STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1968 No. 967

AGRICULTURE

LIVESTOCK INDUSTRIES

The Beef Cow Subsidy Payment (England and Wales) (Amendment) Order 1968

Made - - -	*18th June* 1968
Laid before Parliament	*28th June* 1968
Coming into Operation	*29th June* 1968

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, in pursuance of sub-sections (4) and (7) of section 12 of the Agriculture Act 1967(**a**) and all his other enabling powers, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby makes the following order :—

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Beef Cow Subsidy Payment (England and Wales) (Amendment) Order 1968 and shall come into operation on 29th June 1968.

Interpretation

2.—(1) Unless the context otherwise requires, expressions used in this order have the same meaning as in the Beef Cow (England and Wales) Scheme 1967(**b**).

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

Increase in subsidy payments

3. Article 3 of the Beef Cow Subsidy Payment (England and Wales) Order 1967(**d**) (which specifies the amount of a subsidy payment under the Beef Cow (England and Wales) Scheme 1967) shall have effect in relation to prescribed dates in 1968 and subsequent years with the substitution of £9 for £7 10s.

(**a**) 1967 c. 22.
(**b**) S.I. 1967/1555 (1967 III, p. 4317).
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.
(**d**) S.I. 1967/1559 (1967 III, p. 4326).

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 14th June 1968.

(L.S.)

Cledwyn Hughes,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

We approve,
18th June 1968.

E. Alan Fitch,
J. McCann,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Beef Cow (England and Wales) Scheme 1967 sets out the conditions subject to which subsidy payments may be made in respect of cows comprised in regular beef herds.

This order increases the amount of such payments for 1968 and each of the three following years from £7 10s. to £9 per cow.