1960 No. 546

The Agricultural Lime (Amendment) Scheme, 1960

Made - - - -	21*st March*, 1960
Laid before Parliament	25*th March*, 1960
Coming into Operation	1*st April*, 1960

In pursuance of the powers vested in them by Section 1 of the Agriculture Act, 1937(a), (as amended by Section 1 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943(b),), Section 97 of the Agriculture Act, 1947(c), and Section 2 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1954(d), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretaries of State respectively concerned with agriculture in Scotland and Northern Ireland (being the Ministers within the meaning of the Agriculture Act, 1937), with the approval of the Treasury, hereby make the following Scheme:—

Citation, Commencement and Construction

1. This Scheme, which may be cited as the Agricultural Lime (Amendment) Scheme, 1960, shall come into operation on the 1st day of April, 1960, and shall be read as one with the Agricultural Lime Schemes, 1947 to 1955(e), and those Schemes and this Scheme may be cited together as the Agricultural Lime Schemes, 1947 to 1960.

Increase of Contribution

2. Notwithstanding sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph 21 of the Agricultural Lime Scheme, 1947(f), and paragraph 2 of the Agricultural Lime (Amendment) Scheme, 1955(g), contributions made under the Agricultural Lime Schemes, 1947 to 1960 in respect of lime delivered on or after the date on which this Scheme comes into operation shall, except as provided in sub-paragraphs (*b*) and (*c*) of the said paragraph 21 of the Agricultural Lime Scheme, 1947, represent as nearly as may be thirteen twentieths of the cost incurred in acquiring and transporting the lime and of the cost incurred or to be incurred in spreading the lime on agricultural land.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this sixteenth day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty.

(L.S.)

John Hare,

Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(a) 1 Edw. 8 & 1 Geo. 6. c. 70. (b) 6 & 7 Geo. 6. c. 16.
(c) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 48. (d) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 39.
(e) S.R. & O. 1947/1829 (Rev. I, p. 127: 1947 I, p. 10); S.I. 1951/513, 1953/597, 1955/473 (1951 I, p. 9; 1953 I, p. 16; 1955 I, p. 63).
(f) S.R. & O. 1947/1829 (Rev. I, p. 127: 1947 I, p. 10).
(g) S.I. 1955/473 (1955 I, p. 63).

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this seventeenth day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty.

(L.S.) *John S. Maclay,*
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Given under the hand of the Secretary of State for the Home Department this eighteenth day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty.

R. A. Butler,
Secretary of State for the Home Department.

Approved this twenty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty.

Michael Hughes-Young,
R. Brooman-White,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Scheme, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The contributions payable under the Agricultural Lime Scheme, 1947, as amended, towards the cost of acquiring, transporting and spreading lime are by this Scheme increased from six tenths to thirteen twentieths of such cost in respect of lime delivered on or after the 1st April, 1960.