TITLE 21 AGRICULTURE AND RANCHING CHAPTER 35 LIVESTOCK MARKETING SHEEP AND GOAT ASSESSMENT

21.35.2.1 ISSUING AGENCY: New Mexico Sheep and Goat Council.

[8/15/97; 21.35.2.1 NMAC - Rn & A, 21 NMAC 35.2.1, 12/30/2011]

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21.35.2.2 SCOPE: This rule establishes the council assessment to be paid by owners/producers of New Mexico sheep and haired goats.

[8/15/97; 21.35.2.2 NMAC - Rn, 21 NMAC 35.2.2, 12/30/2011]

21.35.2.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Granted to the New Mexico sheep and goat council under the New Mexico Sheep and Goat Council Act, Chapter 77, Article 8A, Section 1-11, NMSA 1978 Compilation. [8/15/97; 21.35.2.3 NMAC - Rn, 21 NMAC 35.2.3, 12/30/2011]

21.35.2.4 **DURATION:** Permanent

[8/15/97; 21.35.2.4 NMAC - Rn, 21 NMAC 35.2.4, 12/30/2011]

21.35.2.5 EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 1997

[8/15/97; 21.35.2.5 NMAC - Rn, 21 NMAC 35.2.5, 12/30/2011]

21.35.2.6 OBJECTIVE: To establish the council assessment for sheep and haired goats and provision for a refund.

[8/15/97; 21.35.2.6 NMAC - Rn, 21 NMAC 35.2.6, 12/30/2011]

21.35.2.7 DEFINITIONS:

- A. "Board" means the New Mexico livestock board.
- B. "Council" means the New Mexico sheep and goat council.
- C. "Producer" means any person engaged in the business of raising, breeding, feeding orgrowing sheep or haired goats.

[8/15/97; 21.35.2.7 NMAC - Rn, 21 NMAC 35.2.7, 12/30/2011]

21.35.2.8 ASSESSMENT:

- A. The council assessment rate is set at fifty cents (\$.50) per head for all sheep and haired goats in New Mexico.
- B. The council assessment will be collected by the board at the time ownership of the animals is transferred.
- C. Any producer who has paid a council assessment is entitled to a refund of the amount paid by making written application to the council. Refunds shall be made within thirty (30) days of the date of request.
- D. The refund application will be provided by the board. [8/15/97; 21.35.2.8 NMAC Rn & A, 21 NMAC 35.2.8, 12/30/2011]

HISTORY OF 21.35.2 NMAC: [RESERVED]

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