible exporter a notice, called a quota document, about its quota - see the Australian Meat and Live-stock (Quotas) Act 1990, section 6. It is intended that the quota document will state the amount of quota meat that may be exported to the EU by the eligible exporter during 2001. It is also intended that the quota document will identify any conditions of the grant of quota.

Note 2 The Secretary may at any time vary any or all of the following:

- (a) the period of effect of a quota;
- (b) the quantity or description of goods covered by a quota;
- (c) the condition or conditions of a quota.

See the Act. section 28.

Note 3 Decisions by the Secretary about a quota are reviewable by the Administrative Appeals Tribunal — see the Act, section 30.

(4) An exporter may also get quota from another exporter who is an eligible exporter.

#### How EU quota is worked out

(1) An exporter's EU quota for 2001 is the sum of the following amounts:

(a) 
$$0.8 \times AA \times \frac{ED}{TD}$$
;

(b) 
$$0.2 \times AA \times \frac{(EPAD + EPAI)}{(TPAD + TPAI)}$$
;

**EU quotas** 

Part 3

Section 8

#### where:

#### AA is:

- (a) the access amount; or
- (b) if, when the quota is being worked out, the EU has not published the EU quota for the relevant year — the amount determined by AFFA under subsection (4).

ED is the recorded carcase equivalent weight of exports for 2000, by the eligible exporter through an EU-accredited sheepmeat or goatmeat establishment, of sheepmeat and goatmeat to the EU under an EU quota.

EPAD is the exporter's Performance Account D for 2000.

**EPAI** is the exporter's Performance Account I for 2000.

TD is the recorded carcase equivalent weight of exports for 2000, by all eligible exporters through EU-accredited sheepmeat or goatmeat establishments, of sheepmeat and goatmeat to the EU under an EU quota.

TPAD is the total of all exporters' Performance Accounts D for 2000.

TPAI is the total of all exporters' Performance Accounts I for 2000.

- (2) If the amount worked out for an exporter under paragraph (1) (a) or (b) is less than 12 tonnes, that quantity is disregarded.
- (3) When an exporter's EU quota is worked out under subsection (1) and the fee prescribed by the Australian Meat and Live-stock (Quotas) Regulations 2000 for allocation of the quota has been paid, the Secretary must credit the exporter's quota account with the amount of the EU quota.
- (4) If, when quotas are being worked out for a year, the EU has not published the access amount for the year, AFFA may determine an amount to be the access amount for the year based on the access amount for the previous year and AFFA's estimate of the amount of quota meat likely to be permitted entry to the EU during the year.

## 8 Transfer of EU quotas

- An exporter may transfer all or part of its EU quota to another exporter in accordance with this section.
- (2) If an eligible exporter (transferor) wishes to transfer all or part of its EU quota to another exporter (transferee), it must tell AFFA's QA Unit in writing:
  - (a) the name of the transferor; and
  - (b) the name of the transferee; and
  - (c) the carcase equivalent weight, in kilograms, of EU quota to be transferred.

**EU** quotas

#### Section 9

#### 9 How much quota meat an exporter has exported

(1) An exporter is taken to have exported the quantity of quota meat shown in approvals given to the exporter under Part 4.

#### (2) However:

- (a) if the quantity of quota meat actually in an export is less than the quantity stated in the approval for the export, the exporter is not taken to have exported the difference if:
  - (i) the identifying number of the approval is shown on the consignment information; and
  - (ii) the exporter gives that information to AFFA's QA Unit by 5 pm on 28 September 2001; and
  - (iii) the weight difference between the actual quantity of the export and the quantity stated in the certificate for the export is no more than 50 kilograms; and

#### (b) if:

- (i) the quantity of quota meat actually in an export is less than the quantity stated in the certificate for the export; and
- (ii) but for this subsection, the exporter would be taken to have exported the difference;

the exporter is not taken to have exported the difference if the exporter gives a copy of the certificate, annotated by the relevant EU authority to show the actual quantity of meat exported, to AFFA's QA Unit by 5 pm on 28 September 2001; and

