STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1972 No. 1242

PLANT HEALTH

The Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order 1972

Made - - - -	10*th August* 1972
Laid before Parliament	16*th August* 1972
Coming into Operation	7*th September* 1972

The Forestry Commissioners, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them by section 3(1), (2) and (4) of the Plant Health Act 1967(**a**), and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order 1972, shall come into operation on 7th September 1972.

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

3. The Schedule to the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1971(**c**), as amended (**d**), shall be further amended by the addition thereto of the local authorities specified in the Schedule hereto.

IN WITNESS whereof the Official Seal of the Forestry Commissioners is hereunto affixed on 10th August 1972.

P. Nicholls,
Forestry Commissioner.

THE SCHEDULE
LOCAL AUTHORITIES

County Councils
- Cheshire
- Dorset
- Hampshire
- Salop
- Staffordshire

County Borough Councils
- Birkenhead
- Dudley
- Newport
- Oxford
- Stockport
- Swansea
- Wallasey

Non-county Borough Councils
- Banbury
- Crewe
- Dukinfield
- Macclesfield
- Stalybridge
- Warwick

London Borough Councils
- Barking
- Hounslow
- Lambeth

(**a**) 1967 c. 8. (**b**) 1889 c. 63. (**c**) S.I. 1971/1708 (1971 III, p. 4994).
(**d**) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1971/1823, 1963 (1971 III, pp. 4994, 5302).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1971 by adding further local authorities to the local authorities who are empowered by that Order as amended by the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order 1971 and the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 1971 to take steps in connection with the disease of elm trees known as Dutch elm disease.

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