STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 1816

PLANT HEALTH

The Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order 1974

Made - - - -	*4th November* 1974
Laid before Parliament	*12th November* 1974
Coming into Operation	*4th December* 1974

The Forestry Commissioners, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them by sections 3(1), (2) and (4) and 5(1) of the Plant Health Act 1967(**a**), as amended by section 92(2) of, and Part II of Schedule 3 to, the Criminal Justice Act 1967(**b**) and by section 4(1) of, and paragraph 8(1) and (3) of Schedule 4 to, the European Communities Act 1972(**c**), and as read with section 20 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1972(**d**), and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order 1974, shall come into operation on 4th December 1974.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Order " the principal Order " means the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1974(**e**).

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

Amendment of the principal Order

3. For the Schedule to the principal Order there shall be substituted the Schedule to this Order.

IN WITNESS whereof the Official Seal of the Forestry Commissioners is hereunto affixed on 4th November 1974.

[L.S.]

J. M. Hunter
Secretary to the Forestry Commissioners.

(**a**) 1967 c. 8.
(**b**) 1967 c. 80.
(**c**) 1972 c. 68.
(**d**) 1972 c. 62.
(**e**) S.I. 1974/830 (1974 II. p. 3230).
(**f**) 1889 c. 63.

SCHEDULE

LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO WHICH THIS ORDER APPLIES

The Councils of the following local government areas:—

Counties

Berkshire
Cheshire
Cleveland
Clwyd
Cornwall
Derbyshire
Devon
Durham
East Sussex
Humberside
Isle of Wight
Leicestershire
Lincolnshire
Mid-Glamorgan
Nottinghamshire
South Glamorgan

Districts

Sheffield

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order amends the Dutch Elm Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1974 by substituting a new Schedule in which are listed both the original and the now added local authorities who are empowered to exercise the powers conferred by that Order to take steps in connection with the disease of elm trees known as Dutch Elm Disease.

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