- (c) if an exporter is granted approval for an export but does not make the export, the exporter is not taken to have exported the quantity of quota meat mentioned in the approval if the exporter gives all the copies of the relevant certificate to AFFA's QA Unit by 5 pm on 28 September 2001; and
- (d) if an approval lapses before 5 pm on 28 September 2001 and before any export takes place under it, the exporter is not taken to have exported the quantity of quota meat mentioned in the approval; and
- (e) if an export is refused entry to the EU, the exporter is not taken to have made the export if the exporter returns all the copies of the relevant certificate to AFFA's QA Unit by the earlier of:
  - (i) 5 pm on 28 September 2001; or
  - (ii) 3 months after the day the export leaves Australia.

## 10 When unused quota lapses

If an eligible exporter is not given approval to export all the quota meat permitted by its quota by 5 pm on 28 September 2001, the unused quota lapses at the end of that period.

Note The unused quota becomes 'uncommitted', and an eligible exporter can apply for approval to export against it — see subsection 12 (2).

Section 11

## Part 4 Approvals

## 11 How to get approval for exports

- (1) An exporter must obtain a separate approval for each consignment to be exported.
- (2) An application must set out the following information for the consignment:
  - (a) the applicant's name;
  - (b) the identification number;
  - (c) for the meat to be exported:
    - (i) its type; and
    - (ii) its AUS-MEAT meat type cipher and its AUS-MEAT handbook cut number, both contained in the AUS-MEAT RFP Cut Code Reference Booklet - 1999, published by AUS-MEAT Limited (ACN 082 528 881), as amended at the commencement of this Order; and
    - (iii) whether it is chilled or frozen; and
    - (iv) whether it is bone-in or boneless, and the quantity of it in each form; and
    - (v) the establishment number of the establishment that prepared it;
  - (d) the name of the importer;
  - (e) the shipped weight (in kilograms);
  - (f) the carcase equivalent weight (in kilograms);
  - (g) the name of the ship and the voyage, or the air freight carrier and flight number, to be used;
  - (h) the intended port of loading and the expected date of loading;
  - (i) the name of the final destination country;
  - (j) the intended port of discharge;
  - (k) the AFFA regional office at which the AQIS notice of intention to export is to be lodged;
  - (1) the AFFA regional office at which the AQIS health certificate is to be taken out.
- (3) An application for approval:
  - (a) must not be made to AFFA before the exporter receives a quota notice about its EU quota; and
  - (b) must be made to AFFA's QA Unit by 5 pm on 28 September 2001.

**Approvals** 

#### Section 12

## 12 Approval to export from the uncommitted amount

- (1) An eligible exporter may apply for approval to export further quota meat up to the access amount if, on 2 October 2001:
  - (a) an amount of quota has lapsed under section 10; and
  - (b) the total of all exports approved under this Part is less than the access amount, on or after that day.
- (2) Section 11 (except subsection 11 (3)) applies to an application under this section.

## 13 Approvals for exports unlikely to be accepted into EU

An eligible exporter that is issued with an approval on or before 2 October 2001 must tell AFFA's QA Unit in writing before 1 November 2001 if it is likely that an export will not be accepted for entry into a member country of the EU before 1 January 2002.

### 14 Duration of approvals

- (1) An approval (other than an approval granted after application under subsection 12 (1)) lapses if the exporter to which it is given does not obtain a certificate for the proposed export before the earlier of:
  - (a) 28 September 2001; or
  - (b) 3 months after the issue of the approval.
- (2) An approval given after application under subsection 12 (1) lapses if the exporter to which it is given does not obtain a certificate for the proposed export within 4 weeks after the issue of the approval.
- (3) An approval under subsection 12 (1) lapses at the end of 31 December 2001 if the approved export is not accepted into a member country of the EU on or before that day.

