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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2003 No. 20**

**LIVESTOCK AND MEAT COMMISSION  
FOR NORTHERN IRELAND**

**Livestock and Meat Commission (Maximum  
Levy) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003**

*Made - - - - 16th January 2003  
To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 7(3) of  
the Schedule to the Northern Ireland Act 2000  
Coming into operation 27th February 2003*

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development<sup>(1)</sup> in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 4(7) of the Livestock Marketing Commission Act (Northern Ireland) 1967<sup>(2)</sup> 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 Livestock and Meat Commission (Maximum Levy) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003 and shall come into operation on 27th February 2003.

**Increase in Maximum Levy**

2. The sums specified in sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Livestock Marketing Commission Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 shall be varied as follows:—

- (a) the sum of 10p (for each sheep) shall be increased to £1·00; and
- (b) the sum of one pound (for each bovine animal) shall be increased to £6·00.

**Revocation**

3. The Livestock Marketing Commission (Maximum Levy) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976<sup>(3)</sup> are hereby revoked.

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(1) Formerly the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland; see S.I. 1999/283 (N.I. 1), Article 3(4)  
(2) 1967 c. 21 (N.I.)  
(3) S.R. 1976 No. 184

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Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development on 16th January 2003.

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Department of Agriculture and Rural  
Development

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These Regulations increase the maximum levy on livestock slaughtered in (or sent out of) Northern Ireland as permitted under the Livestock Marketing Commission Act (Northern Ireland) 1967, from 10p to £1·00 for sheep and from £1 to £6·00 for bovine animals.