

1975 No. 675 (S. 103)

AGRICULTURE

CORN CROPS

The Corn Returns (Scotland) Regulations 1975

Made - - - - - 16th April 1975

Coming into Operation 16th May 1975

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 4, 5 and 14 of the Corn Returns Act 1882(a) as amended by section 18(1) of, and the Third Schedule to, the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1943(b), section 14 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1954(c) and section 108(3) of the Agriculture Act 1970(d), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, extent and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Corn Returns (Scotland) Regulations 1975, shall apply to Scotland only and shall come into operation on 16th May 1975.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In these regulations, the following expressions have the following meanings respectively, that is to say—

“the Act” means the Corn Returns Act 1882 as amended, extended or applied by or under any other enactment;

“the Authority” means the Home-Grown Cereals Authority established by the Cereals Marketing Act 1965(e);

“British corn” means wheat, barley, rye, maize and oats, the produce of the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man;

“denatured” in relation to wheat means rendered, before purchase, unfit for human consumption, by treatment with dye, fish oil or fish liver oil;

“return” means a return made in pursuance of section 5 of the Act of purchases of British corn.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(f) shall apply for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament, and as if these regulations and the regulations hereby revoked were Acts of Parliament.

(a) 1882 c. 37.
(c) 1954 c. 39.
(e) 1965 c. 14.

(b) 1943 c. 16.
(d) 1970 c. 40.
(f) 1889 c. 63.

Prescribed areas for making returns

3. The areas of Scotland prescribed for the purpose of section 4 of the Act (from which areas weekly returns are required to be made) shall be those areas listed as prescribed areas in column 2 of Schedule 1 to these regulations being Districts within the Regions listed in Column 1 of the said Schedule.

Making of returns

4.—(1) Every person required to make returns shall send a return by first class post to the Authority at Hamlyn House, Highgate Hill, London N19 5PR (the Authority being under the provisions of the Corn Returns (Delegation of Functions) (Scotland) Order 1970(a) authorised and required to receive such returns) on each Friday occurring during such period or periods as he is under the provisions of the Act required to make returns.

(2) Each return shall be made in the form set out in Schedule 2 to these regulations and shall relate to the period of seven days immediately preceding the day on which it is required to be sent to the Authority under the provisions of the preceding paragraph of this regulation.

Revocation

5. The Corn Returns (Scotland) Regulations 1970(b) and the Corn Returns (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1972(c) are hereby revoked.

St Andrew's House
Edinburgh

16th April 1975.

William Ross,

One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 3

PREScribed AREAS IN SCOTLAND FROM WHICH RETURNS OF PURCHASES OF
BRITISH CORN ARE TO BE MADE

Column 1 Region	Column 2 Prescribed Area—District
Borders	Berwickshire, Ettrick and Lauderdale, Roxburgh and Tweeddale.
Central	Clackmannan, Falkirk and Stirling.
Dumfries and Galloway	Annandale and Eskdale, Nithsdale, Stewartry and Wigtown.
Fife	Dunfermline, Kirkcaldy and North East Fife.
Grampian	Banff and Buchan, City of Aberdeen, Gordon, Kincardine and Deeside, and Moray.
Highland	Badenoch and Strathspey, Caithness, Inverness, Lochaber, Nairn, and Ross and Cromarty.
Lothian	City of Edinburgh, East Lothian, Midlothian and West Lothian.
Strathclyde	Bearsden and Milngavie, City of Glasgow, Cumbernauld and Kilsyth, Cumnock and Doon Valley, Cunninghame, Dumbarton, East Kilbride, Hamilton, Inverclyde, Kilmarnock and Loudoun, Kyle and Carrick, Lanark, Monklands and Renfrew.
Tayside	Angus, City of Dundee and Perth and Kinross.

(a) S.I. 1970/1090 (1970 II, p. 3437).
(c) S.I. 1972/1275 (1972 II, p. 3819).

(b) S.I. 1970/1099 (1970 II, p. 3450).

SECTION 2 (7)	For Official Use (8)	Ex Farm Forward Fixed Price Contracts and Ex Farm Spot Purchases made during week										
		Ex Farm Forward Fixed Price Contracts					Ex Farm Spot Purchases					
		Delivery up to end of 2nd calendar month after contract BUT NOT SPOT		Delivery during 3rd calendar month after contract		Delivery after end of 3rd calendar month after contract		Total Purchase Price		Total Quantity		Total Purchase Price
		Total Quantity (9)	Total Purchase Price (10)	Total Quantity (11)	Total Purchase Price (12)	Total Quantity (13)	Total Purchase Price (14)	Total Quantity (15)	Total Purchase Price (16)	tons	cwt.	£
WHEAT*	(i)	tons	£	tons	£	tons	£	tons	cwt.	£	(i)	
seed	(ii)	cwt.									(ii)	
milling hard	(iii)										(iii)	
milling soft	(iv)										(iv)	
feeding—Other than denatured	(v)										(v)	
feeding—de-natured	(vi)										(vi)	
BARLEY*	(vii)										(vii)	
seed	(viii)										(viii)	
milling	(ix)										(ix)	
feeding and milling	(x)										(x)	
OATS*	(xi)										(xi)	
seed	(xii)										(xii)	
milling	(xiii)										(xiii)	
feeding												
RYE												
MAIZE												

SECTION 3 (17)	Ex Farm Spot Prices paid for Maltng Barley during week	
	Highest £.....per ton (18)	Lowest £.....per ton (19)

*WHEAT, BARLEY or OATS bought and coming within any category other than those specified should be included with feeding grain

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations revoke and re-enact with amendments the Corn Returns (Scotland) Regulations 1970 and the Corn Returns (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1972. The principal changes are:—

- (1) Amendment to areas to take account of the new local government areas in Scotland which come into existence on 16th May 1975 and from which returns of purchases of British corn are to be made under section 5 of the Corn Returns Act 1882 (as amended);
- (2) a new form of return is prescribed.

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