



## Food (Fees and Charges) Amendment Regulations 2022

Cindy Kiro, Governor-General

### Order in Council

At Wellington this 23rd day of May 2022

Present:

The Right Hon Jacinda Ardern presiding in Council

These regulations are made under sections 203 and 204 of the Food Act 2014—

- (a) on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council; and
- (b) on the recommendation of the Minister for Food Safety made after complying with section 204(6) and (8) of that Act.

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### Regulations

- 1 Title**  
These regulations are the Food (Fees and Charges) Amendment Regulations 2022.
- 2 Commencement**  
These regulations come into force on 1 July 2022.

### 3 Principal regulations

These regulations amend the Food (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2015.

### 4 Schedule amended

- (1) In the Schedule, Part 2, item 45,—
  - (a) replace “\$60.00” with “67.50”; and
  - (b) replace “\$120.00” with “\$135.00”.
- (2) In the Schedule, Part 2, item 46, replace “\$120.00” with “135.00”.

Michael Webster,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

### Explanatory note

*This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.*

These regulations, which come into force on 1 July 2022, amend the Food (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2015 to—

- increase the fee for the clearance of imported food from \$60.00 per clearance, plus \$120.00 per hour spent processing the clearance after the first 30 minutes, to \$67.50 per clearance, plus \$135.00 per hour; and
- increase the fee for the administration of imported food of increased regulatory interest from \$120.00 per hour spent on each consignment of imported food to \$135.00 per hour.

### Regulatory impact statement

The Ministry for Primary Industries produced a regulatory impact statement on 9 March 2022 to help inform the decisions taken by the Government relating to the contents of this instrument.

A copy of this regulatory impact statement can be found at—

- <https://www.mpi.govt.nz/legal/regulatory-impact-statements/>
- <https://treasury.govt.nz/publications/informationreleases/ris>

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2019.

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These regulations are administered by the Ministry for Primary Industries.