
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 1390 (C. 18)**PESTICIDES****The Food and Environment Protection Act 1985
(Commencement No. 1) Order 1985**

Made - - - - 4th September 1985

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 27(1) of the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985(a), hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1985.

2. The following provisions of the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985 shall come into force on 5th September 1985—

Part III;

Schedule 2, so far as it relates to Part III; and

Schedule 5.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 4th September 1985.



Michael Jopling,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Young,
The Secretary of State for Employment.

3rd September 1985.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order provides that Part III, of Schedule 2, so far as it relates to Part III, and Schedule 5 to the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985 shall come into force on 5th September 1985.

Part III of the Act empowers the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State ("the Ministers")—

- (a) to make regulations for the control of pesticides and to establish a committee to give them advice on the control of pests (section 16);
- (b) to issue codes of practice providing practical guidance as to the provisions of this Part of the Act or the regulations made under it (section 17);
- (c) to charge fees for certain services (section 18); and
- (d) to authorise persons to enforce this Part of the Act (section 19).

Schedule 2, with section 19, makes provision for enforcement, and Schedule 5 makes detailed provisions in relation to the advisory committee to be established by the Ministers under section 16(7).

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