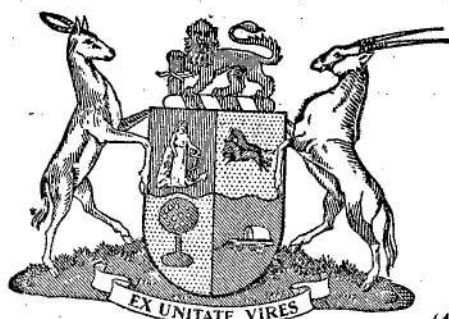




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PROKLAMASIE

VAN DIE STAATSPRESIDENT VAN DIE REPUBLIEK VAN
 SUID-AFRIKA.

No. R. 200, 1964.]

VEE- EN VLEISREËLINGSKEMA.

Nademaal die Minister van Landbou-ekonomie en -bemarking, kragtens paragraaf (c) van subartikel (3) van artikel *sewentien* gelees met artikel *drie-en-twintig* van die Bemarkingswet, 1937 (Wet No. 26 van 1937), soos gewysig, die skema wat in die Bylae hiervan verskyn, aangeneem het, en kragtens paragraaf (b) van subartikel (1) van artikel *een-en-twintig* van genoemde Wet goedkeuring van genoemde skema aanbeveel het;

So is dit dat ek, kragtens die bevoegdheid my verleen by paragraaf (a) van subartikel (1) van artikel *twee-en-twintig* van genoemde Wet, hierby verklaar dat genoemde skema op die datum van publikasie hiervan in werking tree ter vervanging van die Vee- en Vleisreëlingskema afgekondig by Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig.

Proklamasies Nos. 265 van 1945, 190 van 1950, 216 van 1951, 18 van 1952, 68 van 1952, 85 van 1952, 116 van 1953, 272 van 1953, 32 van 1954, 206 van 1954, 233 van 1955, 86 van 1956, 122 van 1957, 208 van 1959, 285 van 1960, 60 van 1961, 164 van 1961 en 230 van 1962 word hierby herroep.

Gegee onder my Hand en die Seël van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika te Pretoria, op hede die Vierde dag van Augustus Eenduisend Negehoenderd Vier-en-sestig.

C. R. SWART,
 Staatspresident.

Op las van die Staatspresident-in-rade.
 D. C. H. UYS.

BYLAE.

SKEMA VIR DIE REËLING VAN DIE PRODUKSIE EN BEMARKING
 VAN SLAGVEE, VLEIS, VLEISPRODUKTE EN NEWE-
 PRODUKTE AFKOMSTIG VAN SLAGVEE.

Naam en omvang van skema.

1. (1) Hierdie skema heet die Vee- en Vleisreëlingskema en het betrekking op slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte en newe-produkte afkomstig van slagvee.

(2) Die bepalings van hierdie skema is op die hele Republiek van toepassing, behalwe vir sover die skema anders bepaal, en op persone wat produsente van slagvee en huide en velle is, of wat as 'n besigheid handel met slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of newe-produkte afkomstig van slagvee.

A-5642971

PROCLAMATION

BY THE STATE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF
 SOUTH AFRICA.

No. R. 200, 1964.]

LIVESTOCK AND MEAT CONTROL SCHEME.

Whereas the Minister of Agricultural Economics and Marketing has, in terms of paragraph (c) of sub-section (3) of section *seventeen* read with section *twenty-three* of the Marketing Act, 1937 (Act No. 26 of 1937), as amended, accepted the Scheme appearing in the Schedule hereto, and has, in terms of paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of section *twenty-one* of the said Act recommended the approval of the said Scheme;

Now, therefore, under the powers vested in me by paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of section *twenty-two* of the said Act, I do hereby declare that the said Scheme shall come into operation on the date of publication hereof in substitution for the Livestock and Meat Control Scheme published by Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended.

Proclamations Nos. 265 of 1945, 190 of 1950, 216 of 1951, 18 of 1952, 68 of 1952, 85 of 1952, 116 of 1953, 272 of 1953, 32 of 1954, 206 of 1954, 233 of 1955, 86 of 1956, 122 of 1957, 208 of 1959, 285 of 1960, 60 of 1961, 164 of 1961 and 230 of 1962 are hereby repealed.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at Pretoria on this Fourth day of August, One thousand Nine hundred and Sixty-four.

C. R. SWART,
 State President.

By Order of the State President-in-Council.
 D. C. H. UYS.

SCHEDULE.

SCHEME FOR THE REGULATION OF THE PRODUCTION AND
 MARKETING OF SLAUGHTER ANIMALS, MEAT, MEAT
 PRODUCTS AND BY-PRODUCTS DERIVED FROM
 SLAUGHTER ANIMALS.

Name and Scope of Scheme.

1. (1) This scheme shall be known as the Livestock and Meat Control Scheme, and shall relate to slaughter animals, meat, meat products and by-products derived from slaughter animals.

(2) The provisions of this scheme shall apply throughout the Republic except in so far as the Scheme otherwise provides, and to persons who are producers of slaughter animals and hides and skins or who deal in the course of trade with slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products derived from slaughter animals.

(3) Uit hoofde van die instemming van die owerheid van die gebied van Suidwes-Afrika (hierna „die gebied” genoem) kragtens subartikel (9) van artikel agtien van die Wet, is die bepalings van artikel 22 van die skema op slagvee, vleis of neweprodukte (met uitsondering van fabrieksvleisprodukte en karakoelpelse) wat aankom op 'n plek in die Republiek, met inbegrip van die hawe van Walvisbaai, onderweg van die gebied na 'n ander bestemming as die Republiek, van toepassing op dieselfde wyse asof genoemde produkte in die Republiek geproduseer was, en word produsente in die gebied in die Raad verteenwoordig soos in artikel 3 van die skema bepaal.

Woordomskeywing.

2. In hierdie skema beteken—

(1) „Wet” die Bemarkingswet, 1937 (Wet No. 26 van 1937), soos gewysig, en die regulasies ingevolge daarvan gemaak, en enige uitdrukking waaraan in die Wet 'n betekenis geheg is, het wanneer dit in hierdie skema gebruik word die betekenis aldus daaraan geheg: Met dien verstande dat vir die doeleindes van artikel 24, die uitdrukking „as 'n besigheid handel” —

(a) met betrekking tot vleis—

- (i) nie die aankoop of verwerking van vleis as deel van 'n maaltyd verskaf deur die persoon wat die vleis aankoop of verwerk, insluit nie;
- (ii) nie die aankoop van vleis of die vervaardiging of verkoop van vleisprodukte deur 'n bakker of banketbakker wat geen ander vleisprodukte vervaardig as vleisprodukte wat in die normale loop van besigheid deur bakkers en banketbakkers vervaardig word, insluit nie;
- (iii) nie die aankoop of verkoop van die binnegoed, die harslag, die skenkel, die kop of stert van slagvee deur 'n marskramer of venter wat met geen ander vleis as 'n besigheid handel, insluit nie;

(b) met betrekking tot 'n vleisprodukt nie betrekking het nie op—

- (i) iemand op wie die bepalings van subparagraaf (i) of (ii) van paragraaf (a) van subartikel (1) van toepassing is;
- (ii) iemand wat fabrieksvleisprodukte verkoop wat hy verkry het van 'n persoon, wat kragtens artikel 24 by die Raad geregistreer is om met vleisprodukte as 'n besigheid te handel of van iemand wat bedoelde fabrieksvleisprodukte verkry het van 'n persoon wat aldus geregistreer is;
- (iii) iemand wat nie vleisprodukte vir verkoop vervaardig of invoer nie;

(c) met betrekking tot 'n neweprodukt, slegs betrekking het op 'n makelaar of 'n huide- en vellebereider uitgesonderd 'n produsent van huide of velle;

(d) met betrekking tot slagvee slegs betrekking het op 'n afslaer.

(2) Voorts, vir die toepassing van hierdie skema en tensy strydig met die samehang, beteken—

- (i) „afslaer”, iemand wat minstens eenmaal elke kalendermaand 'n lewendehaweverkoping hou waar hy slagvee ten behoeve van ander persone verkoop of wat vleis namens die eienaars daarvan per openbare veiling verkoop; (i)
- (ii) „beheerde gebied”, 'n gebied vir die doeleindes van paragraaf (m) van artikel 15 omskryf; (vii)

(iii) „berei” of „bereiding” ten opsigte van—

- (a) 'n natgesoute huid of vel, die behandeling met sout, sonder of met enige goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels, soos bepaal by regulasie of voorskrifte van tyd tot tyd deur die Minister gemaak of deur die Raad uitgereik;

(3) By virtue of the concurrence of the Administration of the Territory of South West Africa (hereinafter called “the Territory”) in terms of sub-section (9) of section eighteen of the Act, the provisions of section 22 of the scheme shall apply to slaughter animals, meat and by-products (other than factory meat products and karakul pelts) which arrive in any part of the Republic, including the port of Walvis Bay, in transit from the Territory to a destination other than the Republic in the same manner as if such products had been produced in the Republic, and producers in the Territory are represented on the Board as provided for in section 3 of the scheme.

Definitions.

2. In this scheme—

(1) “Act” shall mean the Marketing Act, 1937 (Act No. 26 of 1937), as amended, and the regulations made thereunder, and any expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Act, shall bear, when used in this scheme, the meaning so thereto assigned: Provided that for the purpose of section 24, the expression “dealing in the course of trade” shall—

(a) in relation to meat—

- (i) not include the purchase or processing of meat for use as part of a meal supplied by the person who purchases or processes such meat;
- (ii) not include the purchase of meat or the manufacturing or sale of meat products by a baker or confectioner who does not manufacture any meat product other than a meat product normally manufactured by bakers or confectioners;
- (iii) not include the purchase or sale of the entrails, pluck, shanks, head or tail of a slaughter animal by a hawker or pedlar who does not deal in the course of trade with any other meat;

(b) in relation to a meat product not relate to—

- (i) any person to whom the provisions of subparagraph (i) or (ii) of paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) apply;
- (ii) any person who sells factory meat products which he acquired from any person registered with the Board in terms of section 24 to deal with meat products in the course of trade or from any person who acquired the said factory meat products from any person so registered;
- (iii) any person who does not manufacture or import meat products for sale;

(c) in relation to a by-product relate only to a broker or a hide or skin curer excluding a producer of hides or skins;

(d) in relation to slaughter animals relate only to an auctioneer.

(2) Further, for the application of this scheme and unless inconsistent with the context—

- (i) “auctioneer” means a person who conducts a livestock sale at least once during every calendar month at which he sells slaughter animals on behalf of other persons or who sells meat by public auction on behalf of the owners thereof; (i)
- (ii) “Board” means the Livestock and Meat Industries Control Board referred to in section 3; (xxiii)
- (iii) “broker” in relation to hides and skins, means any person who sells hides or skins on behalf of the owner thereof; (xvii)
- (iv) “by-product” also means cured hides or cured skins; (xix)
- (v) “calf” means a bovine less than six months of age with a dressed carcass which as a whole shall weigh not more than 200 lb.; (xiv)

