

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

OF THE

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

No. 25

AUTHORISATION TO COLLECT STATISTICS IN RELATION TO AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES: STATISTICS ACT, 1976

Under section 3(1)(a) of the Statistics Act, 1976 (Act No. 66 of 1976), I determine that statistics in relation to agricultural activities may be collected.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of Namibia at Windhoek this 7th day of March, Two Thousand and Five.

SAM NUJOMA
President
BY ORDER OF THE PRESIDENT-IN-CABINET

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No. 26 2005

REGULATIONS MADE UNDER THE STATISTICS ACT, 1976: COLLECTION OF STATISTICS IN RELATION TO AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES

The President has under section 17 of the Statistics Act, 1976 (Act No. 66 of 1976), made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or an expression defined in the Statistics Act, 1976 (Act No. 66 of 1976) has a corresponding meaning and -

"agricultural activities" means the cultivation of land or the keeping of livestock; and

"interviewee" means a person who exercises authority, control or management over land on which agricultural activities are conducted, regardless of whether such person holds a legal right over such land.

Furnishing of statistics

- 2. (1) An interviewee shall furnish, in writing, to the Secretary statistics in respect of the following matters relating to agricultural activities conducted on commercial land:
 - (a) Location, registration and size;
 - (b) area cultivated and harvested;
 - (c) types of crop planted;
 - (d) irrigation of crop planted;
 - (e) animals kept;
 - (f) employees of the person who is financially responsible for the conduct of the agricultural activities;
 - (g) transportation used in the conduct of the agricultural activities;
 - (h) machinery used in the conduct of the agricultural activities;
 - (i) access of interviewee to services, and information, relating to the agricultural activities; and
 - (j) financial aspects relating to the land and to the agricultural activities conducted on that land.
- (2) An interviewee shall furnish, orally, to the Secretary statistics in respect of the following matters relating to agricultural activities conducted on communal land:
 - (a) Personal details of the interviewee;
 - (b) location and size of the land;

- (c) employees of the person who is financially responsible for the conducting of the agricultural activities;
- (d) methods and facilities used for purpose of cultivation;
- (e) type of crop planted;
- (f) irrigation of crop planted;
- (g) area cultivated and harvested;
- (h) previous harvest of crop;
- (i) use of fertilizers and chemicals in relation to the cultivation of crop;
- (j) the expected harvest and the actual harvest of crop during the current year of harvesting;
- (k) animals kept on the land; and
- (l) transportation used in the conduct of the agricultural activities.
- (3) The statistics referred to in subregulations (1) and (2), shall be furnished during the period from 15 March 2005 to 30 September 2005.
- (4) An interviewer shall at all times when conducting an interview in terms of these regulations affix, so as to be clearly visible, on his or her clothing an identification tag.

Offences and penalties

3. A person who, without reasonable cause, contravenes or fails to comply with these regulations shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding N\$200 or, in the case of a continuing contravention or failure to comply with the regulations, to a fine not exceeding N\$10 for every day during which the contravention or failure continues.