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REVISED REGULATIONS OF SASKATCHEWAN

CHAPTER G-5.1 REG 112

The Government Organization Act

Section 12

Order in Council 823/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Information Technology Office Regulations*.

Information Technology Office established

2 The department of the Government of Saskatchewan called the Information Technology Office is established.

Objects and purposes

3 The objects and purposes of the Information Technology Office are:

- (a) to provide the structure wherein and whereby the powers, responsibilities and functions of the Minister Responsible for Information Technology may be exercised and carried out;
- (b) to develop, promote and implement policies and programs of the Government of Saskatchewan relating to information technology and information management;
- (c) to develop, procure and provide goods and services related to information technology and information management on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan and to charge departments for those goods and services;
- (d) to co-ordinate, develop and implement policies and programs of the Government of Saskatchewan relating to telecommunications, broadband, broadcasting and cable services;
- (e) to develop, implement, monitor and enforce security policies and standards of the Government of Saskatchewan respecting information technology and information management;
- (f) to develop, promote and implement policies and programs of the Government of Saskatchewan relating to geomatics; and
- (g) to co-ordinate, develop and manage the Government of Saskatchewan's worldwide website on the Internet.

Coming into force

4 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

CHAPTER G-5.1 REG 113*The Government Organization Act*

Section 12

Order in Council 822/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Department of Northern Affairs Regulations*.

Northern Affairs Department established

2 The department of the Government of Saskatchewan called the Department of Northern Affairs is established.

Objects and purposes

3 The objects and purposes of the Department of Northern Affairs are:

- (a) to provide the structure wherein and whereby the powers, responsibilities and functions of the Minister of Northern Affairs may be exercised and carried out;
- (b) to promote the economic and social development of northern Saskatchewan;
- (c) to co-ordinate, develop, promote and implement policies and programs of the Government of Saskatchewan that support and encourage the economic and social development of northern Saskatchewan;
- (d) to promote, develop and implement economic policies and programs of the Government of Saskatchewan that relate specifically to the development of northern Saskatchewan in collaboration with other departments;
- (e) to assess policy decisions of the Government of Saskatchewan for their impact on the development of northern Saskatchewan;
- (f) to identify, assess and promote opportunities and new initiatives for development in northern Saskatchewan in collaboration with other departments, communities in northern Saskatchewan, the Government of Canada, industries and organizations;
- (g) to co-ordinate with other departments the negotiation and administration of surface lease agreements for mines in northern Saskatchewan;
- (h) to co-ordinate programs and activities of the Government of Saskatchewan to monitor uranium mining developments and operations in northern Saskatchewan; and
- (i) to co-ordinate, develop and implement an integrated approach to communications by and with the Government of Saskatchewan in northern Saskatchewan.

Coming into force

4 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

CHAPTER V-2.1 REG 21*The Vehicle Administration Act*

Section 97

Order in Council 825/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Licence Plate Display Regulations*.

Interpretation

2 In these regulations, “**authority**” means any province or territory of Canada, state of the United States of America, any other country or jurisdiction within a country, or any international organization of countries.

Prohibition

3(1) Subject to subsections (2) and (3), no person shall display on the front of a vehicle registered in Saskatchewan:

- (a) a licence plate issued by Saskatchewan, unless:
 - (i) the vehicle predates 1977 and the licence plate predates 1977;
 - (ii) the licence plate is identical to the licence plate displayed on the rear of the vehicle; or
 - (iii) the vehicle is a power unit or snowmobile;
 - (b) an outdated licence plate issued by an authority other than Saskatchewan;
 - (c) a valid licence plate issued by an authority other than Saskatchewan, unless:
 - (i) the use of the licence plate is permitted by the licensing or registration office in that authority; and
 - (ii) the licence plate is identical to the licence plate issued by the authority that is displayed on the rear of the vehicle; or
 - (d) a novelty item that replicates or looks like a licence plate issued by Saskatchewan or another authority.
- (2) If the administrator approves a licence plate for use on the front of a vehicle, that licence plate may be displayed on the front of the vehicle.
- (3) Subsection (1) does not apply if:
- (a) the vehicle predates 1977; and
 - (b) the licence plate:
 - (i) is a licence plate that predates 1977 issued by an authority other than Saskatchewan; or
 - (ii) is a novelty item that replicates or looks like a licence plate that predates 1977 issued by Saskatchewan or another authority.

R.R.S. c.V-2.1 Reg 5 repealed

4 *The Licence Plate Display Exemption Regulations* are repealed.

Coming into force

5 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 114/2004*The Securities Act, 1988*

Section 154

Commission Order dated November 17, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Securities Commission (Adoption of National Instruments) Amendment Regulations, 2004 (No. 5)*.

R.R.S. c.S-42.2 Reg 3, Part XIII amended

2(1) Part XIII of *The Securities Commission (Adoption of National Instruments) Regulations* is amended in the manner set forth in this section.

