

L.N. 68 of 2016

**Specification of Public Offices (Amendment) Notice
2016**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 43 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1))

1. Commencement

This Notice comes into operation on the day on which the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 comes into operation.

2. Specification of Public Offices Notice amended

The Specification of Public Offices Notice (Cap. 1 sub. leg. C) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule amended (specification of public offices)

The Schedule, entry relating to the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation specified for the purposes of the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) Regulations (Cap. 139 sub. leg. B)—

Repeal

“(Animal Traders) Regulations (Cap. 139 sub. leg. B), regulations 5(1) and (3)”

Substitute

“(Trading and Breeding) Regulations (Cap. 139 sub. leg. B), regulations 5, 5A, 5B, 5C, 5D, 5E, 5F, 5G, 5H”.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER

10 May 2016

Explanatory Note

The Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 (L.N. 64 of 2016) amends the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) Regulations (Cap. 139 sub. leg. B) (*Regulations*) to—

- (a) change the title of the Regulations; and
- (b) add provisions to confer new powers on the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation (*Director*).

2. Section 43 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1) provides for delegation by persons holding a public office specified under that section. The Schedule to the Specification of Public Offices Notice (Cap. 1 sub. leg. C) contains a list of specified public offices for the purposes of different Ordinances. This Notice amends the relevant entry in that Schedule so that—

- (a) the reference to the title of the Regulations is updated; and
- (b) the Director may delegate the new powers in accordance with that section.