STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1977 No. 946

ANIMALS

DISEASES OF ANIMALS

The Brucellosis (England and Wales) Compensation (Amendment) Order 1977

Made - - - -	*25th May* 1977
Laid before Parliament	*10th June* 1977
Coming into Operation	*1st July* 1977

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 17(3), 19(7) and 85(1) of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950**(a)**, as extended to brucellosis by Article 3(1) of the Diseases of Animals (Extension of Definitions) Order 1971**(b)**, and of all his other enabling powers, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby orders as follows:—

Citation and commencement

1. This order, which may be cited as the Brucellosis (England and Wales) Compensation (Amendment) Order 1977, shall come into operation on 1st July 1977.

Interpretation

2.—(1) This order shall be construed as one with the Brucellosis (England and Wales) Compensation Order 1972**(c)**, as amended **(d)**, hereinafter referred to as "the principal order".

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889**(e)** applies for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Amendment of principal order

3. In Article 4(2) of the principal order (compensation for "control animals"), there shall be substituted for the words "any order under the Act", the words "an import licence issued under the Importation of Animals Order 1977**(f)**".

(a) 1950 c. 36.
(b) S.I. 1971/531 (1971 I, p. 1530).
(c) S.I. 1972/1500 (1972 III, p. 4416).
(d) S.I. 1976/257 (1976 I, p. 715).
(e) 1889 c. 63.
(f) S.I. 1977/ 944 (1977 II, p.2631).

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 23rd May 1977.

(L.S.)

John Silkin,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

We approve,
25th May 1977.

Donald R. Coleman,
T. E. Graham,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order makes a slight amendment to the provision of the Brucellosis (England and Wales) Compensation Order 1972 dealing with compensation for "control animals" slaughtered on account of brucellosis. The amendment takes account of the fact that, under the Importation of Animals Order 1977, the requirement that "control animals" should be kept in quarantine with imported animals will be imposed by the import licence, and not by the order itself.

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