

1995 No. 467

ANIMALS

**Diseases of Animals (Approval of Disinfectants) (Amendment)
Order (Northern Ireland) 1995**

Made 14th December 1995

Coming into operation 15th January 1996

The Department of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 5, 19 and 60(1) of the Diseases of Animals (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(a) 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 Diseases of Animals (Approval of Disinfectants) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1995 and shall come into operation on 15th January 1996.

Amendment of the Diseases of Animals (Approval of Disinfectants) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972

2. The Diseases of Animals (Approval of Disinfectants) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972(b) shall be amended as follows:

(a) in Article 3 for the definition of “special disease order” there shall be substituted the following definitions—

“ “special disease” means

- (a) Foot and mouth disease;
- (b) Swine vesicular disease;
- (c) Avian influenza;
- (d) Newcastle disease;
- (e) Paramyxovirus 1 infection in pigeons; and
- (f) Tuberculosis;

“special disease order” means any Order made or having effect under the Diseases of Animals (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 which deals with one or more particular special diseases;” and

(b) for Article 4 there shall be substituted the following Article—

“4.—(1) The Department may approve a disinfectant for the purposes of any general order or any one or more special disease orders.

(a) S.I. 1981/1115 (N.I. 22) as amended by S.I. 1984/702 (N.I. 2) Article 17 and S.I. 1994/1891 (N.I. 6) Article 23

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 16 (p. 55) as amended by S.R. 1975 No. 69

(2) Any approval granted under paragraph (1) shall specify the dilution rate for each use or class of use of the disinfectant to which it relates.”.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture on 14th December 1995.

(L.S.)

P. T. Toal

Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Diseases of Animals (Approval of Disinfectants) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972 so as to enable the Department of Agriculture to approve disinfectants for use against Avian influenza infection, Newcastle disease and Paramyxovirus 1 infection in pigeons.

The power enabling the Department of Agriculture to approve disinfectants for use against Fowl Pest ceases to have effect.