STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2016 No. 137

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

ANIMALS

The Scrapie (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

Made - - - -	*9th March 2016*
Coming into operation	*1st April 2016*

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development—

(a) being a Department designated(**1**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**2**) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Union in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the said section 2(2); and

(b) in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 56(1), (2) and (5) of the Finance Act 1973(**3**); and

(c) with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel in respect of the powers conferred by that section 56,

makes the following Regulations.

Citation and commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Scrapie (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016 and come into operation on 1st April 2016.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**4**) shall apply to these Regulations as it shall apply to an Act of the Assembly.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations "the principal Regulations" means the Scrapie (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008(**5**).

(**1**) S.I. 2000/2812
(**2**) 1972 c 68
(**3**) 1973 c 51
(**4**) 1954 c.33 (N.I.)
(**5**) S.R. 2008 No. 456 amended by S.R. 2013 No. 118