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ANIMALS

Diseases of Animals (Importation of Machinery) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1982

Made	*21st April 1982*
Coming into operation . . .	*10th May 1982*

The Department of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 5(1), 19, 24(1) and 29(1) of the Diseases of Animals (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Diseases of Animals (Importation of Machinery) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1982 and shall come into operation on 10th May 1982.

Amendment of order

2. The Diseases of Animals (Importation of Machinery) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979(b) shall be amended as follows:

(1) In article 2—

(*a*) for the definition of "machinery" there shall be substituted—

""machinery" means any article of machinery or equipment or any part thereof;"; and

(*b*) after the definition of "poultry" there shall be inserted—

""vehicle" includes any van, lorry, articulated vehicle, trailer or other container or any part thereof.".

(2) In article 3—

(*a*) for paragraph (1) there shall be substituted—

"(1)(*a*) Subject to the provisions of this order no person shall import any vehicle or machinery which has been in use and by means of which disease might be carried or transmitted.

(*b*) The provisions of sub-paragraph (*a*) shall not apply where the vehicle or machinery before being loaded into the vessel, hovercraft, aircraft or other conveyance in which it is brought into Northern Ireland, has been cleansed and disinfected in the manner described in the Schedule.";

(*b*) in paragraphs (2) to (4) for "machinery" where it occurs there shall be substituted "vehicle or machinery"; and

(*c*) in paragraph (2) for "paragraph (1)" there shall be substituted "paragraph (1)(*b*)".

(3) In article 4 for "machinery" where it occurs there shall be substituted "vehicle or machinery".

(a) S.I. 1981/1115 (N.I. 22)
(b) S.R. 1979 No. 281