

# Animal Health (Livestock Cleansing) Order, 2014

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13 January 2014

**Date of commencement:**

14 February 2014

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 16 of 2014

**The Animal Health Act, 2010**

(Act No. 27 of 2010)

**The Animal Health (Livestock Cleansing) Order, 2014**

In exercise of the powers contained in section forty of the Animal Health Act, 2010 the following Order is hereby made;

**Title**

1. This Order may be cited as the Animal Health (Livestock Cleansing) Order, 2014.

**Interpretation**

2. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“cleanse ” means maintaining livestock free from tick infestation by using an effective destroying agent, submerging it in a dipping tank, hand dressing (pour-on, tick grease) or spraying; and “ livestock ” has the meaning assigned to it in the Act.

**Declaration of Livestock Cleansing Areas**

3. (1) The areas specified in the Schedule are declared livestock cleansing areas.

(2) An owner of livestock in a livestock cleansing area shall undertake cleansing of livestock infested with ten or more ticks.

**Cleansing Interval for Livestock**

4. (1) Subject to of section forty-twoof the Act, the cleansing of livestock shall be undertaken at regular intervals as specified in this Order.

(2) The interval of cleansing shall be once every fourteen days from 1st June to 31st October and every seven days from 1st November to 31st May.

(3) Veterinary Assistants and dip-tank attendants shall maintain cleansing records which shall state the date, species, number and categories of animals cleansed duringthe prescribed period.

## **SCHEDULE**

(Paragraph 2)

### Livestock Cleansing Areas

The entire territory of Zambia

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5th January. 2014

and Livestock

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