EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which is made under the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950, alters the requirements of the Importation of Carcases and Animal Products Order, 1954, relating to meat, including edible offals, imported into Great Britain from Argentina, Brazil, Chile and Uruguay. Each consignment must now be accompanied by a certificate that it has been exported from recognised frigorificos.

1959 No. 287

The Importation of Hay and Straw (Amendment) Order, 1959

Made - - - - 19*th February*, 1959
Coming into Operation 28*th February*, 1959

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers vested in them by sections 1, 24, 33 and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950(**a**), as extended by section 11 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1954(**b**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Importation of Hay and Straw (Amendment) Order, 1959, and shall come into operation on the 28th day of February, 1959.

Amendment of Principal Order

2. The Importation of Hay and Straw Order, 1955(**c**), as amended (**d**), shall be altered by inserting, in the First Schedule to that Order, the words "The Netherlands" immediately below the words "Isle of Man" and by adding, in the same Schedule, the words "(including the Faroe Islands and Greenland)" immediately after the word "Denmark".

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this eighteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

(L.S.) *John Hare*,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this nineteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

(L.S.) *John S. Maclay*,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Importation of Hay and Straw Order, 1955, prohibits the landing in Great Britain of hay and straw brought from any country other than certain specified countries. This Order amends that Order by adding the Netherlands to the list of specified countries and by clarifying the geographical description of Denmark which already appears in that list.

(**a**) 14 Geo. 6. c. 36. (**b**) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 39.
(**c**) S.I. 1955/370 (1955 I, p. 208). (**d**) S.I. 1958/1690 (1958 I, p. 169).