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DISEASES OF ANIMALS

Scheduled Substances—Amendment and Exemption

ORDER, DATED 11TH DECEMBER 1968, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTIONS 32A AND 32C OF THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958.

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Sections 32A and 32C of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958(a) (as added by Section 3 of the Diseases of Animals (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(b)) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Diseases of Animals (Amendment of Scheduled Substances and Exemption) Order (Northern Ireland) 1968 and shall come into operation on the 1st February 1969.

Interpretation

2. In this Order:

“The Act” means the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958.

Amendment of Schedule

3. To Part II of the Fourth Schedule to the Act (as added by Section 3 of the Diseases of Animals (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966 and amended by the Diseases of Animals (Amendment of Scheduled Substances) Order (Northern Ireland) 1967(c)) there shall be added the following paragraphs:

“4. (a) Any of the following substances to be administered to swine:

Para-aminophenylarsonic acid
Sodium para-aminophenylarsonic acid
4-hydroxy-3-nitrophenylarsonic acid
4-nitrophenylarsonic acid
4-ureidophenylarsonic acid
Arsenosobenzene

(b) Any other organic compound of arsenic.

5. Any substance containing any proportion of any of the substances specified in paragraph 4 if such substance is to be administered to swine.

6. The prohibition in Section 32A of the Act shall not apply to any person who has in his possession a substance specified in paragraphs 4 and 5 for administration to animals other than swine (whether by himself or by any other person) or who administers any such substance to any animal other than swine.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 11th day of December 1968, in the presence of

(L.S.)

A. E. W. Steen,

Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1958, c. 13.

(b) 1966, c. 23 (N.I.).

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 297.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order prohibits the administration of organic compounds of arsenic to swine except for therapeutic purposes under the direction of a veterinary surgeon.