STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1979 No. 25

AGRICULTURE

AGRICULTURAL GRANTS, GOODS AND SERVICES

The Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968 (Amendment) Regulations 1979

Made - - - 10th January 1979
Laid before Parliament 19th January 1979
Coming into Operation 9th February 1979

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 7 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, after consultation with such organisations as appear to them appropriate as representing any interests concerned, hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968 (Amendment) Regulations 1979 and shall come into operation on 9th February 1979.

Amendment of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968

2. The Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968(b) shall be amended by substituting in section 40(3)(c) thereof for the words "acreage" and "acreages" the words "area" and "areas" respectively.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 10th January 1979.

(L.S.)

John Silkin, Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

8th January 1979.

Bruce Millan, Secretary of State for Scotland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations, which come into operation on 9th February 1979, amend the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968 by substituting references to "area" and "areas" for references to "acreage" and "acreages" in section 40(3)(c) of that Act, which provides for specifying the minimum amount of crop in respect of which payments may be made, and the manner in which the amounts of crop are to be determined for the purposes of a scheme made under sections 40(1) and (2) of that Act.

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