EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations substitute new tables of unit values for manures and feedingstuffs in place of the tables which were inserted in the Agriculture (Calculation of Value for Compensation) Regulations, 1948 (S.I. 1948/185) by the Amendment (No. 2) Regulations of 1952 (S.I. 1952/1617)—but this substitution of new tables takes effect only in relation to valuations of improvements and other matters consequent upon the termination of tenancies on or after 25th March, 1953. In relation to valuations consequent upon the termination of tenancies before that date, the tables contained in the Amendment (No. 2) Regulations of 1952 (S.I. 1952/1617) are still operative.

The unit values shown in the tables contained in these Regulations are somewhat lower than the previous unit values, so as to take account of the change in prices.

These Regulations are made by the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries on the advice of the Committee on Agricultural Valuation appointed under section 79 of the Agricultural Holdings Act, 1948.

AUTHORITIES

1953 No. 1867

The Agricultural Statistics (England and Wales) Amendment Regulations, 1953

Made - - - -	*16th December*, 1953
Laid before Parliament	*18th December*, 1953
Coming into Operation	*14th January*, 1954

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by subsection (1) of section seventy-eight of the Agriculture Act, 1947(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after consultation with the Agricultural Statistics Advisory Committee established by him under the provisions in that behalf of section seventy-seven of the said Act, hereby makes the following regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Agricultural Statistics (England and Wales) Amendment Regulations, 1953, and shall come into operation on the 14th day of January, 1954.

(2) The Agricultural Statistics (England and Wales) Regulations, 1948(b) (which are hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations") may be cited together with these regulations as the Agricultural Statistics (England and Wales) Regulations, 1948 and 1953.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), shall apply to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 48. (b) S I. 1948/2294; Rev. I, p. 583; 1948 I, p. 30.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

2. The principal Regulations shall have effect subject to the following amendments, that is to say:

(*a*) There shall be added to the First Schedule to the principal Regulations (which specifies the matters relating to which information may be required to be furnished) the additional paragraph set out in the First Schedule to these regulations; and

(*b*) The Second Schedule to the principal Regulations (which specifies in outline the main headings of the form to be used in furnishing the information required) shall be amended in accordance with the provisions of the Second Schedule to these regulations.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 16th day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.)

Tom Dugdale,
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

FIRST SCHEDULE

ADDITIONAL MATTER RELATING TO WHICH INFORMATION MAY BE REQUIRED TO BE FURNISHED

6. The marketing or other disposal of the produce of the land.

SECOND SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO THE SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE PRINCIPAL REGULATIONS

1. For Head C of Part II of the Second Schedule to the principal Regulations, relating to Glasshouses, there shall be substituted the following:—

C. GLASSHOUSES	*Area*	
	In Glasshouses	*Under Lights or Cloches*
Tomatoes		
(Other crops or areas under glass, or expected to be cultivated under glass during the ensuing year, as may be set out) ...		
TOTAL... ...		

Area of glasshouses	*Area*
(*a*) with heating apparatus	
(*b*) without heating apparatus	

	Number (or extent)
Number (or extent) of Dutch or other lights	
Number (or extent) of cloches	

2. At the end of the Second Schedule to the principal Regulations there shall be added the following two new Parts:—

PART IV.—ELECTRICITY SUPPLY SECTION

	Number or description
*Buildings on the land which are connected or not connected to public mains (for light, power or other uses) ...	
*Buildings on the land which are connected or not connected to private plant (for light, power or other uses)	

*(By reference to different descriptions of buildings, or different types of supply, as may be set out)

PART V.—SEEDS SECTION

A. HERBAGE SEEDS

	Area harvested	*Quantity yielded*	*Quantity sold or otherwise disposed of*	*Estimated area of crop for ensuing year*
Broad Red Clover ...				
(Other herbage seed crops cut for seed, as may be set out) ...				

B. ROOT, FODDER AND VEGETABLE SEEDS

	Area harvested	*Quantity yielded*
Sugar Beet		
(Other root or fodder crops for seed, as may be set out)		
Broad Beans		
(Other vegetable crops for seed, as may be set out)		

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations, which are made after consultation with the Agricultural Statistics Advisory Committee, provide for the amendment of the Agricultural Statistics (England and Wales) Regulations, 1948 (S.I. 1948/2294) so as to cover the requirement from occupiers of land used or believed to be used for agriculture of additional statistical information, relating to glasshouses, electricity supply and seed crops.