



Biosecurity Amendment Act 2005

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The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

- (1) This Act is the Biosecurity Amendment Act 2005.
- (2) In this Act, the Biosecurity Act 1993 is called “the principal Act”.

2 Commencement

This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

3 Chief technical officers

Section 101 of the principal Act is amended by adding the following subsection:

- “(4) The chief executive (including the Director-General) may not delegate to any person the power to appoint chief technical officers.”

4 Deputy chief technical officers

Section 102 of the principal Act is amended by adding the following subsection:

“(3) The chief executive (including the Director-General) may not delegate to any person the power to appoint deputy chief technical officers.”

5 Delegation to authorised persons

Section 105 of the principal Act is amended by repealing subsection (1), and substituting the following subsection:

- “(1) A principal officer or chief technical officer may delegate to any person any of his or her functions, powers, or duties under this Act, except for—
- “(a) this power of delegation; and
 - “(b) the power to appoint inspectors and authorised persons.”

Legislative history

8 December 2005	Divided from Statutes Amendment Bill (No 5) (Bill 249–2), third reading
14 December 2005	Royal assent

This Act is administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.
