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The Sheep Annual Premium (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990

Made . . . . . 19th December 1990

Coming into operation . . . 15th January 1991

The Department of Agriculture, being a Department designated(**a**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**b**) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Community, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by that section and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Sheep Annual Premium (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990 and shall come into operation on 15th January 1991.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**c**) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to a Measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment of the Sheep Annual Premium Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987

3. For regulation 4(2) of the Sheep Annual Premium Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987(**d**) there shall be substituted—

> "(2) An application for a premium in respect of a marketing year shall be delivered to the competent authority on or after 28th January in the calendar year in which the marketing year commences and not later than 27th February in that calendar year or if 27th February is a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday, the next following working day.".

Revocations

4. The Sheep Annual Premium (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1989(**e**) and the Sheep Annual Premium (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990(**f**) are hereby revoked.

(**a**) S.I. 1972/1811
(**b**) 1972 c. 68; section 2 is subject to Schedule 2 to that Act and is to be read with S.I. 1984/703 (N.I. 3) and S.R. (N.I.) 1984 No. 253
(**c**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)
(**d**) S.R. 1987 No. 87, amended by S.R. 1989 No. 459 and S.R. 1990 No. 3
(**e**) S.R. 1989 No. 459
(**f**) S.R. 1990 No. 3