PESTS

DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS

1959 No. 220

The Importation of Plants (Amendment) Order, 1959

Made - - - -	*5th February*, 1959
Laid before Parliament	*12th February*, 1959
Coming into Operation	*25th February*, 1959

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him by Sections 1 and 2 of the Destructive Insects Act, 1877(**a**) as amended by Section 1 of the Destructive Insects and Pests Act, 1907(**b**) and Section 1 of the Destructive Insects and Pests Act, 1927(**c**) respectively and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, orders as follows :—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Importation of Plants (Amendment) Order, 1959 shall come into operation on the 25th day of February, 1959 and shall be read as one with the Importation of Plants Order, 1955(**d**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Order") and the Importation of Plants (Amendment) Order, 1958(**e**). The principal Order, the Importation of Plants (Amendment) Order, 1958 and this Order may be cited together as the Importation of Plants Orders, 1955 to 1959.

Amendment of Principal Order as regards Potatoes

2. Nothing in the principal Order shall apply to any potatoes and accordingly all references therein to potatoes and, in particular, paragraphs (*a*) and (*b*) of Article 5 and paragraph (2) of Article 7 are hereby revoked.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this 5th day of February, 1959.

(L.S.)

John Hare,
Minister of Agriculture,
Fisheries and Food.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order amends the Importation of Plants Order, 1955 by revoking all references to potatoes, the importation of which is now the subject of the Importation of Potatoes Order, 1959 (S.I. 1959/221).

(**a**) 40 & 41 Vict. c. 68. (**b**) 7 Edw. 7. c. 4. (**c**) 17 & 18 Geo. 5. c. 32.
(**d**) S.I. 1955/81 (1955 II, p. 1841). (**e**) S.I. 1958/1138 (1958 II, p. 1878).