

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE LICENSING OF MEAT SHOPS IN FARIDABAD

State: Haryana

Details of city permit procedures are as follows:

Meat shops are regulated as per the provisions of Haryana municipal corporation act and Prevention of food Adulteration Act 1954.

As per the act, No animal or article shall be sold or exposed for sale within a distance of one hundred yards of any municipal market without the permission of the Commissioner and the violation of this is punishable. The Commissioner of the corporation has the authority to charge rents and fees. The licensee is obliged to display the copy of the stallages, rents and fees chargeable in the municipal market/ slaughter house. Under the act, the corporation authorities have the power to inspect the premises under the expectation of suspicious behaviors.

As per the section 320 (2) , Municipal markets and slaughter houses shall be under the control of the commissioner who may at any time , by public notice , close any municipal market for slaughter houses. Section 322 says that no place other than a municipal slaughter house can be used as a slaughter house. But one can slaughter animals for the religious festivals or ceremonies.

As per section 338, the commissioner or any authorized officer by him can inspect any premises where unlawful slaughter is suspected.

LICENSE PROCEDURE:

For a License to run Meat shop, one has to apply to the Corporation along with following documents:

1. Duly filled Application Form.
2. Affidavit
3. Ownership proof /rent deed
4. N.O.C. from Neighbor
5. No Dues from Municipal Corporation of Faridabad
6. NOC from Fire Brigade.

Authority:

Commissioner is the competent authority in Municipal Corporation of Faridabad to issue the license and the corporation has the power to grant/ refuse license and to charge the fees also as per the requirement.

License Fees:

As per the act, the commissioner has the power to charge fees for the sale of the article. License fees depend upon the Financial Year in which it is applied.

License Processing:

If the application form is filled properly and carry all supporting documents then it may take 15days.

License Renewal

Time for issue depends upon the Financial Year in which work is started. The prescribed period for renewal of license is March, in the Financial Year and in case delay there is a provision for imposing of late fees and to issue the Court Challan. In case of renewal only renewal application form is to be deposited and no need of supporting documents. If delayed, the applicant will get penalty and the amount will be 25% of the license fees.

Penalty:

If the licenses are not renewed then the owner will have to pay the late fee which is 25 % of the license fees. As per the section 337, the commissioner has the power to cancel the license which goes against the provisions of the Act.