STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1986 No. 538

RIVER, ENGLAND AND WALES RIVER, SCOTLAND

SALMON AND FRESHWATER FISHERIES

The Diseases of Fish (Amendment) Regulations 1986

Made - - - - 12th March 1986 Coming into Operation 17th March 1986

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in relation to England, and any marine waters adjacent to England, the Secretary of State for Scotland in relation to Scotland (including the marine waters thereof) and the Secretary of State for Wales in relation to Wales, and any marine waters adjacent to Wales, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 9 of the Diseases of Fish Act 1937(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

Title and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Diseases of Fish (Amendment) Regulations 1986, and shall come into operation on 17th March 1986.

Variation of the Diseases of Fish Regulations 1984

2. The Schedule contained in the Schedule to these regulations shall be substituted for Schedule 1 to the Diseases of Fish Regulations 1984(b).

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 3rd March 1986.



(Sgd.) J. C. Edwards, Assistant Secretary.

(Sgd.) I. M. Whitelaw, Assistant Secretary, Scottish Office.

12th March 1986.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Wales.

(Sgd.) G. Owen, Assistant Secretary, Welsh Office.

10th March 1986.

⁽a) 1937 c. 33; the definition of "the Minister" in section 10(1) was inserted by section 5 of and paragraph 8 of the Schedule to the Diseases of Fish Act 1983 (c. 30).

(b) S.I. 1984/455.

Regulation 2

SCHEDULE

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Regulation 2

FORM OF LICENCE TO IMPORT LIVE FISH OR EGGS OF FISH THE DISEASES OF FISH ACT 1937

Licence No. Licence to import live fish or eggs of fish [The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food] [The Secretary of State], in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 1 of the Diseases of Fish Act 1937 (c. 33), as amended by the Diseases of Fish Act 1983 (c. 30), hereby authorises of to have consigned to him the -live freshwater fish -live eggs of freshwater fish -live fish of the salmon family -live eggs of fish of the salmon family which are to be imported into [England] [Scotland] [Wales] and particulars of which are set out below. This licence shall be valid for months beginning on [and is subject to the following conditions:] (Conditions imposed in pursuance of section 1(3)(a) of the Diseases of Fish Act 1937) Signature Date On behalf of the [Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food] [Secretary of State for Scotland] [Secretary of State for Wales] **PARTICULARS**

(Particulars of fish and eggs of fish which may be imported under the licence)".

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations amend the Diseases of Fish Regulations 1984 by substituting a new schedule for Schedule 1 to those regulations, which contains the form of licence to import live fish or eggs of fish. The new schedule amends the form of licence so as to provide for the granting of licences for the importation of live fish of the salmon family as well as of live freshwater fish and live eggs of fish of the salmon family or of freshwater fish, if there is in force an order under section 1(6) of the Diseases of Fish Act 1937. Some drafting amendments to the form of licence are also made.

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