- (b) 'n drooggesoute huid of vel, die behandeling met sout, sonder of met enige goed-gekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goed-gekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels en die droging van die huid of vel daarna, soos bepaal by regulasie of voorskrifte van tyd tot tyd deur die Minister gemaak of deur die Raad uitgereik;
- (c) 'n songedroogde of skadugedroogde huid of vel, die behandeling met of sonder 'n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel maar nie sout nie, of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels waarvan sout nie 'n bestanddeel is nie en die droging van die huid of vel daarna, soos bepaal by regulasie of voorskrifte van tyd tot tyd deur die Minister gemaak of deur die Raad uitgereik; (viii)
- (iv) „bereide huid” of „bereide vel”, 'n natgesoute huid, natgesoute vel, drooggesoute huid, drooggesoute vel, songedroogde huid, songedroogde vel, skadugedroogde huid of skadugedroogde vel; (ix)
- (v) „bereider”, met betrekking tot huide en velle iemand wat pasafgeslagte huide of velle berei; (x)
- (vi) „bok”, ook 'n boklam; (xx)
- (vii) „droë huid” of „droë vel”, 'n son- of skadugedroogde huid of vel; (xii)
- (viii) „drooggesoute huid” of „drooggesoute vel”, 'n huid of vel wat kunsmatig of in die son of skadu gedroog is nadat dit in die pasafgeslagte toestand met sout, sonder of met 'n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels behandel is; (xiii)
- (ix) „fabrieksvleisproduk”, ham en spekvleis, wors, polonies en salamies van allerlei aard, vleisbrode, -smere en -ekstrakte, gekookte bees-, vark- of skaapvleis of samestelling daarvan; (xvi)
- (x) „gedresseerde karkas”, die karkas of enige deel of gedeelte daarvan, afkomstig van slagvee, nadat die huid of vel (of die hare in die geval van varke), die ingewande met inbegrip van die harslag, die pote en kop (in die geval van beeste, skape en bokke), die stert en die mantelvlies met die dikvleis daaraan (in die geval van beeste), en die uier (in die geval van koeie), verwyder is; (xi)
- (xi) „hoofbestuurder”, ook 'n ander beampte van die Raad wat in sy plek optree; (xix)
- (xii) „huid”, 'n vel of enige gedeelte daarvan verkry van 'n bees en wat as 'n hele huid in die droë, drooggesoute, natgesoute of pasafgeslagte toestand onderskeidelik minstens 5 lb., 6 lb., 10 lb. of 12 lb. weeg; (xxi)
- (xiii) „industriële huid” of „industriële vel”, 'n pasafgeslagte of bereide huid of vel of gedeeltes daarvan wat bestem is vir verwerking in die Republiek en omvat alle huide of velle of gedeeltes daarvan wat verkoop word aan of gekoop word deur persone wat huide of velle in die Republiek verwerk; (xxii)
- (xiv) „kalf”, 'n bees van minder as ses maande oud met 'n gedresseerde karkas wat in sy geheel hoogstens 200 lb. weeg; (v)
- (xv) „kalfvel”, 'n vel of enige gedeelte daarvan, verkry van 'n jong bees en wat as 'n hele vel in die droë, drooggesoute, natgesoute of pasafgeslagte toestand onderskeidelik onder 5 lb., 6 lb., 10 lb. of 12 lb. weeg; (vi)
- (xvi) „karakoelpels”, 'n karakoellamvel of enige gedeelte daarvan wat vir gebruik in die pels-handel geskik is; (xxiii)
- (xvii) „makelaar”, met betrekking tot huide en velle, iemand wat huide of velle namens die eienaar daarvan verkoop; (iii)
- (vi) “calf skin” means a skin or any part thereof derived from a young bovine and which in its complete form shall weigh less than 5 lb., 6 lb., 10 lb. or 12 lb. in the dry-salted, wet-salted or freshly-flayed state respectively; (xv)
- (vii) “controlled area” means any area defined for the purposes of paragraph (m) of section 15; (ii)
- (viii) “cure” or “curing” in respect of—
- (a) a wet-salted hide or skin means the treatment with salt with or without any approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives and the hide by regulations made or directives issued from time to time by the Minister or the Board;
- (b) a dry-salted hide or skin means the treatment with salt with or without any approved preservative or any approved combination of preventatives and the hide or skin subsequently dried, as provided by regulations made or directives issued from time to time by the Minister or the Board;
- (c) a sun-dried or shade-dried hide or skin means the treatment with or without an approved preservative other than salt, or any approved combination of preservatives of which salt is not an ingredient and the hide or skin subsequently dried, as provided by regulations made or directives issued from time to time by the Minister or the Board; (iii)
- (ix) “cured hide” or “cured skin” means a wet-salted hide, wet-salted skin, dry-salted hide, dry-salted skin, sun-dried hide, sun-dried skin, shade-dried hide or shade-dried skin; (iv)
- (x) “curer” in relation to hides and skins means any person who cures freshly-flayed hides or skins; (v)
- (xi) “dressed carcase” means the carcase or any part or portion thereof, derived from slaughter animals, after the hide or skin (or hair in the case of pigs), the entrails including the pluck, the cowhorns or trotters and head (in the case of cattle, sheep or goats), the tail, the diaphragm and its pillars (in the case of cattle) and the udders (in the case of cows), have been removed; (x)
- (xii) “dry hide” or “dry skin” means a sun-dried or shade-dried hide or skin; (vii)
- (xiii) “dry-salted hide” or “dry-salted skin” means a hide or skin which has been dried artificially or in the sun or shade after having been treated with salt in the freshly-flayed state, without or with an approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives; (viii)
- (xiv) “exporter” means any person who exports or intends to export from the Republic on behalf of himself or any other person, a product or part or a quantity of a product to which the scheme relates; (xxviii)
- (xv) “export hide” or “export skin” means a freshly-flayed or cured hide or skin or parts thereof exported or intended for export from the Republic; (xxix)
- (xvi) “factory meat product” means ham and bacon, sausage, polony and salami of all kinds, meat loaves, meat spreads and meat extracts, cooked beef, cooked pork and cooked mutton or combinations thereof; (ix)
- (xvii) “freshly-flayed hide” or “freshly-flayed skin” means a hide or skin after it has been removed from the carcase and before it is subjected to a curing or processing process; (xx)

- (xviii) „natgesoute huid” of „natgesoute vel”, ’n huid of vel wat nie gedroog is nadat dit in die pasafgeslagte toestand met sout, sonder of met ’n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels behandel is nie; (xxxii)
- (xix) „neweproduk”, ook bereide huide of bereide velle; (iv)
- (xx) „pasafgeslagte huid” of „pasafgeslagte vel”, ’n huid of vel nadat dit van die karkas verwyder is en voordat dit aan ’n bereidings- of verwerkingsproses onderwerp word; (xvii)
- (xxi) „pasafgeslagte toestand”, die toestand waarin ’n huid of vel is nadat dit van die karkas verwyder is en voordat dit aan ’n bereidings- of verwerkingsproses onderwerp word; (xviii)
- (xxii) „produsent”—
- (a) met betrekking tot slagvee, die persoon deur of ten behoeve van wie die slagvee geproduseer is, en ook—
- (i) met betrekking tot slagvee wat in die Republiek ingevoer word, die persoon wat die slagvee aldus invoer;
- (ii) die eienaar van sulke vee ongeag hoe hy eienaar geword het;
- (b) met betrekking tot huide en velle, die eienaar van die slagvee waarvan die huid of vel afkomstig is; (xxvi)
- (xxiii) „Raad”, die Raad van Beheer oor die Vee-en Vleisnywerhede in artikel 3 genoem; (ii)
- (xxiv) „skadugedroogde huid” of „skadugedroogde vel”, ’n huid of vel wat kunsmatig of in die skadu gedroog is sonder dat dit met sout of ’n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels behandel is of ’n huid of vel wat kunsmatig of in die skadu gedroog is en met ’n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels maar nie sout nie, behandel is; (xxvii)
- (xxv) „skaap”, ook ’n lam; (xxviii)
- (xxvi) „songedroogde huid” of „songedroogde vel”, ’n huid of vel wat in die son gedroog is sonder dat dit met sout of ’n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels behandel is of ’n huid of vel wat in die son gedroog is en met ’n goedgekeurde preserveermiddel of enige goedgekeurde samestelling van preserveermiddels maar nie sout nie, behandel is; (xxx)
- (xxvii) „speenvark”, ’n vark met ’n gedresseerde karkas wat in sy geheel hoogstens 30 lb. weeg; (xxx)
- (xxviii) „uitvoerder”, iemand wat ’n produk, of ’n gedeelte of ’n hoeveelheid van ’n produk waarop die skema betrekking het, uit die Republiek uitvoer of voornemens is om dit uit te voer namens homself of iemand anders; (xiv)
- (xxix) „uitvoerhuid” of „uitvoervel”, ’n pasafgeslagte of bereide huid of vel of gedeeltes daarvan wat uitgevoer word of bestem is vir uitvoer uit die Republiek; (xv)
- (xxx) „vel”, ’n vel of enige gedeelte daarvan, bestaande uit die pelt en natuurlike wol- of haarbedekking, afkomstig van beeste, skape of bokke van enige ouderdom wat geslag is of gevrek het en sluit in ’n vel verkry van ongebore beeste, skape of bokke; (xxix)
- (xxxi) „verwerk” of „verwerking” met betrekking tot industriële huide of velle, die gedeeltelike of algehele verwydering van die natuurlike wol- of haarbedekking op ’n huid of vel of die onderwerping van ’n huid of vel aan ’n looi-proses of aan enige proses waarby die natuurlike wol- of haarbedekking en die pelt nie van mekaar geskei word nie of gedeeltelik, of algeheel van mekaar geskei word of die gebruik van ’n huid of vel vir die vervaardiging van enige produk; (xxiv)
- (xviii) “freshly-flayed state” means the condition in which a hide or skin is after removal from the carcass and prior to being subjected to a process of curing or processing; (xxi)
- (xix) “general manager” also means any other official of the Board who acts on his behalf; (xi)
- (xx) “goat” also means a kid; (vi)
- (xxi) “hide” means a skin or any part thereof derived from a bovine and which shall weigh in its complete form not less than 5 lb., 6 lb., 10 lb. or 12 lb. in the dry, dry-salted, wet-salted or freshly-flayed state respectively; (xii)
- (xxii) “industrial hide” or “industrial skin” means a freshly-flayed or cured hide or skin or parts thereof intended for processing in the Republic and includes all hides or skins or parts thereof which are sold to or purchased by persons processing hides or skins in the Republic; (xiii)
- (xxiii) “karakul pelt” means a karakul lamb skin or any part thereof which is suitable for use in the fur trade; (xvi)
- (xxiv) “process” or “processing” in relation to industrial hides or skins means the partial or entire removal of the natural wool or hair covering on the hide or skin or the subjecting of a hide or skin to a tanning process or to any process in which the natural wool or hair covering and the pelt are not separated from one another or partially or entirely separated from one another, or the use of hides or skins for the manufacture of any products; (xxxi)
- (xxv) “processor” means a person who processes hides or skins or parts thereof in the Republic or who causes them to be processed on his behalf; (xxxii)
- (xxvi) “producer” means—
- (a) in relation to slaughter animals the person by whom or on whose behalf such slaughter animals have been produced, and also means—
- (i) in relation to slaughter animals which are imported into the Republic, the person who so imports such animals;
- (ii) the owner of such animals irrespective of how he became the owner;
- (b) in relation to hides or skins, the owner of the slaughter animal from which the hide or skin is derived; (xxii)
- (xxvii) “shade-dried hide” or “shade-dried skin” means a hide or skin dried artificially or in the shade without having been treated with salt or an approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives, or a hide or skin dried artificially or in the shade and treated with an approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives other than salt; (xxiv)
- (xxviii) “sheep” also means a lamb; (xxv)
- (xxix) “skin” means a skin or any part thereof consisting of the pelt and natural wool or hair covering derived from cattle, sheep or goats of any age which have been slaughtered or have died, and includes a skin derived from unborn cattle, sheep or goats; (xxx)
- (xxx) “sucking pig” means a pig with a dressed carcass which as a whole shall weigh not more than 30 lb.; (xxvii)
- (xxxi) “sun-dried hide” or “sun-dried skin” means a hide or skin dried in the sun without having been treated with salt or an approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives, or a hide or skin dried in the sun and treated with an approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives other than salt; (xxvi)

(xxxii) „verwerker”, iemand wat huide of velle of gedeeltes daarvan in die Republiek verwerk of namens hom laat verwerk. (xxv)

Uitvoering van die skema en samestelling van die Raad.

