

LIVESTOCK AND MEAT INDUSTRIES ACT
(Cap 36:03)

GRADING OF CARCASSES (AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS, 1992
(Published on 27th November, 1992)

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Livestock and Meat Industries Act, the President of Botswana hereby makes the following Regulations —

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Grading of Carcasses (Amendment) Regulations, 1992.

Citation

2. Regulation 4(2) of the Grading of Carcasses Regulations is amended by substituting for paragraphs (a) to (f) thereof the following new paragraphs —

Amendment
of regulation
4 (2)

(a) Super Grade

The carcasses shall be of good conformation, well finished, well fleshed and derived from steers, heifers or young bulls having not more than 4 permanent incisors; or the carcasses shall be of very good conformation, reasonably finished, reasonably fleshed and derived from steers, heifers or young bulls having not more than 2 permanent teeth.

(b) First Grade

The carcasses shall be of good conformation, reasonably well fleshed and derived from steers, heifers or young bulls having not more than 6 permanent incisors; or the carcasses shall be of good conformation but not so well finished or so well fleshed and derived from steers, heifers or young bulls having not more than 2 permanent incisors; or the carcasses shall be of reasonably good conformation, well finished, well fleshed and derived from steers, heifers, cows or bulls under the apparent age of 5 years.

(c) Second Grade

The carcasses shall be of fairly good conformation, well fleshed but poorly finished, and derived from steers, heifers, cows or bulls of any age.

(d) Third Grade

The carcasses shall be of any age and sex and be of fair conformation, fair fleshing and fair finish, or they shall be of fairly good conformation, fairly good fleshing and poor finish.

(e) Fourth Grade

The carcasses shall be of any age, of poor conformation, poor fleshing and poor finish, but whose meat is fit for manufacturing purposes.

(f) Canning Grade

The carcasses shall be of any age and sex and of very poor conformation, very poor fleshing and very poor finish whose meat is suitable only for canning.”.

MADE this day of , 1992.

Q.K.J. MASIRE,
President of Botswana

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