

SCHEDULE 3

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR KILLING ANIMALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH RELIGIOUS RITES

PART 2

Sheep, goats and bovine animals

Method of killing

5. Any person who kills a sheep, goat or bovine animal in accordance with religious rites without prior stunning must—

- (a) ensure it is killed by the severance of both its carotid arteries and jugular veins by rapid, uninterrupted movements of a hand-held knife; and
- (b) immediately before killing, inspect the knife to be used to ensure it is—
 - (i) undamaged; and
 - (ii) of sufficient size and sharpness to kill the sheep, goat or bovine animal in the manner described in sub-paragraph (a).