STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1974 No. 1806

## FOOD AND DRUGS

### AUTHORITIES

# The Authorised Officers (Meat Inspection) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1974

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| *Made* - - - | 31*st October* 1974 |
| *Coming into operation* | 21*st November* 1974 |

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Social Services acting jointly, in exercise of the power conferred on them by Section 86(4)(d) of the Food and Drugs Act 1955**(a)**, as read with the Secretary of State for Social Services Order 1968**(b)**, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

*Citation, commencement and interpretation*

**1.**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Authorised Officers (Meat Inspection) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1974, and shall come into operation on 21st November 1974.

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

*Amendment of principal regulations*

**2.** The Authorised Officers (Meat Inspection) Regulations 1974**(d)**, as amended**(e)**, shall be further amended as follows:—

(a) by inserting in paragraph 3(*a*) of the Schedule thereto immediately after the words "Certificate or Diploma of the" the word "former";

(b) by adding to paragraph 3 of the Schedule thereto the following additional qualification:—

"(*h*) Diploma of the Environmental Health Officers Education Board".

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 28th October 1974.

(L.S.)

*Frederick Peart,*
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

*Barbara Castle,*
Secretary of State for Social Services.

31st October 1974.

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(a) 4 & 5 Eliz.2.c.16.
(b) S.I. 1968/1699 (1968 III, p. 4585).
(c) 1889 c.63.
(d) S.I. 1974/391 (1974 I, p. 1229).
(e) S.I. 1974/1211 (1974 II, p. 4593).

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These Regulations further amend the Authorised Officers (Meat Inspection) Regulations 1974 so as to enable councils to continue to authorise officers holding the qualification of a Certificate or Diploma of the former Public Health Inspectors Education Board, which has been renamed as the Environmental Health Officers Education Board, to act in relation to the examination and seizure of meat. The Diploma of the renamed Board has also been added as a qualification for this purpose.

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