3. (1) Hierdie skema word uitgevoer deur die Raad van Beheer oor die Vee- en Vleisnywerhede, ingestel kragtens die Wet op die Vee- en Vleisnywerhede, 1934 (Wet No. 48 van 1934), wat vir daardie doel bestaan uit vier-en-twintig lede deur die Staatspresident aangestel, van wie—

- (a) een 'n amptenaar van of die Departement van Landbou-ekonomie en -bemarking of die Departement van Landbou-tegniese Dienste moet wees, deur die Minister genomineer;
- (b) nege, wat produsente van beeste, skaap- en bokke moet wees, bees-, skaap- en bokprodusente moet verteenwoordig (hierna die bees-, skaap- en bokprodusentelede genoem) en genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (1) van artikel 4;
- (c) twee, wat produsente van varke moet wees, varkprodusente moet verteenwoordig (hierna die varkprodusentelede genoem) en genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (2) van artikel 4;
- (d) twee, wat produsente van slagvee in die gebied van Suidwes-Afrika moet wees, deur die administrasie van die Gebied benoem moet word om produsente van slagvee in die Gebied te verteenwoordig;
- (e) een, wat 'n teler van stamboekvee moet wees, stamboekveetelers moet verteenwoordig (hierna die stamboek-veetelerslid genoem) en genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (3) van artikel 4;
- (f) drie, wat persone moet wees wat nie direk of indirek by die produksie van of handel in vee, vleis of vleisprodukte betrokke is nie, verteenwoordigers moet wees van verbruikers van vleis en vleisprodukte, van wie twee deur die Minister na oorlegpleging met die Adviserende Verbruikerskomitee en een deur daardie komitee uit sy lede genomineer moet word: Met dien verstande dat wanneer ookal 'n lid deur die Adviserende Verbruikerskomitee genomineer, ophou om 'n lid van daardie komitee te wees, hy ook ophou om 'n lid van die Raad te wees en 'n ander lid van daardie komitee in sy plek genomineer moet word;
- (g) een, wat kleinhandelslagters in beheerde gebiede moet verteenwoordig (hierna die beheerde gebied se kleinhandelslagterslid genoem), moet voldoen aan die vereistes voorgeskryf in en genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (4) van artikel 4;
- (h) een, wat groothandelslagters en vervaardigers van vleisprodukte moet verteenwoordig (hierna die groothandelslagters- en vleisverwerkerslid genoem), genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (5) van artikel 4;
- (i) een, wat slagters moet verteenwoordig wat buite die beheerde gebiede besigheid doen (hierna die plattelandse slagterslid genoem), genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (6) van artikel 4;
- (j) een, wat plaaslike owerhede in die Republiek moet verteenwoordig, deur die Verenigde Munisipale Uitvoerende Raad van Suid-Afrika genomineer moet word;
- (k) een, wat afslaers moet verteenwoordig (hierna die afslaerslid genoem), genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van subartikel (7) van artikel 4;
- (l) een, wat bereiders van huide en velle moet verteenwoordig (hierna die huide- en vellebereiderslid genoem), genomineer moet word ooreenkomstig die bepalinge in subartikel (8) van artikel 4.

(xxxii) “wet-salted hide” or “wet-salted skin” means a hide or skin not dried after having been treated in the freshly-flayed state with salt with or without an approved preservative or any approved combination of preservatives. (xviii).

Administration of the Scheme and Constitution of the Board.

3. (1) This scheme shall be administered by the Live-stock and Meat Industries Control Board established under the Livestock and Meat Industries Act, 1934 (Act No. 48 of 1934), which shall, for that purpose, consist of twenty-four members to be appointed by the State President, of whom—

- (a) one shall be an officer either in the Department of Agricultural Economics and Marketing or in the Department of Agricultural Technical Services, nominated by the Minister;
- (b) nine, who shall be producers of cattle, sheep or goats, shall represent producers of cattle, sheep and goats (hereinafter referred to as the cattle, sheep and goat producers' members) and shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 4;
- (c) two, who shall be producers of pigs, shall represent producers of pigs (hereinafter referred to as the pig producers' members) and shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 4;
- (d) two, who shall be producers of slaughter animals in the Territory of South West Africa, shall be nominated by the administration of the Territory to represent producers of slaughter animals in the Territory;
- (e) one, who shall be a breeder of pedigree stock, shall represent breeders of pedigree stock (hereinafter referred to as the pedigree stock breeders' member) and shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (3) of section 4;
- (f) three, who shall be persons not directly or indirectly connected with the production of or trade in live-stock, meat or meat products, shall represent consumers of meat and meat products, two of whom shall be nominated by the Minister after consultation with the Consumers' Advisory Committee and one by that committee from amongst its members: Provided that whenever a member nominated by the Consumers' Advisory Committee ceases to be a member of that committee, he shall also cease to be a member of the Board and another member of that committee shall be nominated in his place;
- (g) one, who shall represent retail butchers in controlled areas (hereinafter referred to as the controlled area retail butchers' member), shall comply with the requirements prescribed in and shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (4) of section 4;
- (h) one, who shall represent wholesale butchers and manufacturers of meat products (hereinafter referred to as the wholesale butchers' and meat processors' member), shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (5) of section 4;
- (i) one, who shall represent butchers operating outside controlled areas (hereinafter referred to as the country butchers' member), shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (6) of section 4;
- (j) one, who shall represent local authorities in the Republic, shall be nominated by the United Municipal Executive of South Africa;
- (k) one, who shall represent auctioneers (hereinafter referred to as the auctioneers' member), shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (7) of section 4;
- (l) one, who shall represent curers of hides and skins (hereinafter referred to as the hide and skin curers' member), shall be nominated in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 4.

(2) Die Minister kan een of meer amptenare in die Staatsdiens nomineer om vergaderings van die Raad of van 'n komitee van die Raad in 'n adviserende hoedanigheid by te woon, en enige amptenaar aldus genomineer, het dieselfde regte as die lede van die Raad of komitee op elke vergadering van die Raad of van daardie komitee wat hy bywoon, behalwe dat hy geen stem by so 'n vergadering kan uitbring nie.

(3) Die Raad kan hoogstens twee persone as adviserende lede van die Raad koöpteer.

Nominasies van lede van die Raad.

4. (1) Van die bees-, skaap- en bokprodusentelede moet—

- (a) drie ten opsigte van die Provinsie Kaap die Goeie Hoop genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings van produsente wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van bees-, skaap- en bokprodusente in daardie provinsie;
- (b) twee ten opsigte van elk van die provinsies Transvaal, Oranje-Vrystaat en Natal onderskeidelik genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings van produsente wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van bees-, skaap- en bokprodusente in die betrokke provinsie.

(2) Die varkprodusentelede moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van varkprodusente in die Republiek.

(3) Die stamboek-veetelerslid moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van stamboek-veetelers in die Republiek.

(4) Die beheerde gebied se kleinhandelslagterslid moet 'n beheerde gebied kleinhandelslagter wees wat nie direk of indirek by 'n groothandelslagter of 'n firma wat groothandelslagtersbesigheid doen, betrokke is nie, en moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat volgens die oordeel van die Minister verteenwoordigend is van beheerde gebied kleinhandelslagters in die Republiek.

(5) Die groothandelslagters- en vleisverwerkerslid moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van groothandelslagters en vervaardigers van vleisprodukte in die Republiek.

(6) Die plattelandse slagterslid moet 'n slagter wees wat nie direk of indirek verbonde is aan enige slagter of firma wat in 'n beheerde gebied as slagter besigheid doen nie en hy moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van plattelandse slagters in die Republiek.

(7) Die afslaerslid moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van afslaers in die Republiek.

(8) Die huide- en vellebereiderslid moet genomineer word deur 'n vereniging of verenigings wat, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, verteenwoordigend is van huide- en vellebereiders in die Republiek.

(9) Indien meer as een vereniging gevra word om iemand te nomineer vir aanstelling op die Raad, moet die nominasie deur die betrokke verenigings na onderlinge raadpleging gemaak word: Met dien verstande dat elke vereniging wat gevra word om so iemand te nomineer aan die Minister die naam van die aldus genomineerde persoon en die name van die verskillende verenigings wat in verband met die nominasie geraadpleeg is, moet meedeel.

Aansegging om lede te nomineer.

5. Wanneer nominasies ingevolge paragraaf (j) van subartikel (1) van artikel 3 of ingevolge subartikel (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) of (8) van artikel 4 nodig word, moet die Minister die betrokke vereniging by skriftelike kennisgewing aansê om binne 'n tydperk in die kennisgewing vasgestel, die persoon of persone te nomineer wat dit ingevolge die betrokke artikel geregtig is om vir aanstelling op die Raad te nomineer.

(2) The Minister may nominate one or more officers of the Public Service to attend meetings of the Board or of a committee of the Board in an advisory capacity, and any officer so nominated shall have the same rights as the members of the Board or committee at any meeting of the Board or of that committee which he attends, save that he shall not have the right to vote at such meeting.

(3) The Board may co-opt not more than two persons as advisory members of the Board.

Nomination of members of the Board.

4. (1) Of the cattle, sheep and goat producers' members—

- (a) three shall be nominated in respect of the Province of the Cape of Good Hope by an association or associations of producers which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of cattle, sheep and goat producers in that Province;

- (b) two shall be nominated in respect of each of the Provinces of the Transvaal, the Orange Free State and Natal respectively by an association or associations of producers which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of cattle, sheep and goat producers in the Province concerned.

(2) The pig producers' members shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of pig producers in the Republic.

(3) The pedigree stock breeders' member shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of pedigree stock breeders in the Republic.

(4) The controlled area retail butchers' member shall be a controlled area retail butcher who is not directly or indirectly connected with any wholesale butcher or firm engaged in business as a wholesale butcher, and shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of controlled area retail butchers in the Republic.

(5) The wholesale butchers' and meat processors' member shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of wholesale butchers and manufacturers of meat products in the Republic.

(6) The country butchers' member shall be a butcher who is not directly or indirectly connected with any butcher or firm engaged in business as a butcher in a controlled area and shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of country butchers in the Republic.

(7) The auctioneers' member shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of auctioneers in the Republic.

(8) The hide and skin curers' member shall be nominated by an association or associations which, in the opinion of the Minister, are representative of hide and skin curers in the Republic.

(9) If more than one association is invited to nominate a person for appointment to the Board, such nomination shall be made by the associations concerned after mutual consultation: Provided that every association invited to nominate such person shall inform the Minister of the name of the person so nominated and of the names of the different associations consulted in connection with the nomination.

Notice to Nominate Members.

5. Whenever a nomination in terms of paragraph (j) of sub-section (1) of section 3 or in terms of sub-sections (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) or (8) of section 4 becomes necessary, the Minister shall call upon the association concerned, by notice in writing, to nominate, within a period fixed by such notice, such person or persons, as it is entitled in terms of the relevant section, to nominate for appointment to the Board.

Indien daar geen vereniging bestaan nie of geen geskikte persoon genomineer word nie, kan die Minister nomineer.

6. (1) Indien 'n vereniging of verenigings, soos vermeld in subartikel (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) of (8) van artikel 4 nie bestaan nie, kan die Minister self 'n persoon of persone nomineer om die betrokke belange te verteenwoordig.

(2) Indien iemand, soos voormeld genomineer, volgens die oordeel van die Minister, nie geskik of bevoeg is om as lid van die Raad aangestel te word nie, kan die Minister die nominasie terugverwys na die betrokke vereniging of verenigings en daardie vereniging of verenigings aansê om iemand anders vir aanstelling op die Raad te nomineer, en indien daardie vereniging of verenigings daarop weer iemand nomineer, wat volgens die oordeel van die Minister, ongeskik of onbevoeg is, soos voormeld, of wanneer 'n vereniging of verenigings wat gevra is om iemand te nomineer vir aanstelling as lid van die Raad, in gebreke bly om iemand te nomineer, of as een of meer van die verenigings bedoel in subartikel (9) van artikel 4 in gebreke bly om aan die Minister mee te deel wie genomineer is en watter verenigings geraadpleeg is, soos daarin bepaal, of as daar geen eenstemmigheid in die geval van 'n nominasie ingevolge genoemde subartikel (9) van artikel 4 is nie, kan die Minister, onderworpe aan die bepalinge van voornoemde artikels, iemand nomineer wat hy geskik ag om die betrokke belange te verteenwoordig.

Ampsduur van Raadslede.

7. (1) Onderworpe aan die bepalinge van subartikels (4) en (6) word lede van die Raad vir 'n tydperk van twee jaar aangestel: Met dien verstande dat die lid vermeld in paragraaf (a) van subartikel (1) van artikel 3 sy amp beklee solank dit die Staatspresident behaag.

(2) By verstryking van die tydperk waarvoor hulle aangestel is, bly lede hul amp beklee totdat hul opvolgers aangestel is, maar in geen geval vir 'n verdere tydperk van langer as drie maande nie.

(3) Aftredende lede kan weer aangestel word.

(4) Wanneer die setel van 'n lid van die Raad om enige rede vakant word voor verloop van die tydperk waarvoor hy aangestel is, kan die Minister iemand anders aanstel wat hy geskik ag om die vakature te vul totdat die tydperk waarvoor die uitgetrede lid aangestel was, verstreke is.

