STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1961 No. 1493

ANIMALS

DISEASES OF ANIMALS

The Movement of Animals (Records) Amendment Order, 1961

Made - - - -	31*st July*, 1961
Coming into Operation	9*th August*, 1961

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 1 and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950(a), and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order :—

Citation, Commencement and Extent

1. This Order, which applies to Great Britain, may be cited as the Movement of Animals (Records) Amendment Order, 1961, and shall come into operation on the 9th day of August, 1961.

Amendment of Principal Order

2.—(1) The Movement of Animals (Records) Order, 1960(b), shall be altered as follows :—

(*a*) at the end of paragraph 1 of Article 2 there shall be added the following definition—

> " slaughterhouse " means a place for slaughtering animals the flesh of which is intended for sale for human consumption and includes any place available in connection therewith for the confinement of animals whilst awaiting slaughter.

(*b*) in paragraph (1) of Article 3, there shall be inserted, after the word " Order ", the words " or in a form to the like effect " and at the end of that paragraph there shall be added the following proviso—

> " Provided that where the movement of which particulars are so required to be entered in a record is a movement of bovine animals direct to a slaughterhouse or to a fatstock market or certification centre, the person moving or permitting such movement shall not be required to enter particulars of the breed, age, sex or marking of the animals concerned in the movement if he enters in column 6 in the record the number of animals concerned in the movement, followed by the word " cattle "."

(*c*) at the end of sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph (3) of Article 3, there shall be added the words " or as a person having the control or management of a slaughterhouse in the case of animals in relation to which his interest (or, where such person is employed, the interest of his employer) has not at any time extended beyond the provision of slaughterhouse facilities " ;

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 36. (b) S.I. 1960/105 (1960 I, p. 302).

(*d*) the Schedule to this Order shall be substituted for the Schedule to that Order.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this thirty-first day of July, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

(L.S.) *Christopher Soames,*
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this thirty-first day of July, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

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

SCHEDULE

FORM OF RECORD

Movement of Animals (Records) Order, 1960 (as amended)

Name and full address of person keeping the record.....

Date of Movement	Particulars of each bovine animal moved				Number of sheep, goats or pigs (specifying which)	Premises from which moved (including market, saleyard or fair) and/or Name and address of person from whom delivery was taken N.B.—Both of these particulars are to be entered if available	Premises to which moved (including market, saleyard or fair) and/or Name and address of person taking delivery N.B.—Both of these particulars are to be entered if available
	Breed	Age	Sex	Ear Mark or Ear Tag No.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which comes into operation on the 9th day of August, 1961, amends the Movement of Animals (Records) Order, 1960 (S.I. 1960/105), by simplifying the particulars required to be recorded thereunder when cattle are moved to a slaughterhouse or to a fatstock market or certification centre.