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Citation

1. This local law may be cited as Gold Coast City Council Local Law No. 20 (Saleyards).

Objects

2. The objects of this local law are to:-
 - (a) regulate saleyards and associated public places for the public sale of animals; and
 - (b) to protect public health and safety; and
 - (c) to provide protection to animals.

Definitions

3. “Authorised Person” means a person authorised by the local government to exercise the powers of an authorised person under this local law.

Saleyards licenses

4. All yards and other places used or intended to be used for the public sale of animals shall be licensed under this local law as saleyards.

Penalty

5. Any person who uses any yard or other place which is not licensed under this local law for the public sale of any animal shall be guilty of an offence.

Maximum Penalty Units: 50 Penalty Units

Application for license

6. There shall be submitted with every application for a license under this local law a plan of the yard or place intended to be used.

Approval or refusal

7. Every such application may be refused by the Council or may be approved conditionally or otherwise.

Fees

8. The fee payable for every licensee under this local law shall be as fixed by Council.

Feed and water

9. The licensee of a saleyard shall arrange for the proper feeding and watering of all animals confined therein.

Maximum Penalty Units: 20 Penalty Units

Diseased animals

10. No person shall bring into any saleyard any animal suffering from any disease which might be communicated to another animal.

Maximum Penalty Units: 20 Penalty Units

Inspection

11. (1) Any Authorised Person may at any time inspect any saleyard and any animal confined therein.
- (2) Any Authorised Person who suspects that any animal confined in any saleyard is suffering from any disease which might be communicated to another animal may direct the removal of such animal from the saleyard.

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