

REGULATIONS 1970, No. 10*

1803

Regulations under the *Brands Ordinance* 1928-1969

I FREDERICK CHARLES CHANEY, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, having received the advice of the Administrator's Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by the *Brands Ordinance* 1928-1969 and the *Administrator's Council Ordinance* 1959-1963, hereby make the following Regulations.

Dated this eighteenth day of March, 1970.

F. CHANEY
Administrator

AMENDMENTS OF THE BRANDS REGULATIONS†

1. Regulation 2 of the Brands Regulations is amended by inserting after the words—

“Part II.—Horses and Cattle.”

the words—

“Part IIA.—Buffaloes.”

2. Regulation 9 of the Brands Regulations is amended by inserting after sub-regulation (2.) the following sub-regulation:—

Distinctive
brands and
earmarks

“(2A.) A distinctive brand shall be not less than three inches high and three inches wide and not more than five inches high and five inches wide.”

3. Regulation 9A of the Brands Regulations is amended by omitting from paragraph (a) the word “stock” and inserting in its stead the words “cattle and horses”.

Use of
distinctive
brands

4. Regulation 12 of the Brands Regulations is amended—

Positions for
brands

(a) by inserting in sub-regulation (1.) after the word “Brands” the words “on cattle and horses”; and

(b) by omitting from sub-regulation (2.) the word “Stock” and inserting in its stead the words “Cattle and horses”.

* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 25 March, 1970.

† Regulations published in the *Gazette* of North Australia on 8 February, 1929, as amended by regulations notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 18 December, 1931, regulations notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 3 February, 1933, Regulations 1940, No. 3; 1948, No. 4; 1953, No. 2; 1956, No. 4; and 1963, No. 5.

Earmarking
of cattle

5. Regulation 13 of the Brands Regulations is amended—

(a) by omitting from sub-regulation (1.) the word “Stock” and inserting in its stead the word “cattle”; and

(b) by omitting from sub-regulation (2.) the word “stock” and inserting in its stead the word “cattle”.

Registered
earmark to be
made only on
cattle already
branded with
three-letter brand
or distinctive brand
Cull marks
on cattle

6. Regulation 13A of the Brands Regulations is amended by omitting the word “stock” and inserting in its stead the word “cattle”.

7. Regulation 14 of the Brands Regulations is amended—

(a) by omitting from sub-regulation (1.) the word “stock” (twice occurring) and inserting in its stead the word “cattle”; and

(b) by omitting from sub-regulation (3.) the word “stock” and inserting in its stead the word “cattle”.

Repeal of
regulation 34

8. Regulation 34 of the Brands Regulations is repealed.

Fees

9. Regulation 36 of the Brands Regulations is amended by omitting sub-regulation (1.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-regulation:—

“(1.) The following fees shall be paid to the Registrar in respect of matters under the Ordinance and these Regulations:—

	\$
Upon registration of three-letter brand	4.00
Upon registration of distinctive brand or earmark or both	4.00
Upon registration of distinctive numeral brand—for every 100 consecutive numerals comprised in the application	4.00
Upon registration of transfer of three-letter brand	4.00
Upon registration of brand for sheep	2.00
Upon registration of earmark for sheep or swine	2.00
Upon registration of brand for domesticated buffalo	4.00
Upon registration of earmark for domesticated buffalo	4.00”

10. After Part II. of the Brands Regulations the following part is inserted:—

“PART IIA.—BUFFALOES.

Registration of
domesticated
buffalo brands

“14A.—(1.) Any person desirous of registering a domesticated buffalo brand may forward to the Registrar an application in accordance with Form FA for the registration of the brand.

“(2.) Upon receipt of the application, the Registrar may allot a domesticated buffalo brand to the applicant and register it.

"(3.) Upon registration of the brand for domesticated buffalo, the Registrar shall forward to the person to whom he has allotted the domesticated buffalo brand, a certificate in accordance with Form FB, and that person shall be the owner of the domesticated buffalo brand.

"(4.) The Registrar shall not allot more than one domesticated buffalo brand to a person for use on any one run.

"14B.—(1.) The brand for domesticated buffalo shall be—

- (a) one or more letters, conjoined or separated; or
- (b) a symbol not more than four inches high and four inches wide or less than two inches high and two inches wide for a body brand or not more than two inches high and two inches wide or less than one inch high and one inch wide for a horn brand.

Domesticated
buffalo
brands

"(2.) The owner of a domesticated buffalo brand shall, as soon as practicable after receipt by him of the certificate of registration of the domesticated buffalo brand, forward to the Registrar an impression made with the hot branding iron on linen, canvas, cardboard or leather.

"14C.—(1.) The owner of a brand for domesticated buffalo may forward to the Registrar an application in accordance with Form FC for the registration of an earmark for domesticated buffalo.

