

STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Olympia

ORDER NO. 896

(Superseding Orders No. 578 & 767)

Effective November 24, 1962

REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE SALE, DISTRIBUTION AND USE
OF VETERINARY BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS WITHIN THE STATE
OF WASHINGTON

I, Joe Dwyer, Director of Agriculture of the State of Washington by virtue of the authority vested in me under Chapter 16.36, RCW, after due notice as provided under Chapter 34.04 and 42.32, RCW, and a public hearing held in Olympia, on August 20, 1962, do promulgate the following regulations:

Regulation 1. For the purpose of this order "live vaccine" means vaccine the component agents of which are not totally killed. Thus "live vaccine" includes all live, modified live, attenuated or any other processed vaccine containing other than dead agents.

Regulation 2. License or permit to manufacture biological products - All veterinary biological products imported into this State or manufactured within the State of Washington shall be produced under a regular license issued by the Animal Inspection and Quarantine Division, United States Department of Agriculture, or by a special permit issued by the Washington State Department of Agriculture.

Regulation 3. Vaccine outlets restricted - All live vaccines produced under a regular license issued by the Animal Inspection and Quarantine Division, United States Department of Agriculture, or produced under special permit from the Washington State Department of Agriculture may be held for sale by any drug outlet licensed pursuant to Chapter 18.64, RCW, or by any veterinarian licensed pursuant to Chapter 18.92, RCW.

Regulation 4. Purchasing and administering vaccines limited - All live vaccines now in existence or newly developed to combat the following diseases are declared by the director to be of such a nature that their control is necessary to protect public health, to insure accurate diagnosis, and to effectuate State-Federal animal disease control and eradication programs:

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| 1) Anthrax | 8) Foot & Mouth Disease |
| 2) Anaplasmosis | 9) Hog Cholera |
| 3) Bluetongue | 10) Infectious Hepatitis |
| 4) Brucellosis | 11) Rabies |
| 5) Contagious Ecthyma | 12) Rinderpest |
| 6) Distemper | 13) Swine Erysipelas (Avirulent vaccine exempted) |
| 7) Equine Rhinopneumonitis | |

Such vaccines are hereby restricted, and may be purchased and administered only by veterinarians licensed pursuant to Chapter 18.92, RCW, or Federal veterinary personnel. PROVIDED that the director may authorize, by written permit, others to purchase such vaccines for:

- (a) Research agencies or laboratories authorized by the State Department of Agriculture, emergency disease control programs, or other limited and controlled purposes which are not likely to create a hazard to the public health or to the health of livestock, and

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(b) PROVIDED FURTHER that:

The director, in establishing such a permit shall consider:

- (1) Known effectiveness of the vaccine or product, and
- (2) Whether or not the disease for which the product is used or intended to be used is present in this State and to what extent it is present, and
- (3) Degree of isolation of the animals and area, and availability of veterinary service and,
- (4) Any other factor which, having due regard for the properties of the vaccine or product, may constitute a hazard to animal or public health in this state.

Regulation 5. Exempt vaccines - Live vaccines qualified under Regulation 2 of this order prepared for diseases not listed in Regulation 4 of this order may be obtained from any drug outlet licensed pursuant to Chapter 18.64, RCW, or any veterinarian licensed under Chapter 18.92, RCW, by any owner of livestock and administered to his own animals.

Regulation 6. Requirement for sales records and reports - In the interest of public health and good cooperative disease control anyone selling live vaccines must maintain records of such sales for one year. These records must be open for the Department's inspection at any time.

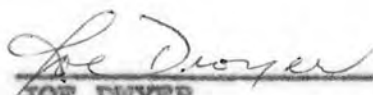
Regulation 7. Reports of disease outbreak by user - Any veterinarian or any other person using live vaccines or any other veterinary biological products must report any suspected or actual disease outbreak to the State Department of Agriculture immediately.

Regulation 8. Order is exclusive control of sales, etc. - No live vaccines shall be handled, purchased, imported, received, sold, or administered by any person except as provided for in this order.

Regulation 9. Penalty provision - Any person, firm or corporation violating any of these regulations shall be guilty of a misdemeanor as set forth in Chapter 16.36, RCW, and each day the violation occurs constitutes a separate offense.

Regulation 10. Repeal of prior orders - This order supersedes and repeals Order No. 578 and Order No. 767.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the regulations promulgated by the Department of Agriculture.



JOE DWYER
Director of Agriculture
State of Washington

Signed at Olympia, Washington

Date: October 25, 1962