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ANIMALS

DISEASES OF ANIMALS

The Diseases of Animals (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 1976

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>22nd June 1976</i>
<i>Laid before the House of Commons -</i>	<i>24th June 1976</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>15th July 1976</i>

(Subject to Article 1)

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 16(1) and (5) of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1963(a) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby order as follows:—

Citation, extent and commencement

1. This order, which may be cited as the Diseases of Animals (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 1976, shall apply to Great Britain and shall come into operation—

- (a) except in so far as it makes payable the fees specified in the first column of item 2 of the Schedule, on 15th July 1976, and
- (b) in so far as it makes those fees payable, on 1st September 1976.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this order, unless the context otherwise requires, “the Schedule” means the Schedule to this order, and “enactment” includes an order.

(2) Any reference in this order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended or extended, and as including a reference to any enactment which may re-enact or replace it.

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Fees

3.—(1) For the rendering of the services described in the entry in the first column of an item of the Schedule, being business transacted or to be transacted under the Diseases of Animals Act 1950(c) pursuant to the order or, as the case may be, one of the orders mentioned opposite that entry in the second column of that item, there shall be payable the fees specified in that entry in respect of those services.

(a) 1963 c. 11.

(b) 1889 c. 63.

(c) 1950 c. 36.

(2) The said fees shall be payable—

(a) as respects business transacted in England and Wales to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, and

(b) as respects business transacted in Scotland to the Secretary of State.

Variation and Revocation of the Diseases of Animals (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 1972.

4.—(1) The Schedule to the Diseases of Animals (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 1972(a), as varied(b), shall be varied by omitting therefrom items 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8.

(2) The said order, as hereby and previously varied, shall with effect from 1st September 1976 be revoked.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 18th June 1976.

(L.S.)

Frederick Peart,
Minister of Agriculture,
Fisheries and Food.

Bruce Millan,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

21st June 1976.

We approve,
22nd June 1976.

David Stoddart,
T. E. Graham,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) S.I. 1972/863 (1972 II, p. 2757).

(b) S.I. 1976/453 (1976 I, p. 1326).

Article 3

SCHEDULE

Business transacted under the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 and fees payable therefor	Relevant Orders
<p>1. In respect of cattle, sheep, goats and all other ruminating animals and swine imported from the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, Northern Ireland or the Republic of Ireland, for each veterinary examination of—</p> <p>(a) cattle 33p a head.</p> <p>(b) sheep, goats and all other ruminating animals (except cattle) and swine 15p a head.</p>	<p>The Animals (Landing from Channel Islands, Isle of Man, Northern Ireland, and Republic of Ireland) Order 1955(a) as amended(b).</p>
<p>2. In respect of cattle, sheep, goats or swine, or animals intended for exceptional purposes (not being for the purpose of exhibition), imported from any country other than those listed in item 1 above—</p> <p>(i) (a) for approval of quarantine premises, inspection of animals on arrival, supervision of transportation from port of entry to the quarantine premises and laboratory tests carried out during the quarantine period £360 per consignment.</p> <p>(b) for examination and testing of native animals prior to their entry into the quarantine premises for use as control animals £20 for each examination of animals at the farm of origin.</p>	<p>Orders made under Section 27 of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 (other than The Importation of Animals for Exhibition Order 1974(c)).</p> <p>The Animals (Importations from Canada) Order 1976(d).</p>

(a) S.I. 1955/1310 (1955 I, p. 190).

(b) The amending orders are not relevant to the subject matter of this order.

(c) Not a statutory instrument, but made jointly by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State on 15th March 1974 under s. 27 of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950.

(d) S.I. 1976/597 (1976 I, p. 1719).

Business transacted under the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 and fees payable therefor	Relevant Orders
<p>2. (cont.)</p> <p>(c) for examination, supervision, testing and blood sampling of animals comprised in a consignment £70 for each day spent in quarantine.</p> <p>(ii) for each veterinary examination of cattle imported from Canada not involving quarantine procedure 33p a head.</p>	
<p>3. In respect of ruminating animals and swine imported for exhibition purposes—</p> <p>(a) for approval of quarantine premises, inspection of animals on arrival and supervision of transportation from port of entry to the quarantine premises... .. £64 per consignment.</p> <p>(b) for supervisory visits made during the closed and open quarantine periods £21 for each visit.</p>	The Importation of Animals for Exhibition Order 1974.
<p>4. In respect of each importation from any country other than the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, Northern Ireland or the Republic of Ireland of poultry, day-old poultry chicks or poultry eggs intended for hatching other than those listed in item 5 below—</p> <p>(i) where the importation is followed by periods of quarantine—</p> <p>(a) for administrative services £54 per consignment.</p> <p>(b) for approval of quarantine premises, examinations, inspection and supervisory visits made during quarantine periods £33.50 for each visit.</p> <p>(c) for blood sampling, post mortem examinations, field and laboratory tests carried out during quarantine periods The fees set out in item 8 below.</p>	The Poultry and Hatching Eggs (Importation) Order 1972(a) as amended (b).

(a) S.I. 1972/2025 (1972 III, p. 6004)

(b) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1973/1964, 1974/1183 (1973 III, p. 6815; 1974 II, p. 4469).

