

**Australian Animal Health Council (Live-stock Industries) Funding Act 1996**

No. 45, 1996

**An Act to direct funds to the Australian Animal Health Council, and for related purposes**

[Assented to 25 October 1996]

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

**1 Short title**

This Act may be cited as the Australian Animal Health Council (Live-stock Industries) Funding Act 1996.

**2 Commencement**

This Act commences on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

**3 Definitions**

In this Act:

**Australian Animal Health Council** means the Australian Animal Health Council Limited, A.C.N. 071-890-956.

***Australian* Animal Health Council levy** means a levy or charge the rate of which is set by or under a provision set out in the following table:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Australian Animal Health Council levy** | | |
| **Item** | **Act** | **Provision** |
| 1 | Cattle Export Charges Act 1990 | paragraphs 6A(1)(f), 6A(2)(F),6A(3)(e) |
| 2 | Cattle Transaction Levy Act 1995 | paragraphs 5(1)(f), 5(2)(f) |
| 3 | Laying Chicken Levy Act 1988 | paragraph 7(b) |
| 4 | Live-stock Export Charge Act 1977 | paragraphs 8(d), 9(d) |
| 5 | Live-stock Slaughter Levy Act 1964 | paragraphs 6A(d), 6B(d) |
| 6 | Meat Chicken Levy Act 1969 | paragraph 7(1)(b) |
| 7 | Pig Slaughter Levy Act 1971 | paragraph 6(1)(c) |

**4 Transfer of funds to Australian Animal Health Council**

The Commonwealth is to pay to the Australian Animal Health Council amounts equal to the following amounts:

(a) amounts of Australian Animal Health Council levy collected or received by or on behalf of the Commonwealth on or after 1 July 1996;

(b) amounts paid by way of penalty for non-payment of Australian Animal Health Council levy.

**5. Appropriation**

Amounts payable to the Australian Animal Health Council under section 4 are payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is appropriated accordingly.

[Minister’s second reading speech made in—

House of Representatives on 26 June 1996 Senate on 19 September 1996]