(2) Section 1.1 is amended:

(a) by repealing the definition of “auditor’s report”;

(b) by repealing the definition of “executive officer” and substituting the following:

“**executive officer**”, with respect to a person or company, means an individual who is:

- (a) a chair of the person or company;
- (b) a vice-chair of the person or company;
- (c) the president of the person or company;
- (d) a vice-president of the person or company in charge of a principal business unit, division or function including sales, finance or production;
- (e) an officer of the person or company or any of its subsidiaries, who performed a policy-making function in respect of the person or company;
- or
- (f) any other individual who performed a policy-making function in respect of the person or company”;

(c) by repealing the definitions of “foreign auditor’s report”, “foreign GAAP”, “foreign GAAS”;

(d) by adding the following definition after the definition of “investee”:

“**issuer’s GAAP**” means the accounting principles used to prepare an issuer’s financial statements, as permitted by NI 52-107”;

(e) by adding the following definition after the definition of “NI 51-102”:

“**NI 52-107**” means National Instrument 52-107 *Acceptable Accounting Principles, Auditing Standards and Reporting Currency*”;

(f) by adding the following definition after the definition of “underlying interest”:

“‘US GAAP’ means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America that the SEC has identified as having substantial authoritative support as supplemented by Regulation S-X and S-B under the 1934 Act”; and

(g) by repealing the definition of “U.S. GAAS”.

(3) Subsection 1.2(9) is repealed and the following substituted:

“(9) For the purposes of the significance tests in subsections (2) and (3), financial statements of the business or related businesses must be reconciled to the accounting principles used to prepare the issuer’s financial statements and translated into the same reporting currency as that used in the issuer’s financial statements”.

(4) Section 4.12 is amended by striking out “shall be accompanied by an auditor’s report without a reservation of opinion” and substituting “must be audited”.

(5) Sections 4.13 and 4.14 are repealed and the following substituted:

“4.13 Exception to Audit Requirement for Interim Financial Statements of a Business – Despite section 4.12, interim financial statements of a business included in a short form prospectus under this Part do not have to be audited.

“4.14 Exception to Audit Requirement for Recent Financial Statements of a Business – Despite section 4.12, an issuer may omit from its short form prospectus an audit report for the annual financial statements referred to in subsection 4.8(3) if the financial statements have not been audited”.

(6) Section 4.15 is amended:

(a) in the portion preceding paragraph (a) by striking out “auditor’s report” and substituting “audit report”;

(b) in paragraph (a) by striking out “auditor’s report” and substituting “audit report”; and

(c) by repealing paragraph (b) and substituting the following:

“(b) the financial statements have not been audited”.

(7) Section 5.6 is amended by striking out “shall be accompanied by an auditor’s report without a reservation of opinion” and substituting “must be audited”.

(8) Sections 5.7 and 5.8 are repealed and the following substituted:

“5.7 Exception to Audit Requirement for Interim Financial Statements of a Business – Despite section 5.6, interim financial statements of a business included in a short form prospectus under this Part do not have to be audited.

“5.8 Exception to Audit Requirement for Recent Financial Statements of a Business – Despite section 5.6, an issuer may omit from its short form prospectus an audit report for the annual financial statements referred to in subsection 5.3(2) if the financial statements have not been audited”.

(9) The title to Part 7 is repealed and the following substituted:

“PART 7 AUDIT REQUIREMENT FOR FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF AN ISSUER”.

(10) Sections 7.1 and 7.2 are repealed and the following substituted:

“7.1 Audit Requirement – The financial statements of an issuer included in a short form prospectus must be audited”.

(11) Sections 7.3 to 7.5 are repealed and the following substituted:

“7.3 Exception to Audit Requirement – Despite section 7.1, the following financial statements do not have to be audited:

1. Comparative interim financial statements required to be incorporated by reference under paragraph (1)3 of Item 12.1 or paragraph 2 of 12.2 of Form 44-101F3.
2. The comparative annual financial statements of the issuer for the most recently completed financial year if:
 - (a) the financial statements are required to be incorporated by reference in a short form prospectus solely by reason of paragraph (1) 5 of Item 12.1 of Form 44-101F3;
 - (b) the auditor of the issuer has not issued an audit report on the financial statements; and
 - (c) comparative financial statements for the year preceding the most recently completed financial year are audited and are included in the short form prospectus.
3. The comparative interim financial statements of a credit supporter required to be incorporated by reference under Item 13.2 of Form 44-101F3.

(12) Paragraph (b) of section 10.2 is amended:

(a) in item 6 by striking out “auditor’s report” and substituting “audit report”; and

(b) by repealing item 7.

