STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 590

COUNTER-INFLATION

The Counter-Inflation (Agricultural Rents) (Decontrol) Order 1975

Made - - -	10*th April* 1975
Laid before Parliament	18*th April* 1975
Coming into Operation	28*th May* 1975

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (in relation to England and Wales) and the Secretary of State for Scotland (in relation to Scotland) in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 11 and 23(2) of, and paragraphs 1 and 3 of Part I of Schedule 3 to, the Counter-Inflation Act 1973(**a**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Counter-Inflation (Agricultural Rents) (Decontrol) Order 1975 and shall come into operation on 28th May 1975.

Interpretation

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889(**b**) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) In this order the expression "Order of 1973" means the Counter-Inflation (Agricultural Rents) (No. 2) Order 1973(**c**), as amended by the Counter-Inflation (Agricultural Rents) (No. 2) (Amendment) Order 1973(**d**) and other expressions have the same meaning as in the Order of 1973.

Decontrol of agricultural rents

3. The Order of 1973 shall on and after 28th May 1975 cease to restrict the rent payable under any tenancy of any agricultural land to which that Order applies and which accrues on or after that day: provided that the said Order shall continue to apply to restrict rent accrued prior to that day.

Supplemental

4. For the purposes only, as respects England and Wales, of section 8(3) of the Agricultural Holdings Act 1948(**e**) and the determination of the date mentioned in paragraph (*b*) of that subsection and, as respects Scotland, of

(**a**) 1973 c. 9.
(**b**) 1889 c. 63.
(**c**) S.I. 1973/1717 (1973 III, p. 5221).
(**d**) S.I. 1973/1741 (1973 III, p. 5320).
(**e**) 1948 c. 63.

section 7(3) of the Agricultural Holdings (Scotland) Act 1949(a) and the determination of the date mentioned in paragraph (*b*) of that subsection the foregoing provisions of this order shall be disregarded.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 9th April 1975.

(L.S.)

Frederick Peart,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

William Ross,
10th April 1975 Secretary of State for Scotland.

(a) 1949 c. 75.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order, which applies in England and Wales and Scotland, and is made under the Counter-Inflation Act 1973, provides for the restrictions upon rent increases in relation to tenancies of agricultural holdings and other tenancies of agricultural land contained in the Counter-Inflation (Agricultural Rents) (No. 2) Order 1973 (as amended) to cease to have effect on and after 28th May 1975 in respect of rent accruing on or after that date.

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