

**Peat Moss Litter (Prohibition) Order of 1926.**

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND BY VIRTUE AND IN EXERCISE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT UNDER THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1894, AS AMENDED.

1926. No. 70.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in it under the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, as amended and adapted by any subsequent enactments and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, orders and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

*Peat Moss Litter Prohibited.*

1. From and after the date of this Order it shall be unlawful to land in or move into Northern Ireland litter consisting wholly or partly of peat moss won or cut anywhere in Europe other than the Irish Free State.

*Offences.*

2. If any peat moss litter shall be landed or moved in contravention of this Order, the owner thereof and the owner and lessee and the occupier of the place of landing, and the person or Company causing, directing or permitting the landing or movement, and the owner or charterer, and the Master of the vessel from which the same is landed, shall each, according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

*Short Title.*

3. This Order may be cited as the Peat Moss Litter (Prohibition) Order of 1926.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland is hereunto affixed this ninth day of July, nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

(Signed),

James S. Gordon,  
Secretary.

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