(13) Form 44-101F3 *Short Form Prospectus* is amended:

(a) in paragraph (c) of subsection 7.1(2) by striking out “in the Handbook” and substituting “in accordance with the issuer’s GAAP”;

(b) in paragraph (d) of subsection 7.1(2) by striking out “in the Handbook” and substituting “in accordance with the issuer’s GAAP”;

(c) in subsection 7.1(3) by striking out “under Canadian GAAP”;

(d) in paragraph (2)(d) of the Instructions following item 7 by striking out “generally accepted accounting principles” and substituting “the issuer’s GAAP”;

(e) in subsection 12.1(3):

(i) by repealing paragraph (b) and substituting the following:

“(b) is required by subsection 4.1(1) of NI 52-107 to provide a reconciliation to Canadian GAAP”; and

(ii) in paragraph (c):

(A) by striking out “other than in accordance with Canadian GAAP” and substituting “in accordance with US GAAP”; and

(B) by striking out “foreign GAAP” and substituting “US GAAP”; and

(f) by repealing item 20 substituting the following:

“**20.1 Reconciliation to Canadian GAAP** – If the short form prospectus includes financial statements not prepared in accordance with Canadian GAAP and the short form prospectus does not include a reconciliation to Canadian GAAP, include any reconciliation to Canadian GAAP required under NI 52-107”.

Coming into force

3(1) Subject to subsection (2) these regulations come into force on January 4, 2005.

(2) If these regulations are filed with the Registrar of Regulations after January 4, 2005, these regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 115/2004

The Government Organization Act

Section 12

Order in Council 821/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Department of Industry and Resources Amendment Regulations, 2004*.

R.R.S. c.G-5.1 Reg 98, section 3 amended

2 Subsections 3(2) and (3) of *The Department of Industry and Resources Regulations* are repealed.

Coming into force

3 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 116/2004

The Saskatchewan Assistance Act

Section 14

Order in Council 824/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Transitional Employment Allowance Amendment Regulations, 2004*.

R.R.S. c.S-8 Reg 5, section 14 amended

2 Subsection 14(5) of *The Transitional Employment Allowance Regulations* is amended by adding the following clause after clause (c):

“(d) the date of a client’s application for a transitional employment allowance”.

Coming into force

3 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 117/2004

The Farm Financial Stability Act

Sections 22, 24, 33 and 84

Order in Council 826/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Canada Saskatchewan BSE Recovery Program (No. 2) Amendment Regulations, 2004 (No. 4)*.

R.R.S. c.F-8.001 Reg 25 amended

2 *The Canada Saskatchewan BSE Recovery Program Regulations, 2003 (No. 2)* are amended in the manner set forth in these regulations.

Section 2 amended

3(1) Clause 2(1)(d) is amended:

(a) by striking out “and” after subclause (iii.1);

(b) by adding the following after subclause (iii.1):

“(iii.2) in Part V.3, a feeder who applies for a fed cattle set-aside payment;

“(iii.3) in Part V.4, a feeder who applies for a feeder calf set-aside payment; and”; and

(c) in subclause (iv) by striking out “(iii.1)” and substituting “(iii.3)”.

(2) **Clause 2(1)(e) is amended:**

(a) **by striking out “and” after subclause (iii);**

(b) **by adding the following after subclause (iv):**

“(v) in Part V.3, an application for a fed cattle set-aside payment that is submitted pursuant to section 20.86; and

“(vi) in Part V.4, an application for a feeder calf set-aside payment that is submitted pursuant to section 20.91; and”.

(3) **The following clauses are added after clause 2(1)(g):**

“(g.01) **‘backgrounder’** means an owner of beef calves born in 2004 from cows owned by Saskatchewan residents that are in inventory as of December 1, 2004;

“(g.02) **‘beef cow owner’** means an owner of beef cows that calved or will calve in 2004”.

(4) **The following subclauses are added after subclause 2(1)(j)(v):**

“(vi) with respect to the fed cattle set-aside program, heifers weighing at least 453.60 kilograms or 1000 pounds or having a minimum average lot weight of 544.21 kilograms or 1200 pounds and steers weighing at least 498.86 kilograms or 1100 pounds or having a minimum average lot weight of 589.56 kilograms or 1300 pounds that:

(A) are of the genus species *Bos taurus* or *Bos indicus* (cattle);

(B) meet the criteria set out in subsection (2);

(C) have been accepted into the program through an enrolled bid; and

(D) were eligible to be sold directly in Canada for slaughter and are expected to grade A;

“(vii) with respect to the feeder calf set-aside program, beef calves of the genus species *Bos taurus* or *Bos indicus* (cattle) born in 2004 that are owned by the applicant”.

(5) **The following clauses are added after clause 2(1)(j):**

“(j.01) **‘enrolled bid’** means a bid accepted by the federal auction manager to set-aside eligible livestock based on the feeder’s daily feed costs;

“(j.02) **‘fed cattle set-aside payment’** means a payment approved pursuant to section 20.88;

“(j.03) **‘fed cattle set-aside program’** means the fed cattle set-aside program established pursuant to section 3”.

(6) **The following clause is added after clause 2(1)(j.2):**

“(j.3) **‘federal auction manager’** means an individual appointed by the federal government to manage the taking, recording, ranking and documenting of bids pursuant to Part V.3”.