(5) Wanneer die Minister bevind dat 'n lid van die Raad deur siekte, afwesigheid of enige ander rede verhinder word om sy ampswerkzaamhede te verrig, kan die Minister iemand anders wat hy geskik ag, aanstel om as plaasvervanger van daardie lid op te tree solank hy aldus verhinder word om sy ampswerkzaamhede te verrig, en terwyl die plaasvervanger as sulks optree, moet hy die pligte nakom van die lid wie se plaasvervanger hy is.

(6) Wanneer 'n raadslid sonder verlof van die Raad versuim het om drie agtereenvolgende raadsvergaderings by te woon en niemand ingevolge subartikel (5) as sy plaasvervanger aangestel is nie, hou hy op om lid van die Raad te wees.

Verkieping en ampsduur van voorsitter en vise-voorsitter.

8. (1) So dikwels as dit nodig word, moet die Raad uit sy lede 'n voorsitter kies wat hierdie amp beklee vir 'n tydperk van een jaar of tot verstryking van die tydperk waarvoor hy as lid van die Raad aangestel is, watter tydperk ook al die kortste is: Met dien verstande dat die aftredende voorsitter herkiesbaar is.

(2) Die bepalinge van subartikel (1) is *mutatis mutandis* van toepassing op die verkieping en ampsduur van 'n vise-voorsitter.

(3) Wanneer die voorsitter afwesig is of nie in staat is om sy ampswerkzaamhede uit te voer nie, tree die vise-voorsitter as voorsitter van die Raad op, en indien die voorsitter sowel as die vise-voorsitter van 'n raadsvergadering afwesig is, kan die by daardie vergadering aanwesige lede een uit hul midde kies om op daardie vergadering voor te sit.

If no Association Exists or no Suitable Persons are Nominated, Minister may Nominate.

6. (1) If an association or associations such as are referred to in sub-sections (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) or (8) of section 4 do not exist, the Minister may himself nominate a person or persons to represent the interests concerned.

(2) If any person nominated as aforesaid is, in the opinion of the Minister, not suitable or qualified for appointment as a member of the Board, the Minister may refer such nomination back to the association or associations concerned and call upon the association or associations to nominate some other person for appointment to the Board and if the association or associations thereupon again nominate a person who, in the opinion of the Minister, is not suitable or qualified as aforesaid, or if an association or associations which have been invited to nominate a person for appointment to the Board fail to nominate any person or if any one or more of the associations referred to in sub-section (9) of section 4 fail to inform the Minister of the person nominated and the associations consulted as therein provided, or if there is not full agreement in the case of a nomination in terms of the said sub-section (9) of section 4, the Minister may, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid sections, nominate any person whom he considers suitable to represent the interests concerned.

Tenure of Office of Members of the Board.

7. (1) The members of the Board shall, subject to the provisions of sub-sections (4) and (6) be appointed for a period of two years: Provided that the member referred to in paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of section 3 shall hold office during the State President's pleasure.

(2) Upon expiration of the period for which members were appointed, they shall continue to hold office until their successors have been appointed, but in no case for a further period of more than three months.

(3) Retiring members shall be eligible for reappointment.

(4) Whenever for any reason the office of any member of the Board becomes vacant before the expiration of the period for which he was appointed, the Minister may appoint any other person whom he considers suitable to fill the vacancy until the expiration of the period for which the vacating member was appointed.

(5) Whenever the Minister is satisfied that any member of the Board is prevented by illness, absence or any other cause from performing the duties of his office, the Minister may appoint any other person whom he considers suitable to act as the deputy of that member while he is so prevented from performing the duties of his office, and during the period which the deputy so acts, he shall perform the functions of the member for whom he deputises.

(6) Whenever a member of the Board has, without its leave, absented himself from three consecutive meetings of the Board, and no one has been appointed to act as his deputy in terms of sub-section (5), he shall cease to be a member of the Board.

Selection and Tenure of Office of Chairman.

8. (1) The Board shall as often as occasion arises, elect from amongst its members a chairman who shall hold office as such for a period of one year or until the expiration of the period for which he was appointed as a member of the Board, whichever shall be the shorter period: Provided that the retiring chairman shall be eligible for re-election.

(2) The provisions of sub-section (1) shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to the election and the tenure of office of a vice-chairman.

(3) Whenever the chairman is absent or unable to perform his official duties, the vice-chairman shall act as chairman of the Board, and in the event of both the chairman and vice-chairman being absent from a board meeting, the members present at that meeting may elect one of their number to preside at such meeting.

Vergaderings van die Raad.

9. (1) Vergaderings van die Raad word gehou op die tye en plekke wat die Raad vasstel, met dien verstande dat indien die Raad nie self die tyd en plek van enige vergadering bepaal nie, die voorsitter van die Raad, of, in sy afwesigheid die vise-voorsitter, of in die afwesigheid van sowel die voorsitter as die vise-voorsitter, die hoofbestuurder van die Raad, met instemming van drie lede van die Raad, die tyd en plek waar so 'n vergadering gehou moet word, kan bepaal.

(2) Die voorsitter van die Raad, of, in sy afwesigheid die vise-voorsitter, of, in die afwesigheid van sowel die voorsitter as die vise-voorsitter, die hoofbestuurder van die Raad met instemming van drie lede van die Raad, kan self te eniger tyd 'n spesiale vergadering van die Raad belê, wat gehou moet word op 'n plek en dag deur hom vasgestel.

(3) Op skriftelike versoek van minstens vyf lede van die Raad aangestel kragtens subartikel (1) van artikel 3, moet die voorsitter, of, in sy afwesigheid, die vise-voorsitter, of, in die afwesigheid van sowel die voorsitter as die vise-voorsitter, die hoofbestuurder van die Raad, 'n spesiale vergadering van die Raad belê wat binne 14 dae na die ontvangs van so 'n skriftelike versoek gehou moet word op 'n dag en plek deur hom vasgestel.

(4) Die vergaderings van die Raad word byeengeroep by kennisgewing deur of in opdrag van die hoofbestuurder.

Kworum, meerderheidsbeslissing en beslissende stem van Voorsitter.

10. (1) Die meerderheid van die lede van die Raad aangestel kragtens subartikel (1) van artikel 3 maak op enige raadsvergadering 'n kworum uit.

(2) Die beslissing van die meerderheid van die raadslede wat op 'n raadsvergadering aanwesig is, maak 'n beslissing van die Raad uit: Met dien verstande dat by 'n staking van stemme die voorsitter benewens sy beraadslagende stem, ook 'n beslissende stem het.

Toelae aan lede van die Raad.

11. Aan die lede van die Raad, en van enige komitee van die Raad kragtens artikel 13 ingestel, insluitende adviserende lede wat nie uit staatsgelde salaris trek nie, word tot dekking van die redelike onkoste wat hulle mag hê in verband met die sake van die Raad, uit die Raad se gelde toelae betaal wat die Raad met die goedkeuring van die Minister kan vasstel.

Komitees van die Raad.

12. (1) Die Raad kan, met die toestemming van die Minister en onderworpe aan die voorwaardes wat die Raad stel, een of meer komitees uit sy lede aanstel en aan 'n komitee sodanige van sy bevoegdhede oordra wat hy nodig ag: Met dien verstande dat die Raad nie afstand doen van enige bevoegdheid wat hy aan 'n komitee oordra nie.

(2) Die voorsitter van die Raad is *ex officio* lid van enige komitee aangestel deur die Raad en elke komitee moet uit sy lede iemand kies om as voorsitter van daardie komitee op te tree: Met dien verstande dat indien die voorsitter van die Raad tot voorsitter van 'n komitee verkies word, die komitee ook 'n vise-voorsitter moet kies wat as voorsitter van daardie komitee moet optree as die voorsitter van die Raad om enige rede nie in staat is om sy pligte as voorsitter van daardie komitee te vervul nie: Voorts met dien verstande dat indien dit om enige rede nie moontlik is vir die voorsitter of in sy afwesigheid, die vise-voorsitter van 'n komitee, in die geval van 'n komitee ten opsigte waarvan 'n vise-voorsitter verkies is, om as voorsitter by 'n vergadering van daardie komitee op te tree nie, die komitee een van sy ander lede kies om as voorsitter by so 'n vergadering op te tree.

(3) Die voorsitter van 'n komitee of in sy afwesigheid, die vise-voorsitter wat as voorsitter kragtens subartikel (2) optree, kan te enigertyd 'n vergadering van die komitee belê om gehou te word op 'n dag en plek deur hom bepaal: Met dien verstande dat in die afwesigheid van beide die voorsitter en die vise-voorsitter van 'n komitee

Meetings of the Board.

9. (1) Meetings of the Board shall be held at such times and places as the Board may determine: Provided that if the Board does not itself determine the time or place of any meeting, the chairman of the Board or, in his absence, the vice-chairman, or in the absence of both the chairman and the vice-chairman, the general manager of the Board, with the concurrence of three members of the Board, may determine the time and place at which such meeting shall be held.

(2) The chairman of the Board or, in his absence, the vice-chairman, or, in the absence of both the chairman and the vice-chairman, the general manager of the Board, with the concurrence of three members of the Board, may himself at any time call a special meeting of the Board to be held at a place and on a day appointed by him.

(3) At the written request of not less than five members of the Board appointed in terms of sub-section (1) of section 3, the chairman or, in his absence, the vice-chairman or, in the absence of both the chairman and vice-chairman, the general manager of the Board, shall call a special meeting of the Board to be held within fourteen days from the date of receipt of such written request, on a day and at a place to be appointed by him.

(4) The meetings of the Board shall be convened by notice given by or by direction of the general manager.

Quorum, Majority Decision and Chairman's Casting Vote.

10. (1) The majority of the members of the Board appointed in terms of sub-section (1) of section 3, shall form a quorum at any meeting of the Board.

(2) The decision of the majority of the members of the Board at any meeting thereof shall constitute a decision of the Board: Provided that in the event of an equality of votes, the chairman shall have a casting vote in addition to his deliberative vote.

Allowances to Members of the Board.

11. The members of the Board, and of any committee of the Board established in terms of section 13, including advisory members who are not in receipt of salaries from public funds, shall be paid such allowances out of the funds of the Board to meet the reasonable expenses, to which they are put in connection with the business of the Board, as the Board may, with the approval of the Minister, determine.

Committees of the Board.

12. (1) The Board may, with the consent of the Minister, and subject to such conditions as the Board may impose, appoint one or more committees from its members and invest any such committee with such of its powers as it may deem fit: Provided that the Board shall not be divested of any power with which it may invest such committee.

(2) The Chairman of the Board shall *ex officio* be a member of any committee appointed by the Board and every committee shall elect one of its members to act as chairman of that committee: Provided that if the chairman of the Board is elected as chairman of a committee, the committee shall also elect a vice-chairman who shall act as chairman of that committee if for any reason whatever the chairman of the Board is unable to perform his duties as chairman of that committee: Provided further that if for any reason it is not possible for the chairman or, in his absence, the vice-chairman of a committee, in the case of a committee in respect of which a vice-chairman has been elected, to preside at any meeting of that committee, the committee shall elect another of its members to act as chairman at such meeting.

(3) The chairman of a committee or, in his absence, the vice-chairman acting as chairman in terms of sub-section (2) may at any time call a meeting of that committee to be held on a day and at a place determined by him: Provided that in the absence of both the chairman and the vice-chairman of a committee the general

die hoofbestuurder van die Raad met die instemming van twee lede van die komitee 'n vergadering van die komitee kan belê om gehou te word op 'n dag en plek deur hom bepaal.

(4) Op skriftelike versoek van minstens drie lede van 'n komitee, moet die voorsitter of in sy afwesigheid die hoofbestuurder van die Raad, 'n spesiale vergadering van daardie komitee belê wat binne veertien dae na die datum van ontvangs van so 'n skriftelike versoek gehou moet word op 'n plek en dag deur hom bepaal.

(5) Die meerderheid van die lede van enige komitee van die Raad maak op enige vergadering van daardie komitee 'n kworum uit.

(6) Die besluit van die meerderheid van die lede van 'n komitee aanwesig op 'n vergadering van die komitee maak 'n beslissing van die komitee uit: Met dien verstande dat by 'n staking van stemme die voorsitter benewens sy beraadslagende stem ook 'n beslissende stem het.

(7) Die vergaderings van 'n komitee word byeengeroep by kennisgewing deur of in opdrag van die hoofbestuurder.