Business transacted under the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 and fees payable therefor	Relevant Orders
<p>4. (cont.)</p> <p>(ii) where the importation is NOT followed by a period of quarantine—</p> <p>(a) for administrative services £7 per consignment.</p> <p>(b) for examination and inspection visits made as a result of reported illness or death £24 for each visit.</p> <p>(c) for blood sampling, post mortem examinations, field and laboratory tests The fees set out in item 8 below.</p>	
<p>5. In respect of each importation from any country other than the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, Northern Ireland or the Republic of Ireland of poultry, day-old poultry chicks or poultry eggs intended for hatching—for exhibition or for other exceptional purposes:—</p> <p>(a) for administrative services £7 per consignment.</p> <p>(b) for approval of quarantine/isolation premises, examination, inspection and supervisory visits made during quarantine/isolation period £24 for each visit.</p> <p>(c) for blood sampling, post-mortem examinations, field and laboratory tests carried out during quarantine/isolation period The fees set out in item 8 below.</p>	The Poultry and Hatching Eggs (Importation) Order 1972 as amended.
<p>6. In respect of each movement into Scotland from any other part of Great Britain of poultry, day-old poultry chicks or poultry eggs intended for hatching—not for exhibition or other exceptional purposes:—</p> <p>(a) for administrative services £34 per consignment.</p>	The Live Poultry (Restrictions) Order 1971(a).

(a) S.I. 1971/311 (1971 I, p. 1046).

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<p>6. (cont.)</p> <p>(b) for approval of quarantine premises, examination, inspection and supervisory visits made during quarantine periods £31 for each visit.</p> <p>(c) for blood sampling, post-mortem examinations, field and laboratory tests carried out during quarantine periods The fees set out in item 8 below.</p>	
<p>7. In respect of each movement into Scotland from any other part of Great Britain of poultry, day-old poultry chicks or poultry eggs intended for hatching—for exhibition or for other exceptional purposes:—</p> <p>(a) for administrative services £7 per consignment.</p> <p>(b) for approval of quarantine/isolation premises, examination, inspection and supervisory visits made during quarantine/isolation period £24 for each visit.</p> <p>(c) for blood sampling, post-mortem examinations, field and laboratory tests carried out during quarantine/isolation period The fees set out in item 8 below.</p>	<p>The Live Poultry (Restrictions) Order 1971.</p>
<p>8. In respect of poultry, day-old poultry chicks and poultry eggs intended for hatching coming within any one of items 4, 5, 6, or 7 above:—</p> <p>(i) blood sampling of poultry and marking such poultry for identification £16.65 for each hundred samples (to be charged proportionately).</p>	<p>The Poultry and Hatching Eggs (Importation) Order 1972 as amended.</p> <p>The Live Poultry (Restrictions) Order 1971.</p>

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8. (cont.) (ii) application of rapid plate (or slide) test for bacillary white diarrhoea (S. pullorum infection) £46.55 for each thousand tests (to be charged proportionately). (iii) application of rapid plate (or slide) test for other diseases or conditions specified in import or movement licence ... 17p for each test. (iv) laboratory post-mortem examination of— (a) carcase of single bird £4.45 per bird. (b) batches of poultry (including eggs) £5.95 per batch. (v) laboratory testing— (a) blood samples for Newcastle disease or mycoplasmosis (b) pooled blood samples for infectious bronchitis £30.25 for each test. (c) pooled blood samples for duck plague £6.60 for each test.	
9. In respect of the importation of captive birds, for each approval or re-approval of quarantine/isolation premises prior to a proposed importation £35.	The Importation of Captive Birds Order 1976(a).
10. In respect of the reception and pre-export isolation of animals in an export quarantine station provided by the Minister or the Secretary of State: for— for a quarantine period of up to 17 days— per animal Adult cattle £36 Calves (under 10 months) £18 Pigs £12 Sheep £9 Goats £9 for each additional day after 17 days— per animal £1.50 £0.75 £0.50 £0.40 £0.40	The Export Quarantine Stations (Regulation) Order 1973(b).

(a) S.I. 1976/189 (1976 I, p. 480).

(b) S.I. 1973/824 (1973 I, p. 2609).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order prescribes increased fees payable to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food or to the Secretary of State for Scotland for business transacted (that is, services rendered) under the Diseases of Animals Act 1950. These services, arising out of orders made under the Act, are required in relation to the importation of cattle, sheep, goats, other ruminating animals, swine, poultry, and hatching eggs, to the movement of poultry and hatching eggs from England and Wales to Scotland, and to the quarantining of cattle, pigs, sheep and goats before export.

The Order comes into force on 15th July 1976 except in respect of item 2 of the Schedule. That item (which sets out fees payable on the importation from countries other than the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, Northern Ireland or the Republic of Ireland, of cattle, sheep, goats or swine, or animals intended for exceptional, but not exhibition, purposes) will have effect only from 1st September 1976. Until that date those fees will continue to be specified by the existing Diseases of Animals (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 1972. That order is accordingly immediately amended, or partially revoked, by this order so as to relate only to those fees, and is revoked in full with effect from 1st September 1976.

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