(7) Clause 2(1)(k) is amended:

(a) in subclause (i):

(i) by striking out “and” after paragraph (B); and

(ii) by repealing paragraph (C) and substituting the following:

“(C) for the purposes of the assistance program, incentive program, set-aside program, fed livestock competitive market adjustment program and cull animal program owns, before May 20, 2003, eligible livestock that are the subject of an application; and

“(D) is not an owner of or shareholder in a beef packing facility that is licensed pursuant to the *Meat Inspection Act* (Canada)”.

(b) in subclause (ii):

(i) by striking out “and” after paragraph (A); and

(ii) by repealing paragraph (B) and substituting the following:

“(B) for the purposes of the assistance program, incentive program, set-aside program, fed livestock competitive market adjustment program and cull animal program owns, before May 20, 2003, eligible livestock that are the subject of an application; and

“(C) is not an owner of or shareholder in a beef packing facility that is licensed pursuant to the *Meat Inspection Act* (Canada)”.

(8) The following clauses are added after clause 2(1)(l):

“(1.1) ‘**feeder calf set-aside payment**’ means a payment approved pursuant to section 20.93;

“(1.2) ‘**feeder calf set-aside program**’ means the feeder calf set-aside program established pursuant to section 3”.

(9) The following clauses are added after clause 2(1)(q):

“(q.1) ‘**lot**’ means a group of fed cattle eligible for the fed cattle set-aside program;

“(q.2) ‘**management committee**’ means the committee of representatives of Canada, Saskatchewan and other participating provinces established pursuant to the Canada - Saskatchewan Agreement Establishing the BSE Recovery Program Amending Agreement No. 3”.

(10) Subclause 2(1)(t)(i) is amended by adding “or the feeder calf set-aside program” after “the set-aside program”.

(11) Clause 2(1)(u) is amended in the portion preceding subclause (i) by adding “and the feeder calf set-aside program” after “the set-aside program”.

(12) Clause 2(1)(w) is repealed and the following substituted:

“(w) **‘Saskatchewan resident’** means:

- (i) an individual who is a Canadian resident who:
 - (A) filed an income tax return respecting farm income in Saskatchewan in the year preceding the year for which an application is made; or
 - (B) filed or will file an income tax return respecting farm income in Saskatchewan for the year for which an application is made;
- (ii) an Indian band whose reserve lands are in Saskatchewan; or
- (iii) a corporation, communal organization, partnership or co-operative:
 - (A) that is registered to carry on business in Saskatchewan;
 - (B) of which a majority of its shares or membership interests are owned by persons that meet the criteria in subclause (i); and
 - (C) that:
 - (I) filed an income tax return respecting farm income in Saskatchewan in the year preceding the year for which an application is made; or
 - (II) filed or will file an income tax return respecting farm income in Saskatchewan for the year for which an application is made”.

(13) The following clause is added after clause 2(1)(x):

“(x.1) **‘set-aside period’** means the period for which eligible livestock must be held from slaughter”.

(14) Clause 2(2)(a) is amended by adding “for the purposes of the assistance program, incentive program, set-aside program, fed livestock competitive market adjustment program and cull animal program,” before “as of”.

(15) The following clauses are added after clause 2(2)(e):

- “(f) in the case of the fed cattle set-aside program, the eligible livestock are set-aside from sale and slaughter until the earliest of:
- (i) a period of up to 120 days as determined by the minister from the day the feeder is advised that the federal auction manager has accepted the feeder’s bid;
 - (ii) the date confirmed by the minister pursuant to subsection (3); and
 - (iii) the date determined by the minister pursuant to subsection 21(1) as the date that the moneys in the account have been fully utilized;

- “(g) in the case of the feeder calf set-aside program, the eligible livestock are:
- (i) born in 2004;
 - (ii) owned by the feeder; and
 - (iii) set-aside:
 - (A) from sale until the earlier of:
 - (I) March 31, 2005; and
 - (II) the date confirmed by the minister pursuant to subsection (3);
 - (B) from slaughter until the earlier of:
 - (I) whichever of October 1, 2005 or January 1, 2006 the producer chooses on an application form provided by the minister; and
 - (II) the date confirmed by the minister pursuant to subsection (3)”.

(16) Subsection 2(3) is amended by adding “, clause (2)(f), clause (2)(g)” after “subclause (2)(d)(i)”.

Section 3 amended

4 The following subsections are added after subsection 3(5):

“(6) The fed cattle set-aside program is established to sustain the beef industry by managing the supply of animals going to packers and feedlots until a planned increase in slaughter capacity is introduced.

“(7) The feeder calf set-aside program is established to sustain the beef industry by managing the supply of current year beef calves going to market”.

Section 4 amended

5(1) Subsection 4(2) is amended:

(a) in clause (a) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”; and

(b) in clause (b) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”.

(2) Subsection 4(3) is amended:

(a) in subclause (b)(i) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”; and

(b) in clause (d) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”.

(3) Subsection 4(4) is amended by striking out “and cull animal payments” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payments, feeder calf set-aside payments and cull animal payments”.