13. Die Raad kan in enige gebied waarin die skema of enige bepaling daarvan van toepassing is of ten opsigte van 'n produk of produkte waarop die skema betrekking het, een of meer komitees instel wat saamgestel moet word op die wyse deur die Raad met die goedkeuring van die Minister bepaal, ten einde die Raad te adviseer aangaande enige aangeleentheid betreffende die uitvoering van die skema of enige bepaling daarvan in die betrokke gebied, of ten opsigte van die produk of produkte waarop die skema betrekking het, en waaraan die Raad, op die voorwaardes wat die Minister goedkeur, sodanige van sy bevoegdhede onder die skema mag oordra as wat hy met die goedkeuring van die Minister, bepaal.

Boekjaar.

14. Die boekjaar onder die skema strek van die eerste dag van Julie in elke jaar tot die dertigste dag van Junie van die volgende jaar.

Algemene bevoegdhede van die Raad.

15. Benewens die bevoegdhede by ander artikels van hierdie skema aan die Raad verleen, is die Raad bevoeg—

(a) om die dienaars aan te stel en die eiendom aan te skaf of te huur wat hy nodig ag vir die behoorlike verrigting van sy werksaamhede en vir die bereiking van die doel van die skema: Met dien verstande dat geen vaste eiendom aangeskaf word nie behalwe met die toestemming van die Minister en op die voorwaardes wat hy goedkeur;

(b) om, onderworpe aan die voorwaardes deur die Minister goedgekeur, die agente wat hy nodig ag vir die behoorlike verrigting van sy werksaamhede aan te stel: Met dien verstande dat, indien die aansoek van iemand om aanstelling as 'n agent van die hand gewys is of die aanstelling van iemand as agent beëindig word, hy, nadat 'n bedrag van dertig rand by die Sekretaris van Landbou-ekonomie en -bemarking gestort is, teen die weiering of beëindiging na die Minister mag appelleer en die Minister die appél van die hand kan wys of, as hy oortuig is dat daardie persoon as agent aangestel behoort te word benewens enige ander aldus aangestelde persoon of dat sy aanstelling nie beëindig behoort te gewees het nie, na gelang van die geval, die appél kan toestaan en die wyse kan bepaal waarop oor die aldus gestorte bedrag beskik moet word;

(c) om geld of eiendom aan te neem wat by wyse van geskenk, toekenning of andersins aan die Raad gegee word, en om daardie geld of eiendom te gebruik op die wyse wat die Minister goedkeur;

(d) om met die Minister se goedkeuring geld te leen, aangewend te word ter verwesenliking van die doel van die skema;

(e) om uit sy gelde alle betalings te doen waartoe die Raad verplig is of wat hy kan doen by die verrigting van sy werksaamhede;

manager of the Board with the concurrence of two members of the committee may at any time convene a meeting of the committee to be held on a day and at a place to be appointed by him.

(4) At the written request of not less than three members of a committee the chairman or, in his absence, the general manager of the Board shall call a special meeting of that committee to be held within fourteen days from the date of receipt of such written request, on a day and at a place to be appointed by him.

(5) The majority of the members of any committee of the Board shall form a quorum at any meeting of that committee.

(6) The decision of the majority of the members of a committee present at any meeting thereof shall constitute the decision of the committee: Provided that in the event of an equality of votes, the chairman shall have a casting vote in addition to his deliberative vote.

(7) Meetings of a committee shall be convened by notice given by or by direction of the general manager.

13. The Board may, in any area in which the scheme or any provision thereof applies or in respect of any product or products to which the scheme relates, establish one or more committees to be constituted in such manner as may be determined by the Board with the approval of the Minister for the purpose of advising the Board in regard to any matter relating to the administration of the scheme or any provision thereof in the area in question or in respect of the product or products in question, and to which the Board may, on such conditions as the Minister may approve, assign such of its powers under the scheme as it may, with the approval of the Minister, determine.

Financial Year.

14. The financial year under this scheme shall be the period from the first day of July in each year to the thirtieth day of June in the following year.

General Powers of the Board.

15. In addition to the powers conferred on the Board by other sections of this scheme, the Board shall have power—

(a) to appoint such servants and to acquire or hire such property as it may consider necessary for the proper performance of its functions and for the attainment of the objects of the scheme: Provided that no immovable property shall be acquired except with the consent of the Minister and on such conditions as he may approve;

(b) to appoint, subject to conditions approved by the Minister, such agents as it may consider necessary for the proper performance of its functions: Provided that if the application of any person for appointment as an agent has been refused, or if the appointment of any person as an agent is terminated, he may, on depositing with the Secretary for Agricultural Economics and Marketing an amount of thirty rand, appeal against the refusal or termination to the Minister who may dismiss the appeal or if he is satisfied that such person should be appointed as an agent in addition to any person so appointed or that his appointment should not have been terminated, as the case may be, allow the appeal and determine the manner in which the amount so deposited shall be disposed of;

(c) to accept money and property given to the Board by way of donation, grant or otherwise, and to utilise such money or property in such manner as the Minister may approve;

(d) with the approval of the Minister, to borrow money to be used for the purpose of attaining the objects of the scheme;

(e) to make out of its funds all payments which the Board is required to make or which it may make in the exercise of its functions;

- (f) om deur middel van toekenning of lening of op ander wyse hulp te verleen in verband met navorsingswerk met betrekking tot die verbetering, produksie, verwerking en bemarking van vee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte;
- (g) om sy gelde te gebruik vir enige doel wat volgens sy oordeel waarskynlik die binnelandse verbruik van vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte sal aanmoedig en die ontwikkeling en verbetering van die vee- en vleisnywerhede sal aanhelp;
- (h) om met enigiemand te doen aan 'n handeling wat die Raad kan verrig, en om namens 'n ander soortgelyke Raad, alle handelings te verrig wat die Raad kan verrig;
- (i) om 'n inligtingsdiens in te stel ten einde produsente van tyd tot tyd in te lig aangaande bemarkings-toestande oor die algemeen of aangaande die toestand ten opsigte van 'n besondere mark;
- (j) om elke persoon wat betrokke is by die produksie, bemarking of verwerking van slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte te gelas om aan die Raad die inligting met betrekking tot slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte te verstrek waarvoor bedoeide persoon beskik en wat die Raad mag spesifiseer;
- (k) om in samewerking met die Departement van Landbou-ekonomie en -bemarking, besonderhede te publiseer van pryse van slagvee en groothandels- en kleinhandelspryse van vleis, vleisprodukte en neweprodukte, en oor die algemeen inligting te versprei omtrent die vee- en vleisnywerhede;
- (l) om die Minister van advies te dien aangaande alle sake rakende die ontwikkeling van die vee- en vleisnywerhede en om by die Minister alle stappe aan te beveel wat volgens die Raad se oordeel strek tot bevordering van die algemene welvaart van daardie nywerhede met behoorlike inagneming van die belange van verbruikers van vleis, vleisprodukte en neweprodukte;
- (m) om die grootste getal slagvee of hoeveelheid vleis of vleisprodukte vas te stel wat gedurende enige week, of gedurende enige dag of ander tydperk deur die Raad bepaal in 'n deur die Raad omskrewe gebied ingebring of daaruit verwyder mag word;
- (n) om die grootste getal slagvee waarop die skema betrekking het, te bepaal, wat gedurende enige week of gedurende enige dag of ander tydperk of in enige gebied of op enige plek deur die Raad bepaal, deur of ten behoeve van 'n persoon geslag mag word, of die grootste hoeveelheid vleis te bepaal wat gedurende so 'n tydperk of in so 'n gebied of op so 'n plek deur 'n persoon verkry mag word deur sulke slagvee te slag of ten behoeve van hom te laat slag;
- (o) om op te tree as 'n agent vir die ontvangs en verkoping van slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte;
- (p) om op die voorwaardes wat die Minister goedkeur slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte te koop;
- (q) om slagvee te slag;
- (r) om slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte wat hy gekoop het, te verkoop, op te berg, te versker, te adverteer of te vervoer, of om sulke slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte vir verkoop geskik te maak;
- (s) om met die Minister se goedkeuring, 'n produsent van slagvee te belet om sulke vee of vleis of neweprodukte afkomstig van sulke slagvee behalwe aan die Raad of aan of deur die persone deur die Raad bepaal, te verkoop;
- (t) om, met die Minister se goedkeuring enigiemand te belet om vleis te verkoop tensy hy dit verkry het van die Raad of van die persone deur die Raad bepaal;
- (u) om, met goedkeuring van die Minister, die aankoop of verkoop van slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte te belet, behalwe onder 'n permit wat na goeddunke deur die Raad uitgereik word
- (f) to assist by way of grant or loan or otherwise any research work relating to the improvement, production, processing and marketing of livestock, meat, meat products or by-products.
- (g) to utilise its funds for any object which, in its opinion, is likely to encourage the internal consumption of meat, meat products or by-products and to assist the development and betterment of the livestock and meat industries;
- (h) to co-operate with any person in doing any act which the Board may perform, and to do on behalf of any other similar Board any act which the Board may perform;
- (i) to establish an information service in order to advise producers from time to time about marketing conditions in general or about the conditions in respect of any particular market;
- (j) to require every person concerned in the production, marketing or processing of slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products to furnish the Board with such information relating to slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products as may be available to such person and as the Board may specify;
- (k) to publish in collaboration with the Department of Agricultural Economics and Marketing particulars of the prices of slaughter animals and of the wholesale and retail prices of meat, meat products and by-products, and generally to disseminate information concerning the livestock and meat industries;
- (l) to advise the Minister on all matters concerning the development of the livestock and meat industries and to recommend to the Minister any steps which, in the opinion of the Board, are calculated to promote the general welfare of those industries with due regard to the interests of the consumers of meat, meat products and by-products;
- (m) to determine the maximum number of slaughter animals or quantity of meat or meat products which may, during any week, or during any day or other period determined by the Board, be brought into or removed out of any area defined by the Board;
- (n) to determine the maximum number of any slaughter animals to which the scheme relates which may during any week or during any day or other period or in any area or at any place determined by the Board, be slaughtered by or on behalf of any person or the maximum quantity of meat which may during any such period or in any such area or at any such place be acquired by such person through the slaughtering by him or on his behalf of any such slaughter animals;
- (o) to act as agent for the receipt and sale of any slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products;
- (p) to buy on such conditions as the Minister may approve, slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products;
- (q) to slaughter any slaughter animals;
- (r) to sell, store, insure, advertise or transport slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products which it has bought or to prepare such slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products for sale;
- (s) with the approval of the Minister to prohibit any producer of slaughter animals from selling such animals or any meat or by-products derived from such animals except to the Board or to or through such persons as may be determined by the Board;
- (t) with the approval of the Minister to prohibit any person from selling any meat unless he has acquired it from the Board or such persons as may be determined by the Board;
- (u) with the approval of the Minister to prohibit the purchase or sale of slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products except under a permit the issue of which shall be in the discretion of the Board

en wat deur die Raad ingetrek kan word as die houër 'n voorwaarde daarin genoem of 'n bepaling van die skema of 'n regulasie kragtens die Wet uitgevaardig, oortree het of versuim het om daaraan te voldoen: Met dien verstande dat indien die Raad weier om 'n permit uit te reik of dit intrek, die applikant of die houër, na gelang van die geval, die reg het om na die Minister teen die besluit van die Raad te appelleer en dat die Minister sodanige besluit na oorweging kan bekragtig, tot niet maak of wysig;

