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Pig Production Development (Contribution) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978

Made . . . . . *4th September* 1978

Coming into operation . . . *2nd October* 1978

The Department(a) of Agriculture on the recommendation of the Northern Ireland Pig Production Development Committee and in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 4(1) of the Pig Production Development Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(b) as amended by Article 17 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(c) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Pig Production Development (Contribution) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978 and shall come into operation on 2nd October 1978.

Determination of contribution

2. The amount of the contribution to be paid by every person who sells pigs to the Pigs Marketing Board shall be 0.275 per cent. of the payment made by that Board to that person in respect of such pigs.

Revocation

3. The Pig Production Development (Contribution) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977(d) is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 4th September 1978.

(L.S.) *W. H. Parker*
Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(b) 1964 c. 25 (N.I.)
(c) S.I. 1977/1245 (N.I. 12)
(d) S.R. 1977 No. 245 (II, p. 1330)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order replaces the Pig Production Development (Contribution) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977. It reduces the amount payable by pig producers to the Pig Production Development Fund from 0.325 to 0.275 per cent. of the producer's returns received from the Pigs Marketing Board.