(4) Subsection 4(5) is amended by striking out “and the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program and the cull animal program”.

Section 5 amended

6(1) Clause 5(1)(b) is amended by striking out “and the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program and the cull animal program”.

(2) Subsection 5(2) is amended:

(a) in the portion preceding clause (a) by striking out “and the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program and the cull animal program”;

(b) in subclause (b)(ii) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”.

(3) Subsection 5(3) is amended:

(a) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”;

(b) in clause (a) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”;

(c) in subclause (e)(i) by striking out “and the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program and the cull animal program”;

(d) in subclause (e)(ii):

(i) by striking out “or” after paragraph (D); and

(ii) by adding the following after paragraph (E):

“(F) fed cattle set-aside payments; or

“(G) feeder calf set-aside payments”; **and**

(e) in clause (f) by striking out “or the cull animal program” and substituting “, the fed cattle set-aside program, the feeder calf set-aside program or the cull animal program”.

New Parts V.3 and V.4

7 The following Parts are added after section 20.85:

**“PART V.3
Fed Cattle Set-aside Program**

“Application for fed cattle set-aside payment

20.86(1) A feeder who wishes to apply for a fed cattle set-aside payment must apply to the minister on an application form supplied by the minister.

(2) On an application form submitted pursuant to subsection (1), the applicant must:

- (a) declare that he or she is the owner of the eligible livestock that are the subject of the application;
- (b) specify the number of eligible livestock that are the subject of the application and the total net live weight of those eligible livestock;
- (c) provide any evidence that the minister may require to determine, to the satisfaction of the minister, that the livestock mentioned in the application are eligible livestock;
- (d) declare that no other application for assistance has been made or is to be made during the same set-aside period for the eligible livestock that are the subject of the application pursuant to any other, similar government program offered by the Government of Saskatchewan or by the government of any other province or territory of Canada that provides assistance with respect to eligible livestock;
- (e) provide the minister with any evidence that the minister may require to determine, to the satisfaction of the minister, the following:
 - (i) the applicant’s province or territory of residency and, if appropriate, the applicant’s age;
 - (ii) the applicant’s compliance with these regulations;
 - (iii) the applicant’s eligibility for a fed cattle set-aside payment; and
 - (iv) the amount of any fed cattle set-aside payment to be paid to the applicant; and
- (f) provide the minister with any evidence or information in addition to that mentioned in clauses (a) to (e) that the minister may require for the purposes of:
 - (i) substantiating the applicant’s eligibility;
 - (ii) determining the amount of a fed cattle set-aside payment to the applicant;
 - (iii) verifying the applicant’s compliance with these regulations; or
 - (iv) administering the fed cattle set-aside program.

(3) If the applicant is a corporation, co-operative, partnership, communal organization or Indian band, for the purposes of verifying residency and compliance with these regulations, the applicant on its application must provide, if requested by the minister:

- (a) the names of its shareholders, partners or members; and
- (b) evidence respecting the shareholders, partners or members that the minister may require to determine the eligibility of the applicant for a fed cattle set-aside payment.

“Time limit for submitting applications under fed cattle set-aside program

20.87(1) Subject to subsection (2), an application must be received by the minister or postmarked within seven days after the feeder is notified that the feeder’s eligible livestock are accepted into the program.

(2) The minister may consider an application received or postmarked after the seven-day period if:

- (a) the minister is satisfied that extenuating circumstances exist making it unreasonable or impossible for the application to have been received or postmarked within the seven-day period; or
- (b) a review committee has been established and the review committee determines that extenuating circumstances exist and recommends to the minister that the application be considered.

“Approval of application for fed cattle set-aside payment

20.88(1) Subject to subsections (2) and (3) and section 21, if the minister is satisfied that an applicant meets the eligibility requirements set out in these regulations and has complied with these regulations, the minister may approve a fed cattle set-aside payment to the applicant.

(2) Not more than one fed cattle set-aside payment is payable with respect to the same eligible livestock in the same set-aside period.

(3) An applicant is not entitled to receive any fed cattle set-aside payments during the same set-aside period with respect to eligible livestock that are the subject of an application if the applicant has applied for or received any payment with respect to the eligible livestock pursuant to any other, similar government program offered by the Government of Saskatchewan or by the government of any other province or territory of Canada that provides assistance with respect to eligible livestock.

“Amount and terms of fed cattle set-aside payment

20.89(1) The amount of an applicant’s fed cattle set-aside payment is the amount AP calculated in accordance with the following formula:

$$AP = TEL \times EB \times N$$

where:

TEL is the total number of eligible livestock;

EB is the enrolled bid for the set-aside period; and

N is the number of days the eligible livestock are set-aside as determined in accordance with clause 2(2)(f).

