STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1966 No. 951

POULTRY

The Live Poultry (Restrictions) Amendment Order 1966

Made - - -	*25th July* 1966
Coming into Operation	*1st September* 1966

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, acting jointly in exercise of their powers under sections 1, 20, 45 and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950(a), (as read with the Transfer of Functions (Animal Health) Order 1955(b)), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. This order, which may be cited as the Live Poultry (Restrictions) Amendment Order 1966, shall be construed as one with the Live Poultry (Restrictions) Order 1957(c), as amended(d), (in this Order referred to as "the principal order"), and shall come into operation on 1st September 1966.

Amendment of principal order

2. Article 7(1) of the principal order (which authorises a local authority to grant licences for the auction of store poultry during a certain part of the year) shall be altered by the substitution for the words "on any day not falling within the period beginning with the 1st day of October and ending with the 31st day of December in any year:" of the words "at any time:".

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 21st July 1966.

(L.S.) *Frederick Peart,*

Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 25th July 1966.

(L.S.) *William Ross,*

Secretary of State for Scotland.

(a) 1950 c. 36. For change of title of the Minister see S.I. 1955/554 (1955 I, p.1200).

(b) S.I. 1955/958 (1955 I, p. 1184). (c) S.I. 1957/787 (1957 II, p. 1919).

(d) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1959/466 (1959 II, p. 2209).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

This Order further alters the provisions of the Live Poultry (Restrictions) Order 1957 by removing the previous restriction preventing local authorities in England and Wales from granting licences for auctions of store poultry between October 1st and December 31st in any year.

From the coming into operation of this Order, such auctions may be licensed to take place on any date.