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ANIMAL DISEASE ACT, 1965
(Act No. 7 of 1965)THE STOCK DISEASES (RABIES NO. 4) REGULATIONS, 2004
(Under Section 3)

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Animal Diseases Act, 1965 the Minister for Agriculture and Cooperatives hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Stock Disease (Rabies No. 4) Regulations, 2004 and shall be deemed to have come into force on 16th April, 2004.

Declaration of Rabies Guard Areas:

2. The areas specified in the First Schedule are declared to Rabies Guard Areas.

Isolation and Confinement of Dogs:

3. Every owner of a dog or cat in a guard area shall isolate and confine his dog or cat so as to prevent it from escaping from such guard areas and such confinement and isolation shall remain in force until further notice.

Presentation of Dogs and Cats for Vaccination:

4. A person who owns a dog or cat and lives within the area specified in the schedule to this Notice shall present his pets for inoculation at the designated vaccination centre and on the time specified in the Second Schedule.

Offence and Penalty:

5. An owner of a dog or cat who fails to comply with regulations 3 and 4 commits an offence and is liable on conviction, to a fine not exceeding E300-00 and in default of payment, to imprisonment for a period not exceeding 3 months.

Destruction of Dogs and Cats in Rabies Guard Areas:

6. (1) A Government Veterinary Officer may destroy a dog or cat in any of the Rabies guard areas if in his opinion, the dog or cat has not been confined so as to prevent it from escaping from such guard areas.
(2) In pursuance of sub-regulation (1) a Government Veterinary Officer may ask for the assistance of the Royal Swaziland Police in carrying out the provision of that sub-regulation.

FIRST SCHEDULE

NHLANGANO CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT

KAYALAMI TOWNSHIP: NHLANGANO

MATENDELE LOCATION: EXTENSION 1 AND INCLUDING EXTENSION 6

MATENDELE; AND MATENDELE NATIVE LOCATION

EXTENSION 2 NHLANGANO

EXTENSION 4 NHLANGANO

EXTENSION 5 NHLANGANO

EXTENSION 1 NHLANGANO

INDUSTRIAL SITE NHLANGANO

EXTENSION 3 NHLANGANO

MAKUKULA AREA NHLANGANO

SECOND SCHEDULE

DATE	NAME OF AREA	VACCINATION CANTRE	TIME
22-24-04-04 26-30-04-04	NLANGANO CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT	NHLANGANO VETERINARY OFFICE	8:00AM - 1:00PM 2:00PM - 4:30PM
22-24-04-04 26-30-04-04	MATENDELE LOCATION	NEAR EMSANI STORE	7:30AM - 12 NOON
22-26-04-04 26-30-04-04	EXTENSION 3 NHLANGANO	SIVIVANENI GUM TREE	7:30AM - 12 NOON
22-26-04-04 26-30-04-04	NHLANGANO DIPTANK	NHLANGANO DIPTANK	7:30AM - 12 NOON

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