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AGRICULTURE

Marketing of Potatoes (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982

Made . . . . . *3rd August 1982*

Coming into operation . . . *6th September 1982*

The Department(a) of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 3(3), 7 and 11(1) of the Marketing of Potatoes Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Department of Finance and Personnel(c) as to fees hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Marketing of Potatoes (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982 and shall come into operation on 6th September 1982.

Amendment of the Marketing of Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964

2. The Marketing of Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964(d) shall be amended as follows:

(1) In regulation 7 paragraph (2) (Standards for Potatoes for sale within Northern Ireland) for "standard of quality" there shall be substituted "standards of grading, packing and quality".

(2) In regulation 8 in paragraphs (1) and (4) (Fees for the Inspection of Potatoes) for "£1.50"(e) there shall be substituted "£2·10".

(3) In the Third Schedule:—

(*a*) in paragraph 7(4)(*a*) after "name" there shall be inserted "or initials";

(*b*) for paragraph 7(5)(*b*) there shall be substituted the following—

"(*b*) the licence number of a licence-holder".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture on 3rd August 1982.

(L.S.) *K. E. Brady*
Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance and Personnel hereby approves as to fees the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 3rd August 1982.

(L.S.) *J. M. Dowdall*
Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: *See* Northern Ireland Constitution Act 1973 (c. 36) Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(b) 1964 c. 8 (N.I.)
(c) Formerly Ministry of Finance: *See* Northern Ireland Constitution Act 1973 (c. 36) Sch. 5 para. 8(1) and S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3
(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964 No. 112
(e) As substituted by S.R. 1981 No. 295

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations:—

(1) increase the fee payable for the inspection of potatoes from £1·50 per tonne to £2·10 per tonne;

(2) modify the provisions of the Marketing of Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland 1964) in respect of the information to be provided on seed potato packages and labels attached to the outside of those packages;

(3) expand the description in Regulation 7(2) of the 1964 Regulations of the matters specified in paragraphs 5, 6, 7(2), (3) and (5), 8 and 9 of the Third Schedule to those Regulations.