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PLANT HEALTH

**The Watermark Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order
1986**

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>30th July 1986</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>6th August 1986</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>27th August 1986</i>

The Forestry Commissioners, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections 3(1), (2) and (4) and 5(1) of the Plant Health Act 1967 (a), as read with section 20 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1972 (b), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Watermark Disease (Local Authorities) (Amendment) Order 1986 and shall come into operation on 27th August 1986.

Amendment of the Watermark Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1974

2. The Watermark Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1974 (c) shall be amended by substituting for Schedule 1 thereto (local authorities to which the Order applies) the following Schedule—

"SCHEDULE 1

Article 3

LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO WHICH THIS ORDER APPLIES

County Councils:

Bedfordshire
Essex
Hertfordshire
Norfolk
Suffolk".

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Forestry Commissioners is hereunto affixed on 30th July 1986.

P. J. Clarke,
Secretary to the Forestry Commissioners.

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- (a) 1967 c.8; section 3(1) and (2) was amended by the European Communities Act 1972 (c.68), Schedule 4, paragraph 8; section 3(4) was last amended by the Criminal Justice Act 1982 (c.48), section 42.
(b) 1972 c.62.
(c) S.I. 1974/768, to which there is an amendment not relevant to this Order.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order further amends the Watermark Disease (Local Authorities) Order 1974 which confers powers on the local authorities listed in Schedule 1 to that Order to take steps to prevent the spread of the disease of willows known as watermark disease. This Order removes from that list of local authorities Cambridgeshire County Council and the London Borough Councils of Barking, Enfield, Havering, Newham and Redbridge (article 2).

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