- (v) om, met goedkeuring van die Minister, iemand wat met slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte as 'n besigheid handel, te gelas om aan die Raad sekuriteit te verstrek vir die betaling van die koopprys van enige hoeveelheid van sulke slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte van 'n produsent gekoop, soos by regulasie voorgeskryf mag word, en om met enige sekuriteit aldus verstrek, op sodanige wyse te handel as wat in sodanige regulasie bepaal mag word;
- (w) om, met die Minister se goedkeuring, van tyd tot tyd enigiemand of iemand wat tot 'n klas of groep persone behoort of iemand anders as iemand wat tot 'n klas of groep persone behoort, te verbied om slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte of 'n klas of graad daarvan te verkry, te verkoop of van die hand te sit teen 'n ander of 'n laer of hoër prys dan 'n prys deur die Raad vasgestel of bereken ooreenkomstig 'n grondslag deur die Raad bepaal;
- (x) om met die Minister se goedkeuring, by die uitoefening van sy bevoegdhede kragtens paragraaf (w)—
 - (i) die gelde of koste te bepaal wat ingesluit of bygevoeg moet word by, of afgetrek moet word van, 'n prys in genoemde paragraaf bedoel;
 - (ii) van iemand wat slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte, of enige klas, graad of hoeveelheid daarvan van die hand sit op krediet of vir 'n bedrag deur die Raad bepaal, te vereis dat hy 'n faktuur met die besonderhede deur die Raad bepaal, moet verskaf;
 - (iii) te gelas dat 'n aldus vasgestelde prys op so 'n wyse en in so 'n vorm en op sodanige plekke en deur sodanige persone of klasse persone as wat die Raad bepaal, vertoon moet word;
- (y) om, met die Minister se goedkeuring, enige persoon of enige persoon wat tot 'n klas of groep persone behoort, te verbied om 'n produk waarop die skema betrekking het of 'n klas, graad of hoeveelheid deur die Raad bepaal van bedoelde produk te koop, verkoop, gebruik, behandel, vervaardig of verwerk vir 'n doel of op 'n wyse deur die Raad bepaal, of vir 'n ander doel of op 'n ander wyse dan 'n aldus bepaalde doel of wyse, dan alleen op gesag van 'n permit wat die Raad kan uitreik onderworpe aan die voorwaardes deur die Raad bepaal;
- (z) om vir die uitvoering van die bepalings van die skema iemand in die algemeen of in 'n besondere geval te magtig om op alle redelike tye—
 - (i) 'n plek te betree wat geokkupeer word deur iemand wat 'n produsent is of vermoed word 'n produsent te wees van, of 'n persoon wat as 'n besigheid handel of vermoed word as 'n besigheid te handel met, 'n produk waarop die skema betrekking het, of 'n plek of voertuig waarin of waarop daar 'n hoeveelheid van daardie produk deur iemand gehou word of na vermoede gehou word vir 'n ander doel as verbruik deur die eienaar van die produk of deur lede van sy huisgesin;
 - (ii) so 'n produk te inspekteer en alle boeke en stukke op bedoelde plek of in of op bedoelde voertuig na te gaan wat op redelike gronde vermoed word op bedoelde produk betrekking te hê, en afskrifte van of uittreksels uit die boeke of stukke te maak;

and which may be cancelled by the Board if the holder thereof has contravened or failed to comply with any condition specified therein or any provision of the scheme or of any regulation made under the Act: Provided that if the Board refuses to issue or cancels such permit the applicant or holder, as the case may be, shall have a right of appeal to the Minister against the decision of the Board and the Minister may after consideration confirm, set aside or vary such decision;

- (w) with the approval of the Minister to require any person dealing in the course of trade with slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products to furnish to the Board such security for the payment of the purchase price of any quantity of such slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products purchased from a producer, as may be prescribed by regulation, and to deal with any security so furnished in such manner as may be specified in such regulation;
- (w) with the approval of the Minister, from time to time, to prohibit any person or any person belonging to any class or group of persons or any person other than a person belonging to any class or group of persons from acquiring, selling or disposing of any slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products or any class or grade thereof at a price other than or below or above a price fixed by the Board or calculated in accordance with a basis determined by the Board;
- (x) with the approval of the Minister, in exercising its powers under paragraph (w)—
 - (i) to determine the charges or costs to be included in, added to or deducted from any price referred to in the said paragraph;
 - (ii) to require any person disposing of any slaughter animal, meat, meat products or by-products or any class, grade or quantity thereof on credit or for an amount exceeding an amount determined by the Board, to render an invoice containing such particulars as may be determined by the Board;
 - (iii) to require any price so fixed to be displayed in such manner and form and at such places by such persons or classes of persons as may be determined by the Board;
- (y) with the approval of the Minister, to prohibit any person or any person belonging to any class or group of persons from purchasing, selling, using, treating, manufacturing or processing any product to which the scheme relates or any class, grade or quantity of such product for any purpose or in any manner determined by the Board or for any purpose or in any manner other than a purpose or manner so determined, except under the authority of a permit which may be issued by the Board subject to the conditions determined by the Board;
- (z) for the purpose of the enforcement of the provisions of the scheme, to empower any person generally or in any particular case at all reasonable hours—
 - (i) to enter any place, occupied by any person who is, or is suspected to be a producer of or persons dealing in the course of trade with any product to which the scheme relates, or any place or vehicle in or upon which there is kept or is suspected to be kept any quantity of any such product by any person for any purpose other than consumption by the owner thereof or by members of his household;
 - (ii) to inspect any such product and to examine all books and documents at any such place or in or upon any such vehicle which are believed upon reasonable grounds, to relate to such product and to make copies of or take extracts from such books and documents;

- (iii) van die eienaar van bedoelde produk of die persoon wat dit in sy bewaring het inligting aangaande die produk te eis;
- (iv) van die eienaar van so 'n boek of stuk of die persoon wat dit in sy bewaring het 'n verklaring van aantekeninge daarin te eis;
- (v) beslag te lê op boeke, stukke of artikels wat bewys kan lewer van 'n misdryf ingevolge die Wet of die skema of 'n kragtens die Wet uitgevaardigde regulasie, gepleeg, of op enige hoeveelheid van so 'n produk ten opsigte waarvan so 'n misdryf vermoedelik gepleeg is, en om boeke, stukke of artikels of enige hoeveelheid van so 'n produk waarop aldus beslag gelê is, van die betrokke plek of voertuig te verwyder of dit op bedoelde plek of voertuig te laat, en na goeddunke op so 'n boek, stuk, artikel of produk, of die houer daarvan enige identifikasiemerk wat hy nodig ag, aan te bring;
- (vi) van so 'n produk, met inbegrip van enige hoeveelheid van so 'n produk waarop kragtens subparagraaf (v) beslag gelê is, monsters te neem, en sodanige monsters te ondersoek, te ontleed, of te gradeer of te laat ondersoek, ontleed of gradeer.

Oplê van heffings.

16. (1) Die Raad kan, met die goedkeuring van die Minister, en op 'n basis wat die Raad mag bepaal, op alle beeste, kalwers, skape, bokke, varke en speenvarke, of die vleis afkomstig van sulke slagvee, geslag by enige abattoir of slagpaal wat onder beheer is van 'n plaaslike owerheid of wat geregistreer is ingevolge die bepalings van die Volkegezondheidswet, 1919, of van daaronder uitgevaardigde regulasies of wat ingevolge daardie bepalings geregistreer behoort te wees—

- (a) heffings oplê en moet met die opbrengs daarvan handel ooreenkomstig die bepalings van artikel 19;
- (b) een of meer spesiale heffings oplê en moet met die opbrengs daarvan handel ooreenkomstig die bepalings van artikel 20:

Met dien verstande dat geen heffing of spesiale heffing ten opsigte van slagvee wat deur 'n bevoegde instansie ingevolge die Volksgezondheidswet, 1919, of ingevolge die regulasies daarkragtens uitgevaardig, as ongeskik vir menslike verbruik afgekeur is, betaalbaar is nie indien 'n afkeuringstifikaat, deur sodanige instansie uitgereik, geheg word aan die opgawe aan die Raad verstrekkende ooreenkomstig paragraaf (a) van subartikel (2) tensy sodanige heffing opgelê is vir die doel om die eiensars te vergoed vir slagvee, of enige gedeeltes daarvan, wat aldus afgekeur is.

(2) Elkeen wat die eienaar is van of beheer het oor 'n abattoir of slagpaal in subartikel (1) bedoel, behalwe 'n abattoir wat beheer word deur 'n plaaslike owerheid in 'n beheerde gebied, moet, nie later nie as die vyftiende dag van elke kalendermaand—

- (a) aan die Raad 'n noukeurige staat verstrekkende, in 'n vorm by regulasie voorgeskryf, aantonende die getal beeste en kalwers van elke geslag en die getal skape, bokke, varke en speenvarke gedurende die vorige kalendermaand by daardie abattoir of slagpaal geslag;
- (b) aan die Raad die bedrag aan heffing betaal wat op die beeste, kalwers, skape, bokke, varke en speenvarke bedoel in paragraaf (a) betaalbaar is uit hoofde van enige heffings kragtens subartikel (1) opgelê.
- (3) Elkeen wat kragtens subartikel (2) geld aan die Raad betaal ten opsigte van 'n dier waarvan hy nie die eienaar was nie, kan die betrokke bedrag verhaal op die persoon deur wie of in opdrag van wie daardie dier geslag was en laasgenoemde persoon kan, indien hy nie die eienaar was nie, bedoelde bedrag op die eienaar verhaal.
- (4) Elkeen wat kragtens subartikel (2) geld aan die Raad betaal ten opsigte van 'n dier waarvan hy nie die eienaar was toe dit geslag is nie, is geregtig om op die aldus betaalbare bedrag van die Raad kommissie te ontvang teen 'n tarief deur die Raad met die goedkeuring van die Minister bepaal.

- (iii) to demand from the owner or custodian of such product any information concerning such product;
- (iv) to demand from the owner or custodian of any such book or document an explanation of any entry therein;
- (v) to seize any books, documents or articles which may afford evidence of the commission of an offence under the Act or the scheme or any regulation made under the Act, or any quantity of such product in respect of which any such offence is suspected to have been committed, and to remove from the place or vehicle in question or to leave at such place or on such vehicle any books, documents or articles or any quantity of such product which has been so seized, and if he deems fit to place on any such book, document, article or product, or on the container thereof, any identification mark which he may consider necessary;
- (vi) to take samples of any such product including any quantity of such product which has been seized in terms of sub-paragraph (v), and to examine, analyse or grade such samples or cause them to be examined, analysed or graded.

Imposition of Levies.

16. (1) The Board may, with the approval of the Minister and on such basis as the Board may determine, impose on all cattle, calves, sheep, goats, pigs and sucking pigs, or the meat derived from such slaughter animals, slaughtered at any abattoir or slaughter pole under the control of a local authority or registered or required to be registered under the Public Health Act, 1919, or any regulations made thereunder—

- (a) levies, the proceeds of which shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of section 19;
- (b) one or more special levies, the proceeds of which shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of section 20:

Provided that no levy or special levy shall be payable in respect of any slaughter animal which has been condemned by competent authority in terms of the Public Health Act, 1919, or the regulations made thereunder as unfit for human consumption, if a certificate of condemnation, issued by such authority, is attached to the statement furnished to the Board in terms of paragraph (a) of sub-section (2), unless such levy has been imposed for the purpose of compensating the owners for slaughter animals, or any portions thereof which are so condemned.

(2) Any person who owns or is in charge of any abattoir or slaughter pole referred to in sub-section (1), other than an abattoir or slaughter pole controlled by a local authority within a controlled area, shall, not later than the fifteenth day of each calendar month—

- (a) furnish to the Board an accurate statement in a form prescribed by regulation showing the number of cattle and calves of each sex and the number of sheep, goats, pigs and sucking pigs slaughtered at that abattoir or slaughter pole during the preceding calendar month;
- (b) pay to the Board the amount due in respect of levy on the cattle, calves, sheep, goats, pigs and sucking pigs referred to in paragraph (a) by virtue of any levies imposed in terms of sub-section (1).
- (3) Any person paying any money to the Board in terms of sub-section (2) in respect of an animal of which he was not the owner may recover the amount involved from the person by whom or at whose instance that animal was slaughtered and such last-mentioned person may, if he was not the owner, recover that amount from the owner.
- (4) Any person paying any money to the Board in terms of sub-section (2) in respect of an animal of which he was not the owner at the time of slaughtering shall be entitled to receive commission from the Board on the amount so paid at a rate to be determined by the Board with the approval of the Minister.

(5) Enige heffing kragtens subartikel (1) betaalbaar ten opsigte van beeste, kalwers, skape, bokke, varke of speenvarke geslag by 'n abattoir of slagpaal onder beheer van 'n plaaslike owerheid in 'n beheerde gebied is aan die Raad betaalbaar deur die agent wat geslagte beeste, kalwers, skape, bokke, varke of speenvarke ten behoeve van die eienaar daarvan verkoop en die heffing moet deur sodanige agent betaal word op die tye en wyse by regulasie kragtens die Wet voorgeskryf.

(6) Enige agent wat kragtens subartikel (5) enige heffing aan die Raad betaal, is geregtig om die bedrag aldus betaalbaar af te trek van enige gelde deur hom verskuldig aan die eienaar van die beeste, kalwers, skape, bokke, varke of speenvarke ten opsigte waarvan die heffing betaalbaar is.

