

REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

VANUATU COMMODITIES MARKETING BOARD ACT [CAP 133]

Functions and Powers of Inspectors Order No. Sof 2007

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 23 of the Vanuatu Commodities Marketing Board Act [CAP 133], I, the Honourable JAMES BULE Minister of Trade, Commerce, Industry and Tourism make the following Order.

1 Functions of Inspectors appointed under the Vanuatu Commodities Marketing Board

The functions of the Inspectors are:

- (a) to work closely with Quarantine Officers to ensure that kava is exported in the required standards;
- (b) to oversee the implementation of the Board's decisions relating to their functions and powers.
- 2 Powers of Inspectors appointed under the Vanuatu Commodities Marketing Board Act

The powers of the Inspectors are:

- (a) to enter any vessel or aircraft and make such examination and inquiry as may be necessary for ascertaining whether the conditions specified in the export authority have been complied with by authorised exporter;
- (b) to require the production of any document concerning any prescribed commodity from an authorised exporter;
- (c) to examine in the presence of another Inspector, the content of kava chips to ascertain whether the kava chips have met the required standards for export;

(d) to stop the export of kava if the kava chips and roots do not meet the required standard for export.

3 Commencement

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This Order commences on the date on which it is made.

Made this 16 th day of Manch 2007. (C O): INNISTER OF TRADE, TOURISM AND INDUSTRY MINISTRE DU COMMERCE, DU TOURISME ET DE L'INDUSTRIE JAMES BULE DE VP

Minister of Trade, Commerce, Industry and Tourism