- (2) As a condition of receiving a fed cattle set-aside payment, the applicant must agree:
- (a) to tag the eligible livestock in the manner required by the minister; and
 - (b) to withhold the eligible livestock from sale and slaughter for a period established in accordance with clause 2(2)(f) starting on the day the feeder was advised the enrolled bid was accepted.
- (3) Any fed cattle set-aside payment to be paid is to be paid after the set-aside period.
- (4) The minister may impose any additional terms and conditions on a fed cattle set-aside payment that the minister considers appropriate.
- (5) No person who is the subject of terms or conditions imposed pursuant to subsection (4) shall fail to comply with any term or condition.
- (6) Failure to comply with these regulations may result, at the minister's discretion, in forfeiture of any or all entitlement to payment under the fed cattle set-aside program.
- (7) The set-aside period ends and no further payments will be made as of the date confirmed by the minister that the Canada/United States border is re-opened to the export of live cattle of up to 30 months of age at the time of sale, pursuant to subsection 2(3).
- (8) No applicant is entitled to payment under the fed cattle set-aside program if the moneys in the account have been fully utilized pursuant to subsection 21(1).

“Restrictions on transfer or assignment of fed cattle set-aside payments

- 20.9(1)** No transfer or assignment of a fed cattle set-aside payment is valid unless it has been granted a prior written approval by the minister.
- (2) An applicant who wishes to transfer or assign a fed cattle set-aside payment shall:
- (a) apply for approval to the minister on a form provided by the minister; and
 - (b) supply the minister with any additional information that the minister may reasonably require to determine whether or not to approve the transfer or assignment.
- (3) The minister may refuse to approve more than one transfer or assignment of a fed cattle set-aside payment.
- (4) If the minister approves a transfer or assignment, the minister may impose any terms and conditions that the minister considers appropriate on the approval.
- (5) No person who is subject to an approval granted pursuant to this section shall fail to comply with any term or condition imposed by the minister on the approval.

(6) Notwithstanding that the minister has approved a transfer or assignment of a fed cattle set-aside payment pursuant to this section, the minister may deduct or set-off from the fed cattle set-aside payment the amount of any debt of, or other moneys owing by, the applicant to whom the fed cattle set-aside payment is payable to:

- (a) the Crown in right of Canada; or
- (b) the Crown in right of Saskatchewan.

**“PART V.4
Feeder Calf Set-aside Program**

“Application for feeder calf set-aside payment

20.91(1) A feeder who wishes to apply for a feeder calf set-aside payment must apply to the minister on an application form supplied by the minister.

(2) On an application form submitted pursuant to subsection (1), the applicant must:

- (a) specify the number of eligible livestock that are owned by the applicant as of December 1, 2004;
- (b) specify the number of beef cows that calved or will calve during 2004 while owned by the applicant;
- (c) provide any evidence that the minister may require to determine, to the satisfaction of the minister, that the applicant is the owner of the eligible livestock that are the subject of the application;
- (d) provide any evidence that the minister may require to determine, to the satisfaction of the minister, that the livestock mentioned in the application are eligible livestock;
- (e) declare that no other application for assistance has been made or is to be made for the eligible livestock that are the subject of the application pursuant to any other, similar government program offered by the Government of Saskatchewan or by the government of any other province or territory of Canada that provides assistance with respect to eligible livestock;
- (f) provide the minister with any evidence that the minister may require to determine, to the satisfaction of the minister, the following:
 - (i) the applicant’s province or territory of residency and, if appropriate, the applicant’s age;
 - (ii) the applicant’s compliance with these regulations;
 - (iii) the applicant’s eligibility for a feeder calf set-aside payment; and
 - (iv) the amount of any feeder calf set-aside payment to be paid to the applicant; and

- (g) provide the minister with any evidence or information in addition to that mentioned in clauses (a) to (f) that the minister may require for the purposes of:
- (i) substantiating the applicant's eligibility;
 - (ii) determining the amount of a feeder calf set-aside payment to the applicant;
 - (iii) verifying the applicant's compliance with these regulations; or
 - (iv) administering the feeder calf set-aside program.
- (3) If the applicant is a corporation, co-operative, partnership, communal organization or Indian band, for the purposes of verifying residency and compliance with these regulations, the applicant on its application must provide, if requested by the minister:
- (a) the names of its shareholders, partners or members; and
 - (b) evidence respecting the shareholders, partners or members that the minister may require to determine the eligibility of the applicant for a feeder calf set-aside payment.

“Time limit for submitting applications under feeder calf set-aside program

20.92(1) Subject to subsection (2), an application must be received by the minister on or before December 15, 2004 or, in the case of an application that is mailed, must be postmarked on or before December 15, 2004.

(2) The minister may consider an application received or postmarked after December 15, 2004 if:

- (a) the minister is satisfied that extenuating circumstances exist making it unreasonable or impossible for the application to have been received or postmarked on or before December 15, 2004; or
- (b) a review committee has been established and the review committee determines that extenuating circumstances exist and recommends to the minister that the application be considered.

“Approval of application for a feeder calf set-aside payment

20.93(1) Subject to subsections (2) and (3) and section 21, if the minister is satisfied that an applicant meets the eligibility requirements set out in these regulations and has complied with these regulations, the minister may approve a feeder calf set-aside payment to the applicant.