17. Die Raad kan met die goedkeuring van die Minister, op sodanige basis as wat die Raad mag bepaal en behoudens die bepalings van subparagrafe (iv) en (v) van paragraaf (e) van subartikel (1) van artikel *agtien* van die Wet, heffings op lê op 'n eenheid of hoeveelheid vleis wat uit 'n ander land of gebied in die Republiek ingevoer word, en moet met die opbrengs daarvan handel ooreenkomstig die bepalings van artikel 19.

18. (1) Die Raad kan met die goedkeuring van die Minister en op sodanige basis as wat die Raad mag bepaal, 'n heffing op huide en velle op lê en moet met die opbrengs daarvan handel ooreenkomstig die bepalings van artikel 19.

(2) Enige heffing deur die Raad ingevolge subartikel (1) opgelê—

(a) kan in die vorm wees van 'n persentasie of gedeelte van die verkoopprijs van, of in die vorm van 'n vasgestelde bedrag op elke eenheid of hoeveelheid huide of velle gekoop of verkoop;

(b) ten opsigte van 'n besondere klas, graad of kwaliteit-standaard huide of velle kan verskil van 'n heffing ten opsigte van 'n ander klas, graad of kwaliteit-standaard huide of velle;

(c) kan ten opsigte van huide of velle wat uit die Republiek uitgevoer word, verskil van so 'n heffing ten opsigte van huide of velle wat nie aldus uitgevoer word nie;

(d) moet—

(i) in die geval van 'n heffing op industriële huide of industriële velle opgelê, betaal word deur die persoon wat die huide of velle ontvang of invoer vir verwerking in die Republiek of voornemens is om dit te gebruik vir verwerking in die Republiek, of wat huide of velle ten behoeve van hom laat verwerk;

(ii) in die geval van 'n heffing op uitvoerhuide of uitvoervelle opgelê, betaal word deur die persoon wat sulke huide of velle uitvoer:

Met dien verstande dat indien 'n verwerker of uitvoerder heffing betaal het op huide of velle wat hy namens iemand anders vir verwerking ontvang of uitgevoer het, hy geregtig sal wees om die bedrag aan sodanige heffing betaal te verhaal op die persoon van wie die bedoelde huide of velle ontvang is of namens wie hy daardie huide of velle uitgevoer het.

Heffingsfondse.

19. (1) Die Raad stel die volgende heffingsfondse in:

(a) 'n beesheffingsfonds ten opsigte van die heffings op beeste en kalwers en die vleis daarvan afkomstig;

(b) 'n skaap- en bokheffingsfonds ten opsigte van die heffing op skape en bokke en die vleis daarvan afkomstig;

(c) 'n varkheffingsfonds ten opsigte van die heffing op varke en speenvarke en die vleis daarvan afkomstig;

(d) 'n huide-en-velleheffingsfonds ten opsigte van die heffings op huide en velle uitgesonderd karakoelpelse;

(e) 'n karakoelpelshreffingsfonds ten opsigte van die heffing op karakoelpelse.

(2) Alle gelde wat verkry word uit die heffings kragtens artikels 16, 17 en 18 opgelê, alle inkomste verkry uit die belegging van sodanige gelde en sodanige ander gelde wat aan die Raad uit enige bron toeval, word in die betrokke heffingsfondse gestort.

(5) Any levy due in terms of sub-section (1) in respect of cattle, calves, sheep, goats, pigs or sucking pigs slaughtered at an abattoir or slaughter pole controlled by a local authority in a controlled area shall be payable to the Board by the agent who sells slaughtered cattle, calves, sheep, goats, pigs or sucking pigs on behalf of the owner thereof and the levy shall be paid by such agent at such times and in such manner as may be prescribed by regulation under the Act.

(6) Any agent paying any levy to the Board in terms of sub-section (5) shall be entitled to deduct the amount so payable from any moneys due by him to the owner of the cattle, calves, sheep, goats, pigs or sucking pigs in respect of which the levy is payable.

17. The Board may, with the approval of the Minister and on such basis as the Board may determine and subject to the provisions of sub-paragraphs (iv) and (v) of paragraph (e) of sub-section (1) of section *eighteen* of the Act, impose levies on a unit or quantity of meat imported into the Republic from another country or territory the proceeds of which shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of section 19.

18. (1) The Board may, with the approval of the Minister and on such basis as the Board may determine impose a levy on hides and skins the proceeds of which shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of section 19.

(2) Any levy imposed by the Board in terms of sub-section (1)—

(a) may be in the form of a percentage or portion of the selling price of, or in the form of a fixed amount on every unit or quantity of hides or skins purchased or sold;

(b) in respect of any particular class, grade or standard of quality of hide or skin may differ from a levy in respect of any other class, grade or standard of quality of hide or skin;

(c) may, in respect of hides or skins which are exported from the Republic, differ from any such levy in respect of hides or skins which are not so exported;

(d) shall—

(i) in the case of a levy imposed on industrial hides or industrial skins, be paid by the person receiving or importing the hides or skins for processing in the Republic or intending to use them for processing in the Republic, or causing hides or skins to be processed on his behalf;

(ii) in the case of a levy imposed on export hides or export skins, be paid by the person exporting such hides or skins:

Provided that if a processor or exporter paid levy on hides or skins which he received on behalf of some other person for processing or which he exported, he shall be entitled to recover the amount of such levy paid, from the person from whom the said hides or skins had been received or on whose behalf the hides or skins had been exported.

Levy Funds.

19. (1) The Board shall establish the following levy funds:—

(a) a cattle levy fund in respect of the levies on cattle and calves and the meat derived therefrom;

(b) a sheep and goat levy fund in respect of the levy on sheep and goats and the meat derived therefrom;

(c) a pig levy fund in respect of the levy on pigs and sucking pigs and the meat derived therefrom;

(d) a hide and skin levy fund in respect of the levies on hides and skins excluding karakul pelts;

(e) a karakul pelt levy fund in respect of the levy on karakul pelts.

(2) All moneys obtained from the levies imposed in terms of sections 16, 17 and 18, all revenue obtained from the investment of such moneys and such other moneys accruing to the Board from any source, shall be paid into the particular levy fund.

(3) Uitgawes deur die Raad gemaak, word bestry uit die bees-, skaap-en-bok-, vark-, huide-en-velle- en karakoelpelsheffingsfondse na gelang van die voordeel wat die bees-, skaap-en-bok-, vark-, huide-en-velle- of karakoelpelsnywerheid volgens die oordeel van die Raad, uit die uitgawes kan verwag.

20. (1) Die Raad moet 'n spesiale fonds instel waarin die opbrengs van 'n spesiale heffing kragtens paragraaf (b) van subartikel (1) van artikel 16 opgelê, gestort moet word.

(2) Die Raad moet die gelde wat kragtens subartikel (1) in die spesiale fonds gestort word, op 'n wyse bestee wat deur die Minister goedgekeur word.

Reserwefonds.

21. Die Raad moet een of meer reserwefondse instel waarin sodanige bedrae tot die beskikking van die Raad gestort moet word wat die Minister van tyd tot tyd mag goedkeur, of wat hy na afloop van enige boekjaar onder die skema en na oorlegpleging met die Raad mag bepaal: Met dien verstande dat die Raad oor die gelde in so 'n reserwefonds kan beskik op sodanige wyse as wat die Minister mag goedkeur.

Uitvoer.

22. (1) Die Raad kan, met die goedkeuring van die Minister, enigiemand belet om enige slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte vir verkoop uit te voer, behalwe onder permit wat na goeddunke deur die Raad uitgereik word en wat deur die Raad ingetrek kan word indien die houër daarvan 'n voorwaarde daarin genoem of 'n bepaling van die skema of van 'n regulasie kragtens die Wet uitgevaardig oortree het of versuim het om daaraan te voldoen: Met dien verstande dat wanneer die Raad weier om die permit uit te reik of dit intrek, die applikant of houër, na gelang van die geval, die reg het om na die Minister teen die besluit van die Raad te appelleer, en dat die Minister sodanige besluit na oorweging kan bekrachtig, tot niet maak of wysig.

(2) Die Raad kan enigiemand wat slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte uitvoer, gelas om enige getal van daardie slagvee of enige hoeveelheid van daardie vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte wat hy uitvoer aan of deur die Raad of die persone of agentskappe (met inbegrip van enige agentskap deur die Raad ingestel) wat die Raad aanwys, te versend of van die hand te sit, of om enige getal slagvee of hoeveelheid vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte wat hy uitvoer na 'n bepaalde oorsese mark te stuur.

Premies.

23. (1) Die Raad kan uit sy gelde aan iemand wat slagvee, vleis of vleisprodukte van enige klas of graad daarvan verkry, soos deur die Raad met die goedkeuring van die Minister bepaal, uit die Republiek uitvoer, 'n toeslag of premie betaal teen 'n tarief insgelyks bepaal.

(2) Elke toeslag of premie wat kragtens subartikel (1) deur die Raad betaal word, word uit die bees-, skaap-en-bok- of varkheffingsfondse bestry na gelang van die klas slagvee, vleis of vleisproduk ten opsigte waarvan dit betaal word.

Registrasie.

24. (1) Niemand mag in die Republiek met slagvee, vleis, vleisprodukte of neweprodukte as 'n besigheid handel nie tensy hy by die Raad geregistreer is.

(2) Die Raad kan, met die goedkeuring van die Minister, die prosedure voorskryf wat gevolg moet word in verband met die oorweging van aansoeke om registrasie ingevolge hierdie artikel.

(3) Die Raad kan registrasie weier of enige registrasie toestaan vir 'n tydperk en op die voorwaardes wat hy bepaal, en kan sodanige registrasie roeier indien die geregistreerde persoon enige voorwaarde aldus vasgestel, oortree het of versuim het om daaraan te voldoen.

(4) Die Raad kan, benewens enige ander registrasievoorwaardes wat hy wettiglik mag opelê, voorwaardes opelê wat die plek waar die geregistreerde persoon die produk ten opsigte waarvan hy geregistreer is van die hand mag sit, voorskryf.

(3) Expenditure incurred by the Board shall be defrayed from the cattle, sheep and goat, pig, hide and skin and karakul pelt levy funds in proportion to the benefit that the cattle, sheep and goat, pig, hide and skin or karakul pelt industries may, in the opinion of the Board, be expected to derive from such expenditure.

20. (1) The Board shall establish a special fund into which the proceeds of a special levy imposed in terms of paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of section 16 shall be paid.

(2) The Board shall expend the moneys paid into the special fund in terms of sub-section (1), in a manner approved by the Minister.

Reserve Fund.

21. The Board shall establish one or more reserve funds into which shall be paid such amounts at the disposal of the Board as may from time to time be approved by the Minister, or as may after consultation with the Board be determined by him after the end of any financial year under the scheme: Provided that the Board shall be entitled to deal with moneys in such reserve fund in such manner as may be approved by the Minister.

Export.

22. (1) The Board may, with the approval of the Minister, prohibit any person from exporting any slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products for sale except under a permit, the issue of which shall be in the discretion of the Board and which may be cancelled by the Board if the holder thereof has contravened or failed to comply with any condition specified therein or any provision of the scheme or of any regulation made under the Act: Provided that when the Board refuses to issue such permit or cancels it, the applicant or holder, as the case may be, shall have the right to appeal to the Minister against the decision of the Board, and that the Minister may after consideration confirm, cancel or vary such decision.

(2) The Board may require any person who exports slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products to consign or dispose of any number of such slaughter animals, or any quantity of such meat, meat products or by-products which he exports, to or through the Board or such persons or agencies (including any agency established by the Board) as it may designate or to consign any number of such slaughter animals or any quantity of such meat, meat products or by-products which he exports, to a specified overseas market.

Premiums.

23. (1) The Board may from its funds pay to any person in respect of slaughter animals, meat or meat products of any class or grade derived therefrom as determined by the Board with the approval of the Minister, which is exported by such person from the Republic, a bounty or premium at a rate likewise determined.

(2) Any bounty or premium paid by the Board in terms of sub-section (1) shall be defrayed from the cattle, sheep and goat or pig levy funds, depending on the class of slaughter animal, meat or meat products in respect of which it is paid.

Registration.

24. (1) No person shall within the Republic deal in the course of trade with slaughter animals, meat, meat products or by-products unless he has been registered with the Board.

(2) The Board may, with the approval of the Minister, prescribe the procedure in connection with the consideration of applications for registration in terms of this section.

