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AGRICULTURE

AGRICULTURAL GRANTS, GOODS AND SERVICES

The Agricultural Lime (Amendment) Scheme 1970

<i>Made - - - -</i>	13th March 1970
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	18th March 1970
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	19th March 1970

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretary of State for Wales, the Secretary of State for Scotland (being the Secretary of State concerned with agriculture in Scotland) and the Secretary of State for the Home Department (being the Secretary of State concerned with agriculture in Northern Ireland) in exercise of the powers vested in them by section 1 of the Agriculture Act 1937(a), as amended by section 27 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous War Provisions) Act 1940(b) and section 1 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1943(c) and amended and extended by section 97 of the Agriculture Act 1947(d), and by Article 3 of, and paragraph 5 of Schedule 2 to, the Transfer of Functions (Wales) Order 1969(e), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby make the following Scheme:—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Scheme may be cited as the Agricultural Lime (Amendment) Scheme 1970 and shall come into operation on 19th March 1970.

(2) This Scheme and the Agricultural Lime Scheme 1966(f) (hereinafter referred to as “the principal Scheme”) may be cited together as the Agricultural Lime Schemes 1966 and 1970.

Amendment of Agricultural Lime Scheme 1966

2. The principal Scheme is hereby amended as follows:—

- (a) In sub-paragraph (2)(a) of paragraph 6 the words “in exceptional circumstances” shall be omitted.
- (b) In Schedule 1, Part I, in the paragraph numbered 3 under the heading “Additional Contributions”, for the amounts “6s. 9d.” and “8s. 6d.” there shall be substituted respectively the amounts “14s. 0d.” and “28s. 0d.”.
- (c) For Schedule 2, Part II, there shall be substituted the following:—

(a) 1937 c. 70.	(b) 1940 c. 14.
(c) 1943 c. 16.	(d) 1947 c. 48.
(e) S.I. 1969/388 (1969 I, p. 1070).	(f) S.I. 1966/794 (1966 II, p.1840).

"PART II

SCOTLAND

(a) Where any lime is delivered in Scotland, not being lime falling within paragraphs (b) or (e) of this Part of this Schedule, a contribution may be made in accordance with the following table:

<i>Mileage necessary to effect direct delivery from the place of production</i>	<i>Rate of contribution per ton of lime</i> s. d.
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(i) Where the lime is delivered in those counties of Scotland not falling within the next succeeding subparagraph and is not lime in respect of which a contribution may be made under sub-paragraph

(iii) below:

Up to 5 miles	3 3
For every mile over 5 miles up to 25 miles ...	3
For every mile over 25 miles up to 100 miles ...	1½
For every mile over 100 miles up to 175 miles ...	1

(ii) Where the lime is delivered in the counties of Berwick, Dumfries, East Lothian, Peebles, Roxburgh and Selkirk:

Up to 5 miles	3 3
For every mile over 5 miles up to 25 miles ...	3
For every mile over 25 miles up to 100 miles ...	1½

(iii) Where the lime is delivered in the counties of Argyll, Bute, Caithness, Inverness, Orkney, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland and Zetland from a place of production in one of the counties specified in paragraph (b) of this Part of this Schedule:

Up to 5 miles	3 3
For every mile over 5 miles up to 25 miles ...	3
For every mile over 25 miles up to 50 miles ...	1½
For every mile over 50 miles up to 100 miles ...	3
For every mile over 100 miles up to 175 miles ...	2½

(b) Where any lime is delivered in the counties of Aberdeen, Angus, Argyll, Banff, Bute, Caithness, Clackmannan, Fife, Inverness, Kinross, Moray, Nairn, Orkney, Perth, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland and Zetland, being lime which has been brought into Scotland from a place of production in England or Wales and deposited and re-loaded in, and distributed from, a depot situated in one of those counties a contribution may be made in accordance with the following table:

<i>Mileage necessary to effect direct delivery from the depot</i>	<i>Rate of contribution per ton of lime</i> s. d.
(i) Where the lime is delivered in the counties of Argyll, Bute, Caithness, Inverness, Orkney, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland and Zetland:	
Up to 5 miles	3 3
For every mile over 5 miles up to 25 miles ...	3
For every mile over 25 miles up to 50 miles ...	1½
For every mile over 50 miles up to 100 miles ...	3
(ii) Where the lime is delivered in the counties of Aberdeen, Angus, Banff, Clackmannan, Fife, Kincardine, Kinross, Moray, Nairn and Perth:	
Up to 5 miles	3 3
For every mile over 5 miles up to 25 miles ...	3
For every mile over 25 miles up to 100 miles ...	1½
(c) Where any lime falling within the last preceding paragraph is delivered in the counties of Scotland referred to in that paragraph an additional contribution may be made in relation to the situation of the depot and the place of delivery in accordance with the following table:	

