

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2008 No. 576

**The Agriculture and Horticulture
Development Board Order 2008**

Ballots

11.—^{F1}(1) For each industry for which there is a levy in place under article 6, the Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board—

- (a) must hold a vote at least once every five years on proposals as to how the levy will be spent;
- (b) may hold a ballot at any time on whether or not a levy should continue (“levy continuation ballot”).]

(2) It must ^{F2}hold a levy continuation ballot] if directed by the appropriate authority.

^{F3}(3) It must hold a levy continuation ballot if, within a three month period, it receives from 5% or more of persons entitled to vote in such a ballot a signed request or requests for such a ballot.]

(4) The three month period is calculated from the first day of any month.

(5) The maximum frequency with which ^{F4}a levy continuation ballot] for the same levy can be held at the request of persons entitled to vote is 5 years.

^{F5}(6)

(7) The Board must immediately inform the appropriate authority of the result of a ^{F6}levy continuation ballot], but the appropriate authority is not bound by the result.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Art. 11(1) substituted (26.5.2022) by The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (S.I. 2022/577), arts. 1(1), **2(5)(a)**
- F2** Words in art. 11(2) substituted (26.5.2022) by The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (S.I. 2022/577), arts. 1(1), **2(5)(b)**
- F3** Art. 11(3) substituted (26.5.2022) by The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (S.I. 2022/577), arts. 1(1), **2(5)(c)**
- F4** Words in art. 11(5) substituted (26.5.2022) by The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (S.I. 2022/577), arts. 1(1), **2(5)(d)**
- F5** Art. 11(6) omitted (26.5.2022) by virtue of The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (S.I. 2022/577), arts. 1(1), **2(5)(e)**
- F6** Words in art. 11(7) substituted (26.5.2022) by The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (S.I. 2022/577), arts. 1(1), **2(5)(f)**

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board Order 2008, Section 11.