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CTO direction to biosecurity inspectors for the clearance of cats and dogs

Pursuant to section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 I, Vicki Melville, Manager Animal Imports, Ministry for Primary Industries (under delegated authority), give the following directions for dogs and cats to be given clearance in accordance with the following measures, different from those in the applicable Import Health Standard for Cats and Dogs:

Clause 1.10 requires documentation is original.

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This direction takes effect from the date of signing and continues in effect until amended or revoked.