

REGULATIONS

Adopted by the SWAN LAKE BAND of Indians

on the 4th day of March 1922

and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor General in Council

on the _____ day of _____ 19

under Subsection (g) of Section 98 of the Indian Act

For the

ESTABLISHMENT OF A POUND AND THE APPOINTMENT OF A POUND-KEEPER
ON THEIR RESERVE

1. It shall not be lawful for any cattle, horses, mules, sheep or pigs, to roam at large, feed or pasture, upon any portion of the Reserve, except such as are placed upon the Reserve for grazing with the knowledge and consent of the Indian Agent, and any so found unlawfully roaming at large, feeding or pasturing, may be impounded and dealt with as provided in the following sections:-
2. The Indian Agent or some one appointed by him shall be pound-keeper for the Reserve.
3. The pound-keeper shall keep a book in which he shall record a description of all animals impounded, with the date of impounding, damage claimed, date redeemed or sold, and disposal of the proceeds.
4. Any one finding any animal on the Reserve, roaming at large, feeding or grazing, in contravention of the foregoing section 1, may deliver same to the pound, whether the owner of such animal be known or not.
5. The pound-keeper shall within two days after the impounding of any animal, have notices posted in at least three conspicuous places on or adjoining the Reserve; if the owner of the impounded animal is known, notice of impounding such animal shall be forwarded to such owner.
6. Sufficient grazing and feed shall be provided for animals impounded.
7. The owner of an animal in said pound may redeem such animal by the payment of fees hereinafter provided.
8. When an animal has not been released from the pound within twenty days after the notice has been posted as provided for in Section 5, the said animal shall be sold by public auction after notice of such sale has been posted eight days in three conspicuous places within reasonable distance of said pound, and at such sale, the pound-keeper, a justice of the peace, or licensed auctioneer, chosen by the Indian Agent, shall be the auctioneer, and such sale shall be held at the pound and shall commence at two o'clock in the afternoon.
9. The proceeds of any impounded animal sold under these regulations shall be applicable in payment,-
 - (a) of any costs and charges attending such sale;
 - (b) of all sustenance fees;
 - (c) of advertising and necessary expenses;
 - (d) of charges for impounding, damages and unpaid grazing dues.and the residue, if any, shall be paid to the owner, or, if not claimed.....

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