

1971 No. 1818 (S. 197)

AGRICULTURE

HILL LANDS

The Hill and Upland Sheep (Scotland) Amendment Scheme 1971

<i>Made</i> - - -	2nd November 1971
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	12th November 1971
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	13th November 1971

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by sections 13, 15(1) and 17 of the Hill Farming Act 1946(a), as extended by section 43 of the Agriculture Act 1967(b), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and with the approval of the Treasury, I hereby make the following scheme:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This scheme may be cited as the Hill and Upland Sheep (Scotland) Amendment Scheme 1971 and shall come into operation on 13th November 1971.

(2) This scheme shall be construed as one with the Hill and Upland Sheep (Scotland) Scheme 1967(c) (hereinafter referred to as “the principal scheme”).

Amendment of amount by which a subsidy payment is to be reduced in certain circumstances

2. In Column 3 of the Schedule to the principal scheme, for the amounts “3s 6d” and “10s 6d”, being respectively the third and fifth entries in that column, there shall be substituted respectively the amounts “15p” and “55p”.

Gordon Campbell,
One of Her Majesty’s Principal
Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew’s House,
Edinburgh.
28th October 1971.

We approve.

P. L. Hawkins,
Walter Clegg,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty’s Treasury.

2nd November 1971.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Scheme.)

This Scheme alters the provisions of the Hill and Upland Sheep (Scotland) Scheme 1967 by amending the amount by which a subsidy payment under that scheme is to be reduced in respect of (a) a hill sheep flock maintained on hill sheep land occupied by a crofter or eligible occupier, and (b) a flying flock or upland flock maintained on hill land occupied by a person who is not a crofter or eligible occupier and comprising or forming part of an agricultural unit which is not the subject of an application for grant under the Winter Keep (Scotland) Scheme 1969 (S.I. 1969/1845).