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ANIMALS, WALES

ANIMAL HEALTH

The Sheep and Goats Identification and Movement (Interim Measures) (Wales) (No.2) (Amendment) (No.2) Order 2003

Made - - - -	*26th March 2003*
Coming into force - -	*31st March 2003*

The National Assembly for Wales and the Secretary of State, acting jointly in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 1 and 8(1) of the Animal Health Act 1981(**1**) make the following Order:

Title, application and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Sheep and Goats Identification and Movement (Interim Measures) (Wales) (No. 2) (Amendment) (No.2) Order 2003; it applies in relation to Wales and comes into force on 31st March 2003.

Interpretation

2. In this Order "the Principal Order" means the Sheep and Goats Identification and Movement (Interim Measures) (Wales) (No. 2) Order 2002(**2**).

Amendment of article 1

3. In article 1(2) of the Principal Order the words "1st August 2003" are substituted for "1st April 2003".

(**1**) 1981 c. 22. Functions conferred under the 1981 Act on "the Ministers" (as defined in section 86 of that Act) were transferred so far as exercisable by the Secretary of State for Wales in relation to Wales, to the National Assembly for Wales by the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I.1999/672). The joint functions of "the Ministers" exercisable by the Secretary of State for Scotland in relation to Wales were transferred to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food by the Transfer of Functions (Agriculture and Food) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/3141). All functions of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food were then further transferred to the Secretary of State by the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Dissolution) Order 2002 (S.I. 2002/794).

(**2**) S.I. 2002/2302 (W.227), amended by S.I. 2003/167 (W.27).