

THE RICE MARKETING BOARD FOR THE STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES



AUTHORISED BUYERS FEE POLICY

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Authorised Buyers Fees Payable to the Board

Fees payable to the Board by Authorised Buyers include:

1. A fixed annual fee for the previous financial year payable by 31 July; and
2. A variable fee for the previous financial year ended based on the tonnes procured as reported to the Board in the Authorised Buyer's Annual Return.

The level of fees is determined by the Board annually. Authorised Buyers fees payable exclude any additional fees that may be applicable as the result of the Board issuing an Export Licence to an Authorised Buyer.

Prepayment of Fees

In consultation with Authorised Buyers the Board will accept prepayment of variable annual fees.

In the event that the prepayment of variable annual fees exceeds the total variable fee to be levied for the respective year the Board will reach agreement with the Authorised Buyer to either:

- Refund the excess fees prepaid, or
- Retain the excess fees as prepayment for following year's levies.

Non-payment of Fees

The Board may suspend or revoke an Authorised Buyer's licence if the annual fees are not paid by the due date. The Board will issue a warning to the Authorised Buyer in writing by registered mail prior to suspending or revoking an Authorised Buyer's licence.

Further Information

For further information concerning how the Board handles Authorised Buyers fees, please contact:

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