Ref: CTO 2013 039

Cats and dogs - time interval between parasite treatments

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

Pursuant to section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 I, Vicki Melville, 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 dogs an cats.

The two endoparasite and two ectoparasite treatments may be given 13 days apart.

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

Signed at Wellington this 9th day of September 2013

Vicki Melville

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(Acting under delegated authority)