

**AGRICULTURAL PESTS ACT, 1983
(ACT No. 36 OF 1983)**

REGULATIONS: AMENDMENT

I, Lulama Xingwana, Minister of Agriculture, acting under section 16 of the Agricultural Pests Act, 1983 (Act No. 36 of 1983), hereby amend the regulations set out in the Schedule.

L. Xingwana
Minister of Agriculture

***Amendment of fees payable.**

SCHEDULE**Definition**

1. In this Schedule "the Regulations" means the regulations published by Government Notice No. R. 111 of 27 January 1984, as amended by Government Notices Nos. R. 2573 of 15 November 1985, R. 2350 of 14 November 1986, R. 100 of 16 January 1987, R. 1521 of 14 July 1989, R. 75 of 18 January 1991, R. 1637 of 27 October 1995, R. 1471 of 20 November 1998, R. 665 of 28 May 1999, R. 614 of 23 June 2000, R. 396 of 18 May 2001, R. 367 of 5 April 2002, R. 464 of 4 April 2003, R. 143 of 9 February 2004, R. 244 of 24 March 2005 and R. 228 of 17 March 2006

Substitution of Table 1 of the Regulations

2. Table 1 of the Regulations is hereby substituted with the following table:

TABLE 1

FEES PAYABLE

NATURE OF SERVICE	TARIFF
1	2
<p>1. Examination, at a time other than during the official hours of the executive officer, of controlled goods imported into the Republic. [Reg. 5 (2) of the Regulations]</p> <p>(i) Weekdays from 16:00 – 20:00 / 06:00 – 07:30 and Saturdays from 06:00 – 20:00</p> <p>(ii) Weekdays and Saturdays from 20:00 – 06:00, Sundays and public holidays</p>	<p>R165,00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof.</p> <p>R220,00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof.</p>
<p>2. Inspection of a quarantine area in respect of which an application, adaptation or withdrawal has been submitted. [Reg. 8 (a) of the Regulations]</p>	<p>R 110,00 per 30 minutes or portion thereof.</p>
<p>3. Test, examination or analysis of a sample taken in the course of the inspection of a quarantine area [Reg. 8 (b)]:</p> <p>(i) Test for occurrence of bacteria</p> <p>(ii) Test for occurrence of fungi</p> <p>(iii) Test for occurrence of phytoplasmas:</p> <p>(aa) PCR test</p> <p>(bb) ELISA test</p> <p>(cc) Hardwood indexing</p> <p>(iv) (aa) Test for occurrence of insects</p> <p>(bb) PCR test</p> <p>(v) Test for occurrence of viruses:</p> <p>(aa) ELISA test</p> <p>(bb) Herbaceous indexing</p> <p>(cc) Hardwood indexing</p> <p>(dd) RT-PCR</p> <p>(ee) ISEM</p> <p>(ff) Electron microscopy</p> <p>(vi) (aa) Test for occurrence of nematodes</p> <p>(bb) PCR test</p>	<p>R 265,00 per test</p> <p>R 240,00 per test</p> <p>R 275,00 per test</p> <p>R 63,00 per test</p> <p>R 250,00 per test</p> <p>R 135,00 per test</p> <p>R 230,00 per test</p> <p>R 63,00 per test</p> <p>R 111,00 per sample</p> <p>R 250,00 per sample</p> <p>R 230,00 per test</p> <p>R 190,00 per sample</p> <p>R 322,00 per test .</p> <p>R 155,00 per test</p> <p>R 230,00 per test</p>
<p>4. Appeal in terms of section 11 of the Act [Reg. 9 (3) of the Regulations]</p>	<p>R 3 600,00 per appeal</p>

This amendment will come into operation on 1 April 2007.