<i>Situation of depot</i>	<i>Situation of place of delivery</i>	<i>Rate of contribution per ton of lime</i> s. d.
(i) In the counties of Aberdeen, Banff, Caithness, Inverness, Moray, Nairn, Orkney, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland and Zetland	In the counties specified in the preceding column in this sub-paragraph	19 3
(ii) In the counties of Angus, Argyll, Bute, Clackmannan, Fife, Kincardine, Kinross and Perth	In the counties specified in the preceding column in sub-paragraph (i) of this paragraph	15 9
(iii) In the counties specified in this column in sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this paragraph	In the counties specified in the preceding column in sub-paragraph (ii) of this paragraph	15 9

(d) Where any lime not being lime in respect of which an additional contribution may be made in accordance with the last preceding paragraph is delivered in Scotland after being transported by sea on a voyage falling within sub-paragraphs (i) to (iv) below an additional contribution may be made in accordance with the following table, but in any case the distance of the sea voyage shall be disregarded in determining the amount of any contribution that may be payable in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Part of this Schedule.

<i>Voyage necessary to effect direct delivery from the place of production</i>	<i>Rate of contribution per ton of lime s. d.</i>
(i) From the mainland of Great Britain except from those counties mentioned in sub-paragraph (ii) below to	
(a) the Inner and Outer Hebrides except Islay, Jura and Gigha	49 6
(b) Islay, Jura and Gigha	} 29 6
(c) Stroma, Orkney and Shetland	
(d) islands in Bute county	
(ii) From the mainland of the counties of Sutherland, Ross and Cromarty, Inverness and Argyll to	
*(a) the Inner and Outer Hebrides except voyages mentioned in sub-paragraph (iii) below	} 29 6
(b) Stroma, Orkney and Shetland	
(c) islands in Bute county except voyages mentioned in sub-paragraph (iii) below	
(iii) By ferry to	
(a) Skye from Kyle of Lochalsh or Glenelg	} 4 6
(b) Isle of Bute from Colintraive	
(iv) From Northern Ireland to	
(a) islands in Bute county and the Inner Hebrides	29 6
(b) the mainland of Scotland	14 6
(e) Where any lime is produced in any island in the following groups of islands, that is to say, Orkney, Shetland and the Hebrides, and is delivered in that island or any other island within the same group a contribution may be made in accordance with the following table:	

<i>Mileage necessary to effect direct delivery from the place of production</i>	<i>Rate of contribution per ton of lime s. d.</i>
Up to 5 miles	4 2
For every mile over 5 miles up to 25 miles	5
For every mile over 25 miles up to 50 miles	1½
For every mile over 50 miles up to 100 miles	3

(f) Where any lime is transported from any island in the following groups of islands, that is to say, Orkney, Shetland, the Hebrides and Bute county, to any other island within the same group an additional contribution of 23s. per ton may be made: Provided that the contribution shall apply only in relation to such voyage as is immediately followed by delivery of the lime and in any case the distance of the sea voyage shall be disregarded in determining the amount of any contribution that may be payable in accordance with paragraphs (a), (b) and (e) of this Part of this Schedule.”

(d) For Schedule 2, Part IV, there shall be substituted the following:—

*This contribution shall not apply to voyages to Luing by Cuan Ferry.

"PART IV

In a case where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Ministers that, having regard to the situation of the land on which it was spread, it was not practicable to arrange for the delivery of any lime without changing the conveyance or the mode of conveyance in the course of such delivery (not being a change to or from transport by sea in respect of which contribution is payable under Parts I and II of this Schedule) and thereby incurring extra expense an additional contribution may be made, at the discretion of the Ministers, in accordance with the following table:

<i>Situation of place of delivery</i>	<i>Rate of contribution per ton of lime</i>
	s. d.
(i) Where the lime is delivered in the counties of Argyll, Bute, Caithness, Inverness, Orkney, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland and Zetland	5 0
(ii) Where the lime is delivered in those counties of Scotland not specified in the immediately preceding sub-paragraph or in England, Wales or Northern Ireland	3 9"

In Witness whereof the official seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 24th February 1970.

(L.S.)

Cledwyn Hughes,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.
Given under my hand on 25th February 1970.

George Thomas,

Secretary of State for Wales.
Given under the seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 26th February 1970.

(L.S.)

William Ross,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Given under the hand of the Secretary of State for the Home Department on
12th March 1970.

James Callaghan,
Secretary of State for the Home Department.
Approved on 13th March 1970.

Joseph Harper,
E. G. Perry,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Scheme.)

This Scheme amends the Agricultural Lime Scheme 1966 mainly by increasing the amounts of contribution which may be paid in respect of the cost of acquiring and delivering certain kinds of lime delivered in certain areas of Scotland.

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