

ANIMALS PROHIBITION AND RESTRICTION REGULATIONS, 1951. ⁽¹⁾

Regulations.

No. 2 of 1951.

1. No animal shall be removed from one place in the Territory of Papua to another place in the Territory of Papua unless a permit in writing for such removal be first given to the owner of such animal or

(1) Particulars of these Regulations are as follows :—

Ordinance under which made.	Date on which made by Administrator in Council.	Date on which published in Papua and N.G. Govt. Gaz.	Date on which took effect and came into operation.
<i>Animals Prohibition and Restriction Ordinance, 1911</i>	12.1.1951	25.1.1951	1.3.1951 (Papua and N.G. Govt. Gaz. of 25.1.1951)

his agent by the Chief of the Division of Animal Industry of the Department of Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries of the Administration of the Territory of Papua and New Guinea, or by a Stock Inspector appointed under the *Animals Prohibition and Restriction Ordinance, 1911*⁽²⁾ :

Provided that the Chief of the Division of Animal Industry may by notice⁽³⁾ in the *Gazette* grant general permission for the removal of any particular class of stock, including birds and bees, within such areas as are specified in such notice :

And provided further that such general permission referred to in the last preceding paragraph may by notice in the *Gazette* be cancelled or varied in any respect by the said Chief of the Division of Animal Industry, either with or without previous notice of his intention so to do.

2. Such permit may specify a particular route on which any such animal shall be removed and shall specify a commencing date for such removal and shall be in the form set out in the First Schedule hereto.

3. Before a permit under these Regulations is given the owner of any animal sought to be removed or his agent shall make application in writing for such permit, such application to reach the appropriate authority at least six weeks prior to the date on which the movement of such animal is desired to commence.

4. Such application in writing shall be made to the Registrar of the Division of Animal Industry aforesaid at Port Moresby in the Territory of Papua or to a Stock Inspector appointed as aforesaid.

5. The application referred to in Regulation 3 shall be in the form set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

6. The owner of any animal in respect of which an application for removal has been made in accordance with these Regulations or the agent of any such owner shall allow a Stock Inspector to examine such animal at any reasonable time prior to the proposed removal and shall afford to the Stock Inspector every facility for conducting such examination.

7. The removal of any animal from one place to another place in the Territory of Papua is prohibited unless such removal is authorized by a Stock Inspector.

8. Prior to the authorization of removal of any animal described in the preceding regulation a Stock Inspector may require such animal to be treated for disease or parasitic infestation or their prevention and any such treatment shall be carried out by and at the expense of the owner of such animal under the supervision of the Stock Inspector provided that the Stock Inspector may cause such treatment to be carried

(2) Now the *Animals Prohibition and Restriction Ordinance, 1911-1950*. The *Animals Prohibition and Restriction Ordinance, 1911* is printed in *The Laws of the Territory of Papua 1888-1945 (Annotated)*, Vol. I., on p. 85-88, as to subsequent amendments see the Supplementary Table printed in this Volume on p. 1368.

(3) Pursuant to Regulation 1 the Chief of the Division of Animal Industry, by notice dated 1. 8. 1951 and published in Papua and N.G. *Govt. Gaz.* of 8. 8. 1951, granted general permission for the unrestricted removal within the Territory of Papua of the following classes of animals: (a) Bees; (b) Birds, including domestic poultry; (c) Cats; (d) Dogs; and (e) Pigs.

PART B: ANIMALS AND BIRDS—

out and recover the expenses thereof from the said owner and any expenses so incurred shall be a civil debt recoverable by proceedings in a Court of Petty Sessions under the *Small Debts Ordinance, 1912.*⁽⁴⁾

9. A permit for removal of any animal may stipulate a condition as to specified treatment being administered to such animal at specified times and places in the course of such removal and if such condition is imposed and not complied with the said permit shall be automatically cancelled and immediately become void and of no effect.

10. If any condition of removal of any animal imposed in a Permit for Removal is not complied with then such permit shall be immediately and automatically cancelled and become void and of no effect.

11. These Regulations shall not apply to an animal moving or to be moved from one place in the Territory of Papua to another when such animal remains at all times during and after removal on the land of the owner of such animal or on land in which he has a right title or interest.

12. The Chief of the Division of Animal Industry aforesaid and any Officer of the Public Service of the Territory appointed by him in writing shall have under these Regulations the same powers and duties as Stock Inspectors.

13. In these Regulations the term "animal" includes any bull, cow, ox, calf, stallion, mare, gelding, foal, ass, mule, ram, ewe, wether, lamb, pig, dog, peultry or other animal or bird whatsoever.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

TERRITORY OF PAPUA.

Animals Prohibition and Restriction Ordinance, 1911.

PERMIT FOR REMOVAL OF ANIMALS.

Permission is hereby given to the person named herein in the Territory of Papua to move the animals described herein in accordance with the conditions set out below:—

Owner or Agent

Address

ANIMALS.—

Description:

Number:

Further description:

Place where animals now located:

Place to which they are permitted to be moved:

Route by which animals are to be moved:

Date when movement shall commence:

Special conditions:

This permission is given subject to the above conditions and shall be automatically cancelled unless those conditions are complied with.

Dated the

day of

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Stock Inspector.

(4) Now the *Small Debts Ordinance, 1912-1947*. The *Small Debts Ordinance, 1912* is printed in *The Laws of the Territory of Papua 1838-1945 (Annotated)*, Vol. I, on pp. 999-1027; as to subsequent amendments, see the footnotes to that Ordinance.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERRITORY OF PAPUA.

Animals Prohibition and Restriction Ordinance, 1911.

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO REMOVE ANIMALS WITHIN THE
TERRITORY.

I hereby apply for permission to remove the animals described below from
the place where they are now located to _____ in the Territory of Papua.
The following are the details in respect of this application:—

Full name of owner/agent:
Address:
Description of animals:
Number of animals:
Place where animals are now located:
Suggested route:
Date when movement can commence: .

Dated the _____ day of _____ 195 .

Applicant.