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**NORTHERN IRELAND**

**The Agriculture (Northern Ireland) Order 2004**

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1(2) and (3)*

**THE AGRICULTURE (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 2004**

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SCHEDULE 1 — THE INSTITUTE

*Status*

1. (1) The Institute shall not be regarded—

*Membership, chairman, etc.*

2. (1) The Institute shall consist of— (a) a chairman;

*Tenure of office*

3. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Schedule, a member...

*Remuneration, etc. of members*

4. (1) The Institute shall pay to its members such remuneration...

*Staff, etc.*

5. (1) The Institute shall have— (a) a chief executive, with...  
6. (1) The Institute may make arrangements with a Northern Ireland...  
7. (1) The Institute shall pay to its employees such remuneration...

*Arrangements for assistance*

8. (1) The Institute may make arrangements with such persons (including...

*Committees*

9. (1) The Institute may establish committees. (2) A person who...

*Delegation to committees and staff*

10. (1) The Institute may, to such extent as it may...

*Proceedings*

11. (1) Subject to paragraph 12, the Institute may regulate—  
12. (1) A member who is in any way, directly or...  
13. The validity of any proceedings of the Institute, or of...

*Application of seal and documents*

14. The application of the seal of the Institute shall be...  
15. Any contract or instrument which if entered into or executed...

*Finance*

16. (1) The Department may make payments to the Institute out...  
17. (1) The Institute shall— (a) keep proper accounts and proper...

*Annual report*

18. (1) As soon as practicable after the end of each...

*The Northern Ireland Assembly Disqualification Act 1975 (c. 25)*

19. In Part II of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland...

*The Commissioner for Complaints (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 (NI 7)*

20. In Schedule 2 to the Commissioner for Complaints (Northern Ireland)...

*The Freedom of Information Act 2000 (c. 36)*

21. In Part VII of Schedule 1 to the Freedom of...

*Interpretation*

22. In this Schedule— “financial year” means( the period beginning with...

SCHEDULE 2 — TRANSFER TO THE INSTITUTE OF CERTAIN PROPERTY, RIGHTS, LIABILITIES AND STAFF OF DEPARTMENT

*Transfer of certain property, rights and liabilities of the Department*

1. (1) The Department may by order provide for the transfer...

*Transfer of certain staff of the Department*

2. (1) This paragraph applies to a person who—

SCHEDULE 3 — TRANSFER OF PROPERTY, RIGHTS, LIABILITIES AND STAFF OF ARINI, ETC.

*Introductory*

1. In this Schedule “ARINI” means the Agricultural Research Institute of...

*Extinguishment of certain rights of ARINI*

2. References in this Schedule to the rights of ARINI do...

*Transfer of certain property of ARINI to Department*

3. (1) At any time before the appointed day, the Department...

*Transfer of property, rights and liabilities of ARINI to the Institute on appointed day*

4. (1) All property, rights and liabilities to which ARINI is...

*Transfer of staff of ARINI*

5. (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), this paragraph applies...

*Accounts and reports for ARINI: transitional arrangements*

6. (1) The Institute shall make arrangements for—

SCHEDULE 4 — REPEALS

**Draft Legislation:** This is a draft item of legislation. This draft has since been made as a UK Statutory Instrument: The Agriculture (Northern Ireland) Order 2004 No. 3327

## Explanatory Note