

11 October 2017

Dear Levy payer,

<u>Important Notice: Escalation of Statutory Levy – 1 November 2017</u>

Please be advised that the Statutory Levy will escalate on 1 November 2017 as stipulated in Government Gazette No. 38199 of 11 November 2014.

The following functions are funded with the Statutory Levy:

- Consumer assurance
- Consumer communication and education
- Transformation in the developing sector
- Red Meat research and development
- Industry and international liaison
- Production Development
- Compliance to legislation

The Levy rates as from 1 November 2017 will be as follows: (Excluding VAT)

Between "Buyer" & "Seller":

Cattle / Calves = R6.24 per head Sheep / Goats = R1.34 per head

Abattoirs:

Cattle / Calves = R10.40 per head Sheep / Goats = R2.02 per head

Meat Traders:

R659 per year during which the meat trader sells red meat, processed pork or red meat products.

Importers:

R1160 per container or consignment of red meat and /red meat products to be imported. **IMPORTANT:**

These levies are payable to the levy administrator **prior** to the application of an import permit from DAFF. The levy receipt number needs to be submitted with the import permit application.

Exporters:

Cattle / Calves = R10.40 per head Sheep / Goats = R2.02 per head Hides / Skins = 2,01c per kg

Meat Processors:

Red meat; Red meat products and processed Pork = 2,01c per kg

• Livestock Agents / Brokers:

0,102% of the total commission earned

• Tanneries:

Processed Hides / Skins = 2,01c per kg

Animals not presented for slaughter (Feedlots):

Cattle / Calves = R6.24 per head Sheep / Goats = R1.34 per head

Enclosed please find the following:

- (Re-) Registration form
- Levy Return form for the period 1 Nov 2017 to 31 Oct 2018

The following regulations apply:

- Levy return forms AND payments need to be submitted 14 days after the end of the month in which the slaughter took place.
- The Statutory levy applies to ALL animals slaughtered at the abattoir (this *includes private* slaughters).

Please submit forms to:

• Fax: 012 361 2382 / 086 572 6206 or

• Email: admin@levyadmin.co.za

For any queries please phone us at 012 348 7572, we will gladly assist you.

Yours faithfully

Mrs. A.G. Calitz

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