1960 No. 1714

The Tuberculosis (Compensation) Amendment Order, 1960

Made - - - -	*20th September*, 1960
Laid before Parliament	*26th September*, 1960
Coming into Operation	*1st October*, 1960

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by subsection (3) of section 17 and by section 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order, which applies to Great Britain, may be cited as the Tuberculosis (Compensation) Amendment Order, 1960, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1960.

Amendment of Principal Order

2. The Tuberculosis (Compensation) Order, 1950(b), as amended(c), shall be altered, in paragraph (1) of Article 3, by the substitution for the words from the beginning of that paragraph to the words "one hundred pounds" of the following, that is to say—

"Where, under the power conferred by section 17 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food or the Secretary of State causes a bovine animal to be slaughtered because it has reacted to a tuberculin test or has been exposed to the infection of tuberculosis by contact with a bovine animal that has so reacted, the compensation payable by him for the animal shall be—

(*a*) in the case of an animal slaughtered because it has reacted to a tuberculin test, the sum of one hundred and twenty pounds or an amount equal to three-fourths of its market value, whichever is the less;

(*b*) in the case of an animal slaughtered because it has been exposed to the infection of tuberculosis as aforesaid, being an animal that has not reacted to a tuberculin test, an amount equal to its market value."

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this fourteenth day of September, nineteen hundred and sixty.

(L.S.)

Christopher Soames,
Minister of Agriculture,
Fisheries and Food.

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 36. (b) S.I. 1950/2005 (1950 I, p. 186).
(c) S.I. 1959/1460 (1959 I, p. 242).

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this fifteenth day of September, nineteen hundred and sixty.

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

We approve this twentieth day of September, nineteen hundred and sixty.

Michael Hughes-Young,
Graeme Bell Finlay,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

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 1st October, 1960, amends the Tuberculosis (Compensation) Order, 1950, by altering the scale of compensation for bovine animals slaughtered under the powers of section 17 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950. The maximum compensation payable for a reactor is increased from £100 to £120 and the compensation payable for an animal that has been in contact with a reactor is increased to the full market value without any maximum.