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**Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Licensing of
Livestock Keeping) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions)
Regulation 2019**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 3 of the Public Health (Animals and Birds) Ordinance (Cap. 139))

1. Commencement

- (1) Subject to subsection (2), this Regulation comes into operation on 1 October 2019.
- (2) Section 4 comes into operation on 1 October 2020.

2. Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Licensing of Livestock Keeping) Regulation amended

The Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Licensing of Livestock Keeping) Regulation (Cap. 139 sub. leg. L) is amended as set out in sections 3 and 4.

3. Schedule 2 amended (specified fees)

- (1) Schedule 2, item 1—

Repeal

“Grant or renewal of a licence under section 4 of this Regulation”

Substitute

“Grant of a licence under section 4 at any time or renewal of a licence under that section at any time not within the period mentioned in item 1A”.

- (2) Schedule 2, item 1(a)—

Section 3

Repeal

“above 6 000”

Substitute

“6 000 or above”.

(3) Schedule 2, item 1(b)—

Repeal

“above 60 000”

Substitute

“60 000 or above”.

(4) Schedule 2, after item 1—

Add

“1A. Renewal of a licence under section 4 within the period from 1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020 (both dates inclusive)—

	Holding capacity*	
(a) Pigs (No.)	below 200	500
	200– 399	700
	400– 599	900
	600– 999	1,000
	1 000– 1 999	2,000
	2 000– 2 999	2,200
	3 000– 3 999	2,400
	4 000– 4 999	2,600
	5 000– 5 999	2,800
	6 000 or above	3,000

(b) Specified birds	below 2 000	500
(No.)	2 000– 3 999	700
	4 000– 5 999	900
	6 000– 9 999	1,000
	10 000–19 999	2,000
	20 000–29 999	2,200
	30 000–39 999	2,400
	40 000–49 999	2,600
	50 000–59 999	2,800
	60 000 or above	3,000

* Holding capacity is calculated by reference to the following stocking density of each type of animal, i.e. 0.0747m² per chicken; 0.093m² per layer; 0.075m² per pigeon; 0.0093m² per quail; 2.52m² per pig; 0.023m² per duck/goose.”.

4. Schedule 2 amended (specified fees)

(1) Schedule 2, item 1—

Repeal

“Grant of a licence under section 4 at any time or renewal of a licence under that section at any time not within the period mentioned in item 1A”

Substitute

“Grant or renewal of a licence under section 4”.

(2) Schedule 2—

Repeal item 1A.

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Licensing of Livestock Keeping) Regulation (Cap. 139 sub. leg. L) (*principal Regulation*) to prescribe a lower fee for the renewal, within the period from October 2019 to September 2020, of a licence to keep livestock in or on premises in respect of which the licence is granted within a livestock waste restriction area or a livestock waste control area.

2. This Regulation also makes minor textual amendments to item 1 of Schedule 2 to the principal Regulation.