(2) Not more than one feeder calf set-aside payment is payable with respect to the same eligible livestock.

(3) An applicant is not entitled to receive any feeder calf set-aside payments with respect to eligible livestock that are the subject of an application if the applicant has applied for or received any payment with respect to the eligible livestock pursuant to any other, similar government program offered by the Government of Saskatchewan or by the government of any other province or territory of Canada that provides assistance with respect to eligible livestock.

“Amount and terms of feeder calf set-aside payment

20.94(1) For an applicant applying as a beef cow owner, the amount of the applicant's feeder calf set-aside payment is the amount P calculated in accordance with the following formulas:

- (a) for an October 1, 2005 set-aside period:

$$P = (\text{NEL} \times 0.30) \times \$160$$

where NEL is the number of beef cows owned by the applicant that calved or will calve in 2004; and

- (b) for a January 1, 2006 set-aside period:

$$P = (\text{NEL} \times 0.30) \times \$200$$

where NEL is the number of beef cows owned by the applicant that calved or will calve in 2004.

(2) For an applicant applying as a backgrounder, the amount of the applicant's feeder calf set-aside payment is the amount P calculated in accordance with the following formulas:

- (a) for an October 1, 2005 set-aside period:

$$P = (\text{NEL} \times \text{PP}) \times \$160$$

where:

NEL is the number of Saskatchewan beef calves that are eligible livestock owned by the applicant that were born on or after January 1, 2004 and on or before December 1, 2004; and

PP is a prorated percentage determined by the minister; and

- (b) for a January 1, 2006 set-aside period:

$$P = (\text{NEL} \times \text{PP}) \times \$200$$

where:

NEL is the number of Saskatchewan beef calves that are eligible livestock owned by the applicant that were born on or after January 1, 2004 and on or before December 1, 2004; and

PP is a prorated percentage determined by the minister.

(3) As a condition of receiving a feeder calf set-aside payment, the applicant must agree:

- (a) if applying as a beef cow owner, to tag the number of eligible livestock equal to $\text{NEL} \times 30\%$ in the manner required by the minister;
- (b) if applying as a backgrounder, to tag the number of eligible livestock as determined by the minister;
- (c) to maintain ownership of the eligible livestock until the earlier of March 31, 2005 or a date set by the minister;
- (d) to apply as either a beef cow owner or backgrounder whichever will result in a higher number of beef calves that are eligible livestock enrolled in the program; and

- (e) to either:
- (i) hold the livestock from slaughter until whichever of October 1, 2005 or January 1, 2006 the applicant chose pursuant to subparagraph 2(2)(g)(iii)(B)(I); or
 - (ii) if the eligible livestock are to be sold to a purchaser on or after March 31, 2005:
 - (A) execute a written purchase contract, in a form acceptable to the minister, with the purchaser;
 - (B) include in the purchase contract mentioned in paragraph (A) a condition that the purchaser must withhold the eligible livestock from slaughter until whichever of October 1, 2005 or January 1, 2006 the applicant chose pursuant to subparagraph 2(2)(g)(iii)(B)(I); and
 - (C) forward an executed copy of the purchase contract mentioned in subclause (A) to the minister within five days after executing the purchase contract.
- (4) The minister may impose any terms and conditions on a feeder calf set-aside payment that the minister considers appropriate.
- (5) No person who is the subject of terms or conditions imposed pursuant to subsection (4) shall fail to comply with any term or condition.
- (6) Failure to comply with these regulations may result, at the minister's discretion, in forfeit of any or all entitlement to payment under the feeder calf set-aside program.
- (7) The set-aside period ends and no further payments will be made as of the date confirmed by the minister that the Canada/United States border is re-opened to the export of live cattle of up to 30 months of age at the time of sale, pursuant to subsection 2(3).
- (8) No applicant is entitled to payment under the feeder calf set-aside program if the moneys in the account have been fully utilized pursuant to subsection 21(1).

“No transfer or assignment of feeder calf set-aside payments

20.95 No transfer or assignment of a feeder calf set-aside payment is valid”.

Section 21 amended

8 Subsection 21(1) is amended:

- (a) by striking out “or V.1” and substituting “, V.1, V.3 or V.4”; and
- (b) by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”.

Section 22 amended

9 Subsection 22(1) is amended:

- (a) in the portion preceding clause (a):
 - (i) by striking out “or cull animal program” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside program, feeder calf set-aside program or cull animal program”; and

(ii) by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”;

(b) in subclause (a)(ii) by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”;

(c) in clause (c) by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”; and

(d) in subclause (d)(ii) by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”.

Section 23 amended

10 Subsection 23(1) is amended in the portion preceding clause (a) by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”.

Section 24 amended

11(1) Subsection 24(1) is amended in the portion preceding clause (1)(a) by striking out “or cull animal payments” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payments, feeder calf set-aside payments or cull animal payments”.