"(2.) Upon receipt of an application made under this regulation, the Registrar may allot to the applicant an earmark for domesticated buffalo.

"(3.) When the Registrar allots an earmark for domesticated buffalo he shall—

- (a) register the earmark for domesticated buffalo so allotted;
- (b) register the applicant as the owner of the earmark for domesticated buffalo; and
- (c) forward to the person to whom the earmark for domesticated buffalo has been allotted a certificate in accordance with Form FD.

"14D.—(1.) Every registered earmark for domesticated buffalo shall be made upon the ears of domesticated buffalo in the manner, shape and position specified in the certificate of registration of the earmark for domesticated buffalo.

Earmarking of
domesticated
buffalo

"(2.) A registered earmark for domesticated buffalo shall not be made on any buffalo upon which an earmark has already been made.

"(3.) Domesticated buffalo shall not be marked with an earmark more than three inches in length.

"14E.—(1.) Brands for domesticated buffalo shall be made or impressed by a fire brand as follows:—

- (a) every brand for domesticated buffalo shall be made or impressed in one of the positions specified in the Fifth Schedule;
- (b) the horn brand may be used as an alternative to the body brand; and

Positions for
brands for
domesticated
buffalo

Brands Regulations

(c) each subsequent brand shall be made or impressed in the position set forth in the Fifth Schedule as next following upon the position occupied by the preceding brand—position 1 following position 4.

“(2.) Domesticated buffalo shall be deemed to have been last branded with the brand which appears the last brand according to the order of positions prescribed in the Fifth Schedule.

“(3.) Owners shall notify the Registrar of Brands of the position in which they have decided to place the brand for domesticated buffalo and shall not vary the position of the brand without the permission of the Registrar.”.

First Schedule

11.—(1.) The First Schedule to the Brands Regulations is amended—
 (a) by omitting the heading to Form C and inserting in its stead the following heading:—

“APPLICATION FOR DISTINCTIVE BRAND FOR HORSES AND CATTLE AND FOR EARMARK FOR CATTLE”

(b) by omitting the heading to Form D and inserting in its stead the following heading:—

“CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF DISTINCTIVE BRAND FOR HORSES AND CATTLE AND OF EARMARK FOR CATTLE”.

(2.) The First Schedule to the Brands Regulations is amended by inserting after Form F the following forms:—

Regulation 14A (1.) Form FA

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA
Brands Ordinance 1928-1969

APPLICATION FOR BRAND FOR DOMESTICATED BUFFALOES

To the Registrar of Brands, Northern Territory.

I enclose the prescribed fee of Four dollars and request that you allot and register a brand for domesticated buffaloes for my use as mentioned hereunder:—

Name of Applicant in full	Brand required	Run on which brand will be used	Postal address of Applicant
		Branding Position	

I declare that I intend to use this brand for the purpose of branding domesticated buffaloes.

Date

Applicant

Regulation 14A(3.)

Form FB

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Brands Ordinance 1928-1969

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF BRAND FOR DOMESTICATED BUFFALOES

This is to certify that the brand mentioned in the margin hereof was this day registered as the brand of for use on

Run or Holding.

Dated this day of , 19

Registrar of Brands

No. of Certificate

Regulation 14C(1.)

Form FC

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Brands Ordinance 1928-1969

APPLICATION FOR EARMARK FOR DOMESTICATED BUFFALOES

To the Registrar of Brands, Northern Territory.

I, the owner of the Registered Brand for Domesticated Buffaloes mentioned hereunder, enclose the prescribed fee of Four dollars and request that you allot and register an Earmark for Domesticated Buffaloes for my use in respect of the Run mentioned hereunder:—

Brand for Domesticated Buffaloes already Registered	Earmark* Required	Run on which Earmark for Domesticated Buffaloes will be used
	
	
		Postal Address of Applicant
	
	

Date

Applicant

* Earmark desired should be illustrated and described by code.

Regulation 14C(3.)

Form FD

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Brands Ordinance 1928-1969

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF EARMARK FOR DOMESTICATED
BUFFALOES

This is to certify that the Earmark for Domesticated Buffaloes described by diagram and code at the foot hereof was this day duly registered as the Earmark of
for use on

Run or Holding.

