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ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION ACT, 2002
(ACT No. 6 OF 2002)

REGULATIONS: AMENDMENT

I, Lulama Xingwana, Minister of Agriculture, acting under section 18 of the Animal Identification Act, 2002 (Act No. 6 of 2002), hereby amend the regulations set out in the Schedule.

L. Xingwana,
Minister of Agriculture.

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In this Schedule “the Regulations” means the Regulations published by Government Notice No. R. 1683 of 21 November 2003, R. 1684 of 21 November 2003, as corrected by Government Notice No. R. 114 of 6 February 2004 and amended by Government Notice No. R. 934 of 30 September 2005, R. 209 of 10 March 2006 and R. 877 of 8 September 2006.

Amendment of Regulation 9 of the Regulations

2. Regulation 9 of the regulations is hereby amended by the addition of the following subregulations:

“(4) In the case of pigs, the size of a character at the time of the application of an identification mark by means of tattooing, must not exceed 20 mm in width at the widest and 20 mm in height at the highest part.”.

Amendment of Regulation 10 of the Regulations

3. Regulation 10 of the regulations is hereby amended by the addition of the following subregulation:

“(4) An identification mark in the case of pigs must consist of one to three characters and the characters must be tattooed from left to right, next to and 6 mm from each other.”.

Amendment of Regulation 11 of the Regulations

4. Regulation 11 of the regulations is hereby amended by the substitution of paragraph (c) by the following paragraph:

“(c) pigs must be tattooed at the age of one month.”.