(2) Subsection 24(2) is amended by striking out “or cull animal payment” and substituting “, fed cattle set-aside payment, feeder calf set-aside payment or cull animal payment”.

Coming into force

12 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 118/2004

The Uniform Building and Accessibility Standards Act

Section 8

Order in Council 827/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Building and Accessibility Standards Administration Amendment Regulations, 2004*.

R.R.S. c.U-1.2 Reg 6, section 14 amended

2 The following clause is added after clause 14(1)(h) of *The Building and Accessibility Standards Administration Regulations*:

“(i) The Rural Municipality of Blucher No. 343 - January 1, 2005”.

Coming into force

3 These regulations come into force on the day on which they are filed with the Registrar of Regulations.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 119/2004*The Cities Act*

Sections 166, 255, 258, 259, 260 and subsection 359(1)

Order in Council 828/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title**1** These regulations may be cited as *The Cities Amendment Regulations, 2004*.**R.R.S. c.C-11.1 Reg 1 amended****2** *The Cities Regulations* are amended in the manner set forth in these regulations.**Section 13 amended****3 Clause 13(a) is repealed and the following substituted:**

“(a) Non-arable (Range) Land and Improvements - 40%”.

New sections 14 and 15**4 Sections 14 and 15 are repealed and the following substituted:****“Tax phase-in, minimum tax and base tax****14** The following classes of property are established for the purposes of tax phase-in pursuant to subsection 260(4) of the Act, minimum tax pursuant to subsection 258(6) of the Act, and base tax pursuant to subsection 259(7) of the Act:

(a) Agricultural, which includes land and improvements classified as Non-arable (Range) Land and Improvements and Other Agricultural Land and Improvements pursuant to section 12;

(b) Residential, which includes land and improvements classified as Residential, Multi-unit Residential and Seasonal Residential pursuant to section 12;

(c) Commercial and Industrial, which includes land and improvements classified as Commercial and Industrial, Elevators, and Railway Rights of Way and Pipeline pursuant to section 12.

“Mill rate factors**15** The following classes of assessment of property are prescribed for the purposes of mill rate factors pursuant to subsection 255(6) of the Act:

(a) Agricultural, which includes the assessments of land and improvements classified as Non-arable (Range) Land and Improvements and Other Agricultural Land and Improvements pursuant to section 12;

(b) Residential, which includes the assessments of land and improvements classified as Residential, Multi-unit Residential and Seasonal Residential pursuant to section 12;

(c) Commercial and Industrial, which includes the assessments of land and improvements classified as Commercial and Industrial, Elevators, and Railway Rights of Way and Pipeline pursuant to section 12”.

Coming into force**5** These regulations come into force on January 1, 2005.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 120/2004*The Northern Municipalities Act*

Sections 194.02, 229.3, 229.4, 229.5 and 286

Order in Council 829/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Northern Municipality Assessment and Taxation Amendment Regulations, 2004*.

R.R.S. c.N-5.1 Reg 12 amended

2 *The Northern Municipality Assessment and Taxation Regulations* are amended in the manner set forth in these regulations.

Section 4 amended

3 **Clause 4(a) is repealed and the following substituted:**

“(a) NON-ARABLE (RANGE) LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS - 40%”.

Section 5 amended

4 **Clauses 5(b) and (c) are repealed and the following substituted:**

“(b) RESIDENTIAL, which includes land and improvements classified as RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-UNIT RESIDENTIAL and SEASONAL RESIDENTIAL pursuant to section 3”.

Section 6 amended

5 **Clauses 6(b) and (c) are repealed and the following substituted:**

“(b) RESIDENTIAL, which includes the assessments of land and improvements classified as RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-UNIT RESIDENTIAL and SEASONAL RESIDENTIAL pursuant to section 3”.

Coming into force

6 These regulations come into force on January 1, 2005.

SASKATCHEWAN REGULATIONS 121/2004*The Rural Municipality Act, 1989*

Sections 285.2, 330.3, 339.2, 339.3 and 414.1

Order in Council 830/2004, dated December 8, 2004

(Filed December 9, 2004)

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Rural Municipality Assessment and Taxation Amendment Regulations, 2004*.

R.R.S. c.R-26.1 Reg 10 amended

2 *The Rural Municipality Assessment and Taxation Regulations* are amended in the manner set forth in these regulations.

Section 4 amended**3 Clause 4(a) is repealed and the following substituted:**

“(a) NON-ARABLE (RANGE) LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS - 40%”.

Section 5 amended**4 Clauses 5(b) and (c) are repealed and the following substituted:**

“(b) RESIDENTIAL, which includes land and improvements classified as RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-UNIT RESIDENTIAL and SEASONAL RESIDENTIAL pursuant to section 3”.

Section 6 amended**5 Clauses 6(b) and (c) are repealed and the following substituted:**

“(b) RESIDENTIAL, which includes the assessments of land and improvements classified as RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-UNIT RESIDENTIAL and SEASONAL RESIDENTIAL pursuant to section 3”.

Coming into force**6** These regulations come into force on January 1, 2005.