(3) The Board may refuse any registration or grant any registration for such period and on such conditions as it may determine and may cancel any such registration if the person registered has contravened or failed to comply with any condition so determined.

(4) The Board may, in addition to any other conditions of registration which it may lawfully impose, impose conditions prescribing the place where the registered person may dispose of the product in respect of which he is registered.

(5) Enigiemand wat ontevrede is met 'n besluit van die Raad in verband met enige aangeleentheid betreffende sy registrasie, kan teen sodanige besluit by die Minister appèl aanteken, en die Minister kan na oorweging van so 'n appèl en na oorlegpleging met die Bemarkingsraad, bedoelde besluit bekragtig, tersy stel of wysig of in verband daarmee so 'n bevel uitreik as wat hy goedvind.

Rekords en opgawes.

25. Die Raad kan, met die Minister se goedkeuring, die rekords wat gehou moet word, die tydperk waarvoor sulke rekords behou moet word, en die opgawes wat aan die Raad verstrekk moet word deur enige persoon of klas of groep persone wat enige produk waarop die skema betrekking het, produseer of daarmee as 'n besigheid handel, voorskryf, asook die tye waarop, die vorm waarin en die wyse waarop die opgawes aldus verstrekk moet word.

Uitoefening van Bevoegdheide.

26. 'n Voorskrif van of verbod opgelê of besluit geneem deur die Raad—

- (a) met betrekking tot enige gebied waarin die skema van toepassing is, of 'n gedeelte van so 'n gebied, kan verskil van so 'n voorskrif of verbod of besluit met betrekking tot 'n ander gebied waarin die skema van toepassing is, of 'n ander gedeelte van so 'n gebied, na gelang van die geval; of
- (b) met betrekking tot 'n klas van die produk waarop die skema betrekking het, met inbegrip van 'n klas omskryf kragtens die bepalings van paragraaf (b) van subartikel (7) van artikel *agtien* van die Wet, kan verskil van so 'n voorskrif, verbod of besluit met betrekking tot 'n ander klas van sodanige produk; of
- (c) kan slegs van toepassing wees op een of meer van die gebiede waarin die skema van toepassing is of slegs in 'n aangegewe gedeelte van 'n gebied waarin die skema van toepassing is; of
- (d) kan slegs betrekking hê op 'n aangegewe klas van die produk waarop die skema betrekking het met inbegrip van 'n klas omskryf kragtens die bepalings van paragraaf (b) van subartikel (7) van artikel *agtien* van die Wet.

Oortredings en strawwe.

27. Iemand wat—

- (a) 'n oortreding begaan van of versuim om te voldoen aan—
 - (i) 'n bepaling van die skema of 'n vasstelling, verbod, vereiste, voorskrif, besluit, bepaling, magtiging of registrasie ingevolge daarvan opgelê, voorgeskryf, uitgerek, geneem, gemaak of verleen; of
 - (ii) 'n voorwaarde voorgeskryf in verband met so 'n vasstelling, verbod, vereiste, voorskrif, besluit, bepaling, magtiging of registrasie; of
 - (iii) 'n voorwaarde waaronder hy ingevolge so 'n vasstelling, verbod, vereiste, voorskrif, besluit, bepaling, magtiging of registrasie gemagtig is om enige daad te verrig; of
 - (b) versuim om 'n rekord, faktuur, rekening, staat of opgawe te hou, uit te reik of te verstrekk wat hy kragtens die skema of 'n vereiste voorgeskryf ingevolge die skema of kragtens 'n voorwaarde genoem in subparagraaf (ii) of (iii) van paragraaf (a) moet hou, uitreik of verstrekk; of
 - (c) versuim om 'n rekord te bewaar vir die tydperk wat hy dit kragtens 'n vereiste ingevolge die skema voorgeskryf, moet bewaar; of
 - (d) in 'n rekord, faktuur, rekening, staat of opgawe genoem in paragraaf (b) inligting verstrekk wat onjuis is of daarop bereken is om te mislei;
- is aan 'n misdryf skuldig en by skuldigverklaring strafbaar met 'n boete van hoogstens tweehonderd rand en met gevangenisstraf vir 'n tydperk van hoogstens ses maande of met beide sodanige boete en gevangenisstraf.

(5) Any person who is dissatisfied with a decision of the Board in connection with any matter relating to his registration may appeal to the Minister against such decision, and the Minister may, after consideration of any such appeal, and after consultation with the Marketing Council, confirm, set aside or vary such decision or make such order in connection therewith as he may deem fit.

Records and Returns.

25. The Board may, with the approval of the Minister, prescribe the records to be kept, the period for which any such record shall be retained and the returns to be rendered to the Board by any person or class or group of persons producing or dealing in the course of trade with any product to which the scheme relates and the times at which and the form and manner in which such returns shall be rendered.

Exercise of Powers.

26. Any requirement or prohibition imposed or decision taken by the Board—

- (a) which relates to any area in which the scheme applies, or any portion of any such area, may differ from any such requirement or prohibition or decision which relates to any other area in which the scheme applies or any other portion of any such area, as the case may be; or
- (b) which relates to any class of the product to which the scheme relates, including a class defined in terms of the provisions of paragraph (b) of sub-section (7) of section *eighteen* of the Act, may differ from any such requirement, prohibition or decision which relates to any other class of such product; or
- (c) may apply only to one or more of the areas in which the scheme applies or only to a specified portion of any area in which the scheme applies; or
- (d) may relate only to a specified class of the product to which the scheme relates, including a class defined in terms of paragraph (b) of sub-section (7) of section *eighteen* of the Act.

Offences and Penalties.

27. Any person who—

- (a) contravenes or fails to comply with—
 - (i) any provision of the scheme or any determination, prohibition, requirement, direction, decision, provision, authorisation or registration imposed, prescribed, given, taken, made or granted thereunder; or
 - (ii) any condition prescribed in connection with any such determination, prohibition, requirement, direction, decision, provision, authorisation or registration; or
 - (iii) any condition subject to which he has in pursuance of any such determination, prohibition, requirement, direction, decision, provision, authorisation or registration been authorised to perform any act; or
 - (b) fails to keep, issue or render any record, invoice, account, statement or return which he is required to keep, issue or render in terms of the scheme or a requirement prescribed under the scheme or in terms of a condition referred to in sub-paragraph (ii) or (iii) of paragraph (a); or
 - (c) fails to retain any record for the period for which he is required to retain it in terms of a requirement prescribed under the scheme; or
 - (d) in any record, invoice, account, statement or return referred to in paragraph (b), furnishes any information which is incorrect or calculated to mislead;
- shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction liable to a fine not exceeding two hundred rand or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or to both such fine and imprisonment.

Opheffing van skema.

28. Ingeval hierdie skema opgehef word—

- (a) word alle bates van die Raad wat oorbly nadat alle skulde betaal is aan die Minister oorhandig en die bates wat aldus oorhandig word, word deur die Minister na goeë dunnke aangewend vir die bevoor-dering van die vee- en vleisnywerhede;
- (b) word enige tekort wat mag bestaan nadat al die bates van die Raad tot geld gemaak is, aangevul deur die produsente in verhouding tot die bedrag van die heffing waarvoor hulle aanspreeklik geword het gedurende die tydperk van drie jaar onmidde-lik voor die datum van opheffing van die skema of gedurende die tydperk wat die skema in werking was, watter tydperk ook al die kortste was.

Voortsettingsbepalings insake kennisgewings, verbods-bepalings, voorskrifte, besluite, vasstellings, fondse en lede van die Raad.

29. (1) Alie kennisgewings, verbodsbepalings, voor-skrifte, besluite, vasstellings of bepalinge wat uitgevaardig, opgelê, geneem of gedoen is kragtens die Vee- en Vleis-reëlinskema, bekendgemaak by Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, en wat nie ingevolge genoemde bepalinge ingetrek is nie, bly van krag totdat die Raad hulle ingevolge hierdie skema wysig of intrek.

(2) Alle magtigings, registrasies, aanstellings, kontrakte of appêlle uitgereik, gemaak, gesluit of aangeteken krag-tens die Vee- en Vleisreëlinskema, bekendgemaak by Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, en van krag of hangende, na gelang van die geval, onmiddellik voor die datum van inwerkingtreding van hierdie skema, word geag kragtens hierdie skema uitgereik, gemaak, gesluit of aangeteken te gewees het.

(3) Die bates en laste van die Raad wat die Vee- en Vleisreëlinskema bekendgemaak by Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, uitvoer, gaan oor na die Raad wat hierdie skema uitvoer.

(4) Enige gelde in enige fonds ingestel kragtens die Vee- en Vleisreëlinskema bekendgemaak by Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, word oorgedra na die onderskeie fondse kragtens hierdie skema ingestel.

(5) Die lede wat kragtens Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, in die Raad aangestel is en hulle amp beklee onmiddellik voor die datum van inwerkingtreding van hierdie skema, word geag as lede van die Raad krag-tens hierdie skema aangestel te gewees het en beklee hulle amp, ongeag die bepalinge van subartikel (1) van artikel 7 dat lede vir 'n tydperk van twee jaar aangestel word maar onderworpe aan die ander bepalinge van genoemde artikel, van die datum van inwerkingtreding van hierdie skema vir die onverstreke gedeeltes van die onderskeie tydperke waarvoor hulle kragtens genoemde Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, aangestel is.

(6) Die persoon wat kragtens Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, tot voorsitter van die Raad verkies is en daardie amp onmiddellik voor die datum van inwerkingtreding van hierdie skema beklee, word geag kragtens hierdie skema tot voorsitter van die Raad verkies te gewees het en bly daardie amp beklee met ingang van die datum van inwerkingtreding van hierdie skema en onderworpe aan die bepalinge van artikel 8 vir die onver-streke gedeelte van die tydperk waarvoor hy kragtens Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, verkies is.

(7) 'n Komitee wat kragtens Proklamasie No. 265 van 1945, soos gewysig, deur die Raad aangestel is, word geag kragtens artikel 12 of 13 van hierdie skema aangestel te gewees het.

Liquidation of Scheme.

28. In the event of the discontinuance of this scheme—

- (a) all assets of the Board remaining after all its liabilities have been met, shall be handed over to the Minister and the assets so handed over shall be utilised by the Minister in his discretion for the advancement of the livestock and meat industries;
- (b) any deficit which may exist after all the assets of the Board have been realised, shall be borne by the producers in proportion to the amount of levy for which they became liable during the period of three years immediately preceding the date of dis-continuance of the scheme or during the period during which the scheme was in operation, which-ever shall be the shorter period.

Continuation Provisions Regarding Notices, Prohibitions, Requirements, Decisions, Determinations, Funds and Members of the Board.

29. (1) All notices, prohibitions, requirements, deci-sions, determinations or provisions issued, imposed, taken or made under the Livestock and Meat Control Scheme, published by Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, and not withdrawn in terms of the said provisions, shall remain in force until amended or withdrawn by the Board in terms of this scheme.

(2) All authorisations, registrations, appointments, con-tracts or appeals issued, made, concluded or noted under the Livestock and Meat Control Scheme, published by Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, and in force or pending, as the case may be, immediately prior to the date of the coming into operation of this scheme, shall be deemed to have been issued, made, concluded or noted under this scheme.

(3) Any assets and liabilities of the Board adminis-tering the Livestock and Meat Control Scheme published by Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, shall vest in the Board administering this scheme.

(4) Any moneys in any fund established in terms of the Livestock and Meat Control Scheme published by Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, shall be trans-ferred to the respective funds established in terms of this scheme.

(5) The members appointed to the Board in terms of Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, and holding office immediately prior to the date of the coming into operation of this scheme, shall be deemed to have been appointed as members of the Board in terms of this scheme and shall, notwithstanding the provisions in sub-section (1) of section 7 that members shall be appointed for a period of two years but subject to the other provi-sions of the said section, hold office as and from the date of the coming into operation of this scheme for the un-expired portions of the respective periods for which they were appointed in terms of the said Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended.

(6) The person elected as chairman of the Board in terms of Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, and holding office as such immediately prior to the date of the coming into operation of this scheme, shall be deemed to have been elected as chairman of the Board in terms of this scheme and shall, as from the date of the coming into operation of this scheme and subject to the provi-sions of section 8, continue to hold office for the un-expired portion of the period for which he was elected in terms of Proclamation No. 265 of 1945.

(7) Any committee appointed by the Board in terms of Proclamation No. 265 of 1945, as amended, shall be deemed to have been appointed in terms of section 12 or 13 of this scheme.

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