Certificates

Part 5

Section 17

## Part 5 Certificates

#### 15 How to obtain certificates

- (1) An eligible exporter may apply for a certificate for a proposed export for which AFFA has issued an approval.
- (2) The application must be made to AFFA's QA Unit.
- (3) The application must include:
  - (a) an appropriate entry in the EXDOC system; or
  - (b) the original and 3 copies of a completed certificate for the export in the form required by AFFA, and copies of the health certificate or certificates issued by AQIS for the proposed export.

#### 16 Certificates applied for before 31 December 2000

If an eligible exporter applies, on or before 31 December 2000, for a certificate for an export that is proposed to enter the EU after 1 January 2001, the exporter is not entitled to receive the certificate until 1 January 2001.

#### 17 When certificates lapse

A certificate lapses if the meat to which it applies is not accepted for entry into a member of the EU before 1 January 2002.

. Part 6

Performance

Section 18

## Part 6 Performance

### 18 What counts as performance

- (1) For performance recording, an exporter's performance includes only:
  - (a) recorded exports by it during the period from 1 November 2000 to 31 October 2001 (inclusive); and
  - (b) performance transferred to it under section 19.
- (2) However, an exporter's performance does not include:
  - (a) an export of meat that has been authorised as a gift pack; or
  - (b) an export without approval of meat for which approval was required; or
  - (c) an export of meat for which the exporter does not lodge consignment information with AFFA's QA Unit:
    - (i) within the time limit for doing so allowed by the Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation Order No. M67/94, Provision of Information; or
    - (ii) before 5 pm on 9 November 2001.

Note AFFA keeps an account for each exporter showing the recorded exports by the exporter to all destinations from EU-accredited establishments, except those exports of sheepmeat and goatmeat under an EU quota. The account is called Performance Account I. AFFA relies on consignment information to make entries in these accounts.

### 19 Transfer of performance

- (1) An exporter (the *transferor*) may transfer all or part of its performance under Performance Account I to another exporter (the *transferee*) in accordance with this section.
- (2) The transferor must, before 5 pm on 9 November 2001, give to AFFA's QA Unit, in writing or electronically, a notice setting out:
  - (a) the transferor's name; and
  - (b) the transferee's name; and
  - (c) the kind of performance to be transferred; and
  - (d) the carcase equivalent weight, in kilograms, of performance to be transferred.
- (3) A transfer under this section takes effect when AFFA's QA Unit receives a notice under subsection (2) for the transfer.

Performance

Part 6

Section 20

## 20 Errors in recording performance

- (1) If an exporter thinks that an account statement sent to it by AFFA about the exporter's performance contains an error, the exporter must tell AFFA's QA Unit in writing about it within 30 days after receiving the statement.
- (2) A notice of a possible error that is not given to AFFA's QA Unit within the time allowed by subsection (1) is of no effect.

Miscellaneous

#### Section 21

## Part 7 Miscellaneous

#### 21 Where to send notices and documents

(1) The address of AFFA's QA Unit is:

Quota Administration & Statistics Unit Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Australia GPO Box 858 CANBERRA ACT 2601 Facsimile: 02 6272 4585.

(2) If a provision of this Order requires a document, notice or information to be lodged with or given to AFFA's QA Unit, giving the document or notice to AQIS does not satisfy the requirement.

### 22 Repeal and transitional

- (1) The following Orders are repealed:
  - Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Sheepmeat and Goatmeat Export to the European Union) Order 1999
  - Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Sheepmeat and Goatmeat Export to the European Union) Amendment Order 2000 (No. 1).
- (2) However, the Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Sheepmeat and Goatmeat Export to the European Union) Order 1999 continues to apply to consignments of quota meat that are exported to the European Union before the end of 31 December 2000 as if that Order had not been repealed by this section.

#### 23 Cessation

This Order ceases to have effect at the end of 31 December 2001.