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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1990 No. 530**

**ANIMALS**

**ANIMAL HEALTH**

**The Poultry Flocks, Hatcheries and  
Processed Animal Protein (Fees) Order 1990**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>7th March 1990</i>
<i>Laid before the House of Commons</i>	- - - -	<i>9th March 1990</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>		
<i>For the purposes of items 2 to 7 of Part I of the Schedule</i>		<i>1st June 1990</i>
<i>For all other purposes</i>		<i>2nd April 1990</i>

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Secretary of State for Wales, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 84(1) and 86(1) of the Animal Health Act 1981(1), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury in accordance with the said section 84(1), hereby make the following Order:

**Title and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Poultry Flocks, Hatcheries and Processed Animal Protein (Fees) Order 1990 and shall come into force for the purposes of items 2 to 7 of Part I of the Schedule to this Order on 1st June 1990 and for all other purposes on 2nd April 1990.

**Interpretation**

2. In this Order—

“the appropriate Minister” means, in relation to England, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, and in relation to Scotland or to Wales, the Secretary of State;

“the Breeding Flocks Order” means the Poultry Breeding Flocks and Hatcheries (Registration and Testing) Order 1989(2);

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(1) 1981 c. 22; section 86(1) contains a definition of “the Ministers” relevant to the exercise of the statutory powers under which this Order is made.  
(2) S.I.1989/1963, amended by S.I. 1990/347.

“the Laying Flocks Order” means the Poultry Laying Flocks (Testing and Registration etc.) Order 1989(3);

“the Minister” means the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

### **Fees**

3. There shall be paid—

- (a) to the appropriate Minister in respect of the transactions specified in column (1) of Part I of the Schedule to this Order; or
- (b) to the Minister in respect of the transactions specified in column (1) of Part II of the Schedule to this Order

the fees specified in column (2) of each Part respectively of that Schedule opposite the reference to those transactions, such fees being payable within 14 days of demand made by the appropriate Minister or the Minister (as the case may be) except that the fee specified in respect of a transaction specified in item 5(a) of Part II of that Schedule shall be payable on application for the authorisation referred to in that item.

### **Reduced fees**

4. Where any two or more transactions specified in item 5(a) or 7 of Part I of the Schedule to this Order or in item 2 of Part II of that Schedule are carried out on premises situated at the same address on the same occasion, the total fee payable in respect of those transactions shall be reduced by £35.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 6th March 1990.

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*John Selwyn Gummer*  
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

6th March 1990

*Sanderson of Bowden*  
Minister of State, Scottish Office

6th March 1990

*Peter Walker*  
Secretary of State for Wales

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(3) S.I. 1989/1964, to which there is an amendment not relevant to this Order.

We approve,

7th March 1990

*John Taylor*  
*Kenneth Carlisle*  
Two of the Lord Commissioners of Her  
Majesty's Treasury

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## SCHEDULE

Article 3(a)

## FEES

## PART I —

## PAYMENT TO THE APPROPRIATE MINISTER

(1) Transaction	(2) Fee
<p><b>1.</b> Issue of a certificate of registration in respect of not less than 100 birds under article 9(3) of the Laying Flocks Order.</p> <p>(a) (a) Initial inspection of breeding flock premises;</p> <p>(b) (b) issue of an annual certificate of registration under article 3(3) of the Breeding Flocks Order.</p> <p>(a) (a) Subsequent inspection of breeding flock premises;</p> <p>(b) (b) renewal of certificate of registration under article 3(8) of the Breeding Flocks Order.</p> <p>(a) (a) Initial inspection of hatchery premises;</p> <p>(b) (b) issue of an annual certificate of registration under article 4(3) of the Breeding Flocks Order.</p> <p>(a) (a) Subsequent inspection of hatchery premises;</p> <p>(b) (b) renewal of certificate of registration under article 4(8) of the Breeding Flocks Order.</p>	<p>£15</p> <p>£75</p> <p>£5</p> <p>£60</p> <p>£5</p> <p>£75</p> <p>£5</p> <p>£60</p> <p>£5</p>
<p><b>6.</b> Initial inspection of a breeding flock and hatchery premises where both premises are situated at the same address.</p>	<p>£100</p>
<p><b>7.</b> Subsequent inspection of a breeding flock and hatchery premises where both premises are situated at the same address.</p>	<p>£85</p>

## PART II — PAYMENT TO THE MINISTER

(1) Transaction	(2) Fee Article (3b)
<p><b>1.</b> Taking or the supervision of taking (as the case may be) by an officer of the Minister of samples from breeding flocks under article 6(a) of, and paragraphs 2(f) and 3 of Part I of Schedule 3 to, and article 7(a) of, and paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 4 to, the Breeding Flocks Order.</p>	<p>£45 for the first ½ hour (or part thereof) of each visit plus £11 per ½ hour (or part thereof) thereafter.</p>
<p><b>2.</b> Supervision by an officer of the Minister of the taking of samples from hatcheries under article 8(a) of, and paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part II of Schedule 3 to, the Breeding Flocks Order.</p>	<p>£45 for the first ½ hour (or part thereof) of each visit plus £11 per ½ hour (or part thereof) thereafter.</p>
<p><b>3.</b> Examination of samples from breeding flocks by an officer of the Minister, under article 6(a) of, and paragraphs 2(f) and 3 of Part I of Schedule 3 to, the Breeding Flocks Order, of—</p> <p>(a) a composite faeces sample</p> <p>(b) (b) cloacal swabs (up to a maximum of 30)</p> <p>(c) (c) a composite dust sample.</p>	<p>£6</p> <p>£6</p> <p>£6</p>
<p><b>4.</b> Examination of samples from hatcheries by an officer of the Minister, under article 8(a) of, and paragraph 1(a)—(c) of Part II of Schedule 3 to, the Breeding Flocks Order, of—</p> <p>(a) a composite meconium sample</p> <p>(b) (b) chicks dead in shell (up to a maximum of 50)</p> <p>(c) (c) chicks hatched from eggs (up to a maximum of 50).</p> <p>(a) (a) Inspection prior to the authorisation of a laboratory for the purposes of the Laying Flocks Order, the Breeding Flocks Order or the Processed Animal Protein Order 1989(4);</p> <p>(b) (b) distribution of quality assurance samples prior to the authorisation of a laboratory for the purposes of these Orders;</p>	<p>£6</p> <p>£9</p> <p>£9</p> <p>£250</p> <p>£75</p>

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(1) Transaction	(2) Fee Article (3b)
(c) (c) issue of an annual authorisation for the purposes of these Orders.	£100
6. Inspection of a laboratory with a view to deciding whether the annual authorisation should be renewed or revoked.	£250

### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order prescribes the fees to be paid to the appropriate Minister (as defined in the Order) or the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food for the issue of a certificate of registration in respect of laying and breeding flock and hatchery premises. Separate fees are payable for the initial and subsequent inspection of breeding flock or hatchery premises. A reduced fee is payable where the flock and hatchery are situated at the same address (article 3 and the Schedule). Fees are also reduced where two or more specified transactions are carried out on premises situated at the same address on the same occasion (article 4).

Fees are prescribed for the issue of the annual renewal certificate of registration, for the taking or the supervision of the taking of samples by an officer of the Minister, for the examination of those samples and for the inspection and authorisation of laboratories for the purposes of certain Orders relating to poultry and protein processing (article 3 and the Schedule).

The fees prescribed in respect of transactions specified in Part I of the Schedule (except item 1) shall come into force on 1st June 1990 and the remaining fees shall come into force on 2nd April 1990 (article 1).