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## HEALTH AND SAFETY

## AGRICULTURE

**Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954  
(Repeals and Modification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979**

*Made* . . . . . 11th April 1979

*Coming into operation* . . . . . 1st June 1979

The Department(a) of Agriculture, after consultation with the Health and Safety Agency for Northern Ireland and such other bodies as appear to it to be appropriate, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 17(3) (a) (b) and 46 of the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 (Repeals and Modification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 1st June 1979.

*Repeals*

2. The provisions of the Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(c) ("the Act of 1954") mentioned in column 1 of Schedule 1 are hereby repealed to the extent specified in column 2 of that Schedule.

*Modification*

3. The provision of the Act of 1954 mentioned in column 1 of Schedule 2 shall have effect subject to the modification specified in column 2 of that Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 11th April 1979.

(L.S.)

*D. J. Alexander*

Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: see 1973 c. 36 s. 40 and Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(b) S.I. 1978/1039 (N.I. 9)

(c) 1954 c. 5 (N.I.)

## SCHEDULE 1

## Regulation 2

Repeals taking effect on 1st June 1979.

<b>Column 1</b> <i>Provision</i>	<b>Column 2</b> <i>Extent of repeal</i>
Section 1	The whole section
Section 2	The whole section
Section 3	The whole section
Section 4	In subsection (1), paragraphs (b) (c) and (d); subsections (2), (3) and (4)
Section 5	The whole section
Section 9	The whole section
Section 10	The whole section

## SCHEDULE 2

## Regulation 3

Modification taking effect on 1st June 1979.

Column 1 <i>Provision</i>	Column 2 <i>Modification</i>
Section 6	In subsection (1), the words "appointed for the purposes of the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978" shall be substituted for the words "appointed under this Act".

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)*

These regulations are made in consequence of the coming into operation of provisions of the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978 which supersede provisions of the Agriculture (Poisonous Substances) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 or enable them to be superseded.

The regulations repeal or modify powers and provisions contained in the Act which are superseded by powers and provisions in the Order, including in particular—

- (1) powers to make regulations and orders;
- (2) provisions relating to the appointment and powers of inspectors; and
- (3) provisions relating to certain offences, penalties and legal proceedings.