STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2006 No. 165

PLANT HEALTH

Plant Health (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2006

Made - - - -	*29th March 2006*
Coming into operation	*1st May 2006*

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development(**1**), in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(**2**), 3(**3**), and 4(1)(**4**) of the Plant Health Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(**5**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Plant Health (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2006 and shall come into operation on 1st May 2006.

Amendment of the Plant Health Order (Northern Ireland) 2006

2. The Plant Health Order (Northern Ireland) 2006(**6**) shall be amended in accordance with the following Articles.

3. For Article 7(3) there shall be substituted—

"(3) Where relevant material consigned to Northern Ireland via any third country by way of transit—

(a) has or may have been exposed to infection or contamination by any plant pest;

(b) no longer remains the same material specified in the phytosanitary certificate which accompanies it; or

(c) has been processed so as to change its nature,

the phytosanitary certificate required to accompany it shall be issued in the country of transit.".

(**1**) Formerly the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland; *see* S.I.1999/283 (N.I. 1)Art. 3(4)
(**2**) As amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No 351 Art. 3 and Sch. 2; 1979 c. 2, s. 177 (1) and Sch. 4 Pt.II; and S.I. 1984/702 (N.I. 2) Art. 15(2)
(**3**) Section 3(1) was amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No 351 Art. 3 and Sch. 2; Section 3B was inserted by S.I. 1984/702 (N.I. 2) Art. 15(2)
(**4**) As amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No 351 Art. 3 and Sch. 2 and S.I. 1984/702 (N.I. 2) Art. 15(2)
(**5**) 1967 c. 28 (N.I.)
(**6**) S.R. 2006 No. 82