contains consequential provisions against overstocking and provides for the making of applications for subsidy payments, the computation of the number of cattle qualifying for subsidy payment and other matters. This Scheme and the Hill Cattle (Northern Ireland) Scheme, 1947, are subject to a provision limiting the total payments which may be made if the same animal qualifies under both schemes. The Hill Farming Act, 1946, requires the amount to be paid by way of subsidy payment in respect of an animal to be prescribed by the Minister in a separate Order; this Order is the Hill Cattle Subsidy (Breeding Herds) (Northern Ireland) Payment Order, 1953.

1953 No. 1181

The Hill Cattle Subsidy (Breeding Herds) (England and Wales) Payment Order, 1953

Made - - - -	29*th July*, 1953
Laid before Parliament	31*st July*, 1953
Coming into Operation	1*st August*, 1953

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries in pursuance of Section 14 (3) of the Hill Farming Act, 1946(**a**), as amended by Sections 6 and 8 of the Livestock Rearing Act, 1951(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Hill Cattle Subsidy (Breeding Herds) (England and Wales) Payment Order, 1953, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of August, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(**c**), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. Subject to the provisions of the Hill Cattle (Breeding Herds) (England and Wales) Scheme, 1953(**d**), the amount which may be paid in respect of the years 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 by way of subsidy payment under that Scheme in respect of any animal to which it applies shall be £10.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 29th day of July, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.)

Tom Dugdale,
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

We approve, this 29th day of July, 1953.

Dennis Vosper,
Martin Redmayne,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 73.
(b) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 18.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) S.I. 1953/1179, p. 42 above.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Hill Cattle (Breeding Herds) (England and Wales) Scheme, 1953, made under the Hill Farming Act, 1946, as amended by the Livestock Rearing Act, 1951, set out the conditions on which subsidy payments may be made in respect of cattle forming part of a regular breeding herd and grazed on hill land. This Order prescribes the amount of such payments for the year 1953, and the three next succeeding years.

1953 No. 1183

The Hill Cattle Subsidy (Breeding Herds) (Northern Ireland) Payment Order, 1953

Made - - - -	*29th July*, 1953
Laid before Parliament	*31st July*, 1953
Coming into Operation	*1st August*, 1953

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries in pursuance of Section 14 (3) of the Hill Farming Act, 1946(a), as amended by Sections 6 and 8 of the Livestock Rearing Act, 1951(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Hill Cattle Subsidy (Breeding Herds) (Northern Ireland) Payment Order, 1953, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of August, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), as applied to Northern Ireland by the Interpretation Act, 1921(d), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. Subject to the provisions of the Hill Cattle (Breeding Herds) (Northern Ireland) Scheme, 1953(e), the amount which may be paid in respect of the years 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956 by way of subsidy payment under that Scheme in respect of any animal to which it applies shall be £10.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 29th day of July, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.)

Tom Dugdale,
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

We approve, this 29th day of July, 1953.

Dennis Vosper,
Martin Redmayne,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 73. (b) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 18. (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) 12 Geo. 5. c. 4. (N.I.). (e) S.I. 1953/1180, p. 47 above.