EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Hill Sheep (Scotland) No. 2 Scheme as amended by the Hill Sheep (Scotland) No. 2 (Extension) Scheme, 1951 and the Hill Sheep (Scotland) No. 2 (Amendment) Scheme, 1955, made under the Hill Farming Act, 1946 as amended by the Livestock Rearing Act, 1951 lays down the conditions on which subsidy payments may be made to persons maintaining certain breeds of sheep on hill land in Scotland on 3rd December 1954. This Order prescribes the amount of subsidy payment which shall be made for each sheep which qualifies under the Scheme.

LIVESTOCK INDUSTRY

1955 No. 967

The Calf Subsidies (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) (Variation) Scheme, 1955

Made - - - - *29th June,* 1955

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, being the appropriate Minister in relation to a joint scheme for England and Wales and Northern Ireland, in pursuance of Section 1 of the Agriculture (Calf Subsidies) Act, 1952(**a**), and of all other powers him enabling, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby makes the following scheme, a draft of which has been laid before Parliament and has been approved by resolution of each House of Parliament.

1. This scheme, which may be cited as the Calf Subsidies (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) (Variation) Scheme, 1955, shall apply to England and Wales and Northern Ireland.

2. There shall be substituted for paragraph 3 of the Calf Subsidies (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) Scheme, 1952(**b**), (which specifies the rate of subsidy in respect of calves born in the United Kingdom within the period beginning with 1st October, 1951 and ending with 29th October, 1955), the following paragraph:—

" 3. Subject to the provisions of this scheme, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food may pay to the person who is the owner of a calf to which this scheme applies at the time when the calf is certified to be a calf of the description specified in this scheme—

(*a*) in the case of a calf born before the 1st day of April, 1955, a subsidy of £5, or

(*b*) in the case of a calf born on or after that date a subsidy of £7 10s. 0d."

(a) 15 & 16 Geo. 6 & 1 Eliz. 2. c. 62. (b) S.I. 1952/2207 (1952 I, p. 81).

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, is hereunto affixed this twenty-seventh day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

(L.S.) *D. Heathcoat Amory,*
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

We approve this twenty-ninth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

Martin Redmayne,
Gerald Wills,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Agriculture (Calf Subsidies) Act, 1952, provides that schemes may make provision for the payment of subsidies in respect of calves. The Calf Subsidies (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) Scheme, 1952, applied to calves born within the period beginning with 1st October, 1951, and ending with 29th October, 1955, and made provision for the payment of a subsidy of £5 in respect of any calf to which the scheme applies. This scheme substitutes a subsidy of £7 10s. 0d. for calves born on or after the 1st day of April, 1955, which satisfy the conditions of the principal scheme.

1955 No. 980 (S. 104)

The Calf Subsidies (Scotland) (Variation) Scheme, 1955

Made - - - - *4th July,* 1955

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by subsection (1) of section 1 of the Agriculture (Calf Subsidies) Act, 1952(a) and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and with the approval of the Treasury, I hereby make the following scheme, a draft of which has been laid before Parliament and has been approved by resolution of each House of Parliament:—

1. This scheme may be cited as the Calf Subsidies (Scotland) (Variation) Scheme, 1955.

2. There shall be substituted for paragraph 3 of the Calf Subsidies (Scotland) Scheme, 1952(b) (which specifies the rate of subsidy in respect of calves born in the United Kingdom within the period beginning with 1st October, 1951, and ending with 29th October, 1955), the following paragraph:—

"3. Subject to the provisions of this scheme, the Secretary of State may pay to the person who is the owner of a calf to which this scheme applies

(a) 15 & 16 Geo. 6 & 1 Eliz. 2. c. 62. (b) S.I. 1952/2220 (1952 I, p. 83).