(7) MAXIMUM AREA OF PASTURE

The Agriculture (Maximum Area of Pasture) (Scotland) Order, 1949*

Spent.

1949 No. 2371 (S. 163)

Made - - - - 10*th November*, 1949
Coming into Operation 16*th December*, 1949

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection (1) of section thirty-five of the Agriculture (Scotland) Act, 1948(**a**), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby order as follows:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Agriculture (Maximum Area of Pasture) (Scotland) Order, 1949, and shall come into operation on the day following the day on which the Order is approved by Parliament.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. For the period commencing with the date on which this Order comes into operation and ending with the thirty-first day of December, 1950, there shall be exercisable by the Secretary of State the powers conferred on him by paragraph (*d*) of subsection (2) of section thirty-five of the Agriculture (Scotland) Act, 1948 (which relates to the giving of directions as to the maximum area of land which may be maintained on an agricultural unit under pasture laid down with clover, grass, lucerne, sainfoin or other seeds or under herbage crops grown for commercial seed production).

Dated the 10th day of November, 1949.

Arthur Woodburn,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

By section 35 of the Agriculture (Scotland) Act, 1948, the Secretary of State for Scotland can take power by Order, among other things, to give directions as to the maximum area of land on an agricultural unit which may be maintained under pasture or herbage crops. The present Order authorises the Secretary of State to give such directions during the period ending 31st December, 1950.

(**a**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 45. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

* This Order was approved by Resolution of the House of Commons, 5th December, 1949, and the House of Lords, 15th December, 1949, in accordance with section 35 (9) of the Agriculture (Scotland) Act, 1948.