

**Amendment to Fees in Relation to Quota Management Systems—European Union (EU) Sheepmeat and Goatmeat Tariff Rate Quota (TRQ), EU High Quality Beef TRQ and United States (US) Beef and Veal TRQ**

The New Zealand Meat Board has reviewed its existing quota management fee structure for the EU Sheepmeat and Goatmeat TRQ, EU High Quality Beef TRQ and US Beef and Veal TRQ and has determined that manual certification fees payable in respect of these quotas be amended pursuant to section 36 of the Meat Board Act 2004.

A manual certificate fee is payable where a request is made for the issuing of a quota certificate in Wellington, and the request is made otherwise than through the board's electronic certification system.

The amendments to existing quota certification fees are set out below, and will be effective for all manual certificates with an issue date of 1 January 2010 or later:

<b>Certificate Fees (per certificate)</b>	<i>\$ GST excluded</i>		
	<i>EU Sheepmeat and Goatmeat</i>	<i>EU High Quality Beef</i>	<i>US Beef and Veal</i>
Manual Certificate Fee (Wellington)	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Electronic Certificate Fee (Wellington)	No change	No change	No change

All other existing quota management fees remain unaffected.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of November 2009.

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