Dated this day of , 19

Registrar of Brands

Off Ear

Near Ear



Code

(3.) The First Schedule to the Brands Regulations is amended—

(a) by omitting from Form L the words—

“Three-letter Brand. | Distinctive | Numerals | Distinctive Brand.”

and inserting in their stead the words—

“Three-letter Brand	Distinctive Numerals	Distinctive Brand	Domesticated Buffalo Brand”;
------------------------	-------------------------	----------------------	---------------------------------

(b) by omitting from Form M the words—

“Distinctive Brand”

and inserting in their stead the words—

“Distinctive Brand
Domesticated Buffalo Brand”; and

(c) by omitting from Form N the words—

“Three-letter |
Brand | ”

and inserting in their stead the words—

“Three-letter Brand	Domesticated Buffalo Brand ”.
------------------------	------------------------------------

(4.) The First Schedule to the Brands Regulations is amended by omitting Forms R and S and inserting in their stead the following forms:—

2. Stud Cattle— At the beginning of year Add— purchased during year branded during year TOTAL Less— sold during the year losses from drought, dis- ease, etc, during year TOTAL At end of year TOTAL							
3. Number of Cattle Dips on Holding	Plunge dips						
	Spray dips						
4. Horses—	Station horses— 1 year & older foals under 1 year Stud horses— stallions brood mares TOTAL Turnoff during the year— Station horses stallions Brood mares						
5. Other Livestock	Pigs Goats						
6. Sheep—	Rams, 1 year and over Breeding ewes, 1 year and over (include ewes intended for mating) Other ewes, 1 year and over Wethers, 1 year and over Lambs and hoggets, under 1 year Total number of sheep and lambs						
7. Lambing—season 19	Number of lambs marked during year 19 Number of ewes mated to produce above lambs.						
8. Lambing Forecast season 19	Ewes or ewe lambs mated (or to be mated)						
9. Wool Production —year ended 30 June 19 (Note: include all wool from sheep belonging to holding, wher- ever shorn).	All wool clipped from sheep All wool clipped from lambs Crutchings, etc. Dead Wool TOTAL	No. Shorn Greasy Wool (lbs)					
10. Shearing Machines	Number of stands at 30 June 19						
11. Other Stock slaughtered on holding for rations during year ended 30 June 19	Sheep Lambs Pigs Goats						

	Cows incl. heifers 1 year & over	Calves Under 1 Year			Bulls 1 year & over	Other Buffalo	Total
		Bull Calves	Heifers	Steers			
12. Domesticated Buffaloes—At beginning of year							
Add— purchased during year							
branded during year							
TOTAL							
Less— turnoff							
—fats							
—stores							
slaughtered—							
(a) Licensed station abattoirs							
(b) Station rations							
losses from drought, dis ease, etc.							
TOTAL							
At end of year TOTAL							

I certify that the particulars given in this return are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, complete and correct.

Signed at

by

(Owner or person authorised by him)

Date:

Regulation 32

Form S

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Brands Regulations

RETURN OF BRANDS AND EARMARKS

Period ending 30th June, 19

1. Horse and Cattle Brand	Cattle Earmark	Run on which used	No. branded during year
Branding Position	R L Code		Cattle
.....	R L Code		Horses
2. Sheep and Goat Brand	Sheep and Goat Earmark	Run on which used	
	R L Code		
	R L Code		
3. Buffalo Brand	Buffalo Earmark	Run on which used	No. branded during year

4. Where Stock cross branded during the 12 months ending 30th June, 19 , indicate:

Type of stock i.e. Bulls, Cows, Horses, etc.	Number Branded	Previous Brand	Position of Previous Brand	Cross- brand used	Position of Cross- brand

I, _____, hereby certify that the particulars given in this return are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, complete and correct.

(Owner or person authorized by him)

Date

12. The Fourth Schedule to the Brands Regulations is amended by inserting after the form of Register of Distinctive Numeral Brands the following forms:—

REGISTER OF DOMESTICATED BUFFALO BRANDS

File No.	Cert. No.	Domesticated Buffalo Brand	Name of Owner	Run or Holding	Address	Date of Registration

REGISTER OF DOMESTICATED BUFFALO EARMARKS

File No.	Cert. No.	Domesticated Buffalo Brand	Domesticated Buffalo Earmark	Date of Registration	Name of Owner	Run or Holding	Address

13. After the Fourth Schedule to the Brands Regulations the following Fifth Schedule Schedule is added:—

THE FIFTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 14E(1.)

POSITION AND ORDER OF BRANDS ON BUFFALOES

- Position 1.—Embracing off shoulder
 Position 2.—Embracing off hip or thigh
 Position 3.—Embracing near shoulder
 Position 4.—Embracing near hip or thigh

or

- Position 1.—Off horn
 Position 2.—Near horn

Amendments
in relation to
decimal
currency

14. The Brands Regulations are amended as set out in the following table:—

AMENDMENTS OF THE BRANDS REGULATIONS
IN RELATION TO DECIMAL CURRENCY

Provisions Amended	Omit	Insert
Regulation 13A	Fifty pounds	One hundred dollars
Regulation 37	Fifty pounds	One hundred dollars
First Schedule—		
Form A	Two pounds	Four dollars
Form C	Two pounds	Four dollars
Form E	Two pounds	Four dollars
Form G	One pound	Two dollars
Form J	One pound	Two dollars
Form L	Two pounds	Four dollars