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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, MARINE RESOURCES AND FAMILY ISLANDS AFFAIRS

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ANIMAL PROTECTION AND CONTROL ACT, 2010 (No. 19 of 2010)

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The Minister in exercise of the powers conferred by section 36(1) of the Animal Protection and Control Act, 2010 (*No. 19 of 2010*) hereby makes the following regulations —

1. Citation and commencement.

- (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Animal Protection and Control (Dog Licence and Identification Tag Fees) Regulations, 2023.
- (2) These Regulations shall come into operation on the 1st July, 2023.

2. Interpretation.

In these Regulations –

"intact" means a dog that has not been spayed or neutered;

"neutered" means a dog whose testes have been removed by way of surgical procedure;

"spayed" means a dog whose female reproductive organs have been removed by way of surgical procedure.

3. Certificate evidence spayed or neutered.

Any person applying for a licence and identification tag for a spayed or neutered dog shall produce a certificate from a licensed veterinarian showing that the dog has been spayed or neutered.

4. Fees.

- (1) The fees specified in the second column of the *Schedule* shall be in respect of that licence specified in the first column of the *Schedule*.
- (2) Any fee or charge collected under these Regulations shall be paid into the Consolidated Fund.

SCHEDULE

(Regulation 3)

For the issue of and renewal of a dog licence and identification tag —

(a)	intact dog	\$ 10.00
(b)	spayed or neutered dog	Nil
(c)	microchip identification tag	\$25.00

For the issue of a duplicate dog identification tag —

(a) intact dog(b) spayed or neutered dogNil

Made this 1st day of July, 2023.

Signed
CLAY SWEETING
Minister responsible for Animal Protection and Control

