1957 No. 2215

The Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) (Endrin and Fluoroacetic Acid) Order, 1957

Made - - - -	19*th December*, 1957
Laid before Parliament	24*th December*, 1957
Coming into Operation	25*th December*, 1957

Whereas the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Scotland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministers") are satisfied as to the substances hereinafter mentioned, not being substances to which the Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) Act, 1952(a), (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") now applies, that their use in agriculture involves substantial risk of poisoning to workers employed to work as mentioned in subsection (1) of section 1 of the Act:

Now, therefore, the Ministers, in exercise of the power conferred on them by subsection (2) of section 9 of the Act and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

Citation, extent and commencement

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) (Endrin and Fluoroacetic Acid) Order, 1957 applies to Great Britain, and shall come into operation on the 25th day of December, 1957.

Direction

2. The Ministers hereby direct that the Act shall apply to endrin, and fluoroacetic acid and its derivatives.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this eighteenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

(L.S.)

E. A. Hitchman,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this nineteenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

(L.S.)

A. Glen,
Secretary,
Department of Agriculture for Scotland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, made by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Scotland, adds endrin, and fluoroacetic acid and its derivatives to the poisonous substances to which the Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) Act, 1952 applies.

(a) 15 & 16 Geo. 6 & 1 Eliz. 2. c. 60.