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DISEASES OF ANIMALS

Brucellosis

ORDER, DATED 31ST DAY OF OCTOBER 1968, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTIONS 10 AND 53 AND THE SECOND SCHEDULE OF THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958(a).

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Sections 10 and 53 and the Second Schedule of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958 and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Brucellosis (Amendment No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1968 and shall come into operation on the 1st day of November 1968.

Amendment of the 1966 *Order*

2. The Brucellosis Order (Northern Ireland) 1966(b) as amended by the Brucellosis (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1967(c) shall be further amended as follows:—

(1) In Article 2 after the definition of "Ministry" there shall be inserted the following definition:—

"'pedigree animal" means a pedigree animal registered in the Herd Book of the appropriate Breed Society;".

(2) For sub-paragraph (*a*) of Paragraph (1) of Article 16 there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:—

"(*a*) in the case of a reactor

(i) which is a pedigree animal an amount equal to 85 per cent. of the animal's market value or £340, whichever is the less;

(ii) which is not a pedigree animal an amount equal to 85 per cent. of the animal's market value or £136, whichever is the less;".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 31st day of October 1968, in the presence of

(L.S.)

H. S. Oliver,
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order raises from £136 to £340 the maximum amount payable on a reactor slaughtered where the reactor is a pedigree animal.

(a) 1958, c. 13.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 227.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 62.