Diseases of Animals

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 6th June, 1962, sets out the statutory minimum remuneration payable in substitution for that fixed by the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland), 1961 (Order N.I.W.D. (97)), which Order is revoked.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.

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DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT

ORDER, DATED 29TH MAY, 1962, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 53 OF THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1958(a).

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 53 of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland), 1958, 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 Movements of Animals (Records) Order (Northern Ireland), 1962, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of June, 1962.

Interpretation

2. In this Order: —

"animal" means bovine animal.

"class" includes bull, cow, bullock, heifer, stirk and calf.

- "description" includes colour, breed and class and also includes sex where the class is given as "calf" or "stirk".
- "public sale" means a sale to which animals the property of different owners are brought for sale by auction or otherwise.

Records

3.—(1) An owner of animals shall keep or cause to be kept an accurate written record in ink or indelible pencil in the form shown in the Schedule of every animal owned by him. This record shall give the ear number, sex, breed, class and colour of every animal in his possession and details of :—

- (a) the animal's entry into his possession including either-
 - (i) in respect of an animal born into his possession the month and year of birth of the animal and the dam's ear number; or
 - (ii) in respect of an animal acquired otherwise than in (i) above the date acquired, the approximate age of the animal when acquired and either the name and address of the person from whom the

(a) 1958. c. 13.

animal was acquired if the animal was acquired privately; or the name of the market or saleyard and the lot number of the animal if purchased at a public sale; and

- (b) the animal's disposal showing the date of disposal and either the name and address of the person to whom the animal was sent if disposed of privately; or the name of the market or saleyard if sold at a public sale.
- (2) (a) Where the owner of an animal is required to keep an accurate written record of that animal under (1)(a) above he shall complete the said record within forty-eight hours after the entry by birth or otherwise of the animal into his possession.
- (b) Where the owner of an animal is required to keep an accurate written record of that animal under (b) above he shall complete the said record within forty-eight hours of the animal leaving his possession.

(3) The owner or operator of a public sale shall allocate a lot number to every animal presented for sale on his premises and shall on the day of the proposed sale make an accurate written record of every such animal. Such record shall show:—

- (a) the date of the public sale at which the animal was presented;
- (b) the lot number and description of the animal;
- (c) the name and address of the person who presented each lot; and
- (d) the name and address of the purchaser, if any, of each lot.

(4) The records required to be kept under Paragraphs (1) and (3) above shall be kept for at least three years from the making of the record.

Exception

4. The provisions of Paragraph (1) of Article 3 above do not apply to cattle purchased for slaughter within 7 days or purchased for shipment from Northern Ireland within 7 days. The purchaser of such cattle shall keep a record of the lot numbers of any such cattle purchased by him at a public sale and shall retain these records for a period of at least one year from the date of the purchase.

Loss of Records

5. Where any records required under Paragraph (1) of Article 3 above are discovered to be lost, stolen or destroyed the person responsible for the keeping of such records shall within seventy-two hours of the discovery :---

- (a) report the matter in writing to the nearest office of the Ministry and
- (b) obtain from the Ministry blank copies of the necessary record forms and complete the said forms as required in Paragraph (1) of Article 3 in respect of animals in his possession at the time of the discovery.

Revocation

6. Article 10 of the Tuberculosis (Area Eradication) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959(a), is hereby revoked as from the commencement of this Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 29th day of May, nineteen hundred and sixty-two.

(L.S.)

W. A. V. Sanderson, Assistant Secretary.

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1959, No. 146,

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Herd Record

14	er and Date of Disposal	Mann	Manner and Date of Entry into Herd						Individual Details				
	•	-	Otherwise Acquired			into Herd							
	13 Name and Address of Person to whom sold or name of Auction Mart where sold	12 Date of Disposal	11 Name and Address of Person from whom purchased; or name of Auction Mart where purchased, and Lot No.	Age when Purchased	Date of Purchase	8 Dam's Ear-Tag Number	Date of A	6 Ear Number	5 Sex	4 Class	3 Breed	2 Colour	Number in herd record
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