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SEEDS

Seeds Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 (Amendment) Regulations 1977

Made . . . . . 12*th October* 1977

Coming into operation . . . 30*th November* 1977

The Department(**a**) of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 20(1)(*b*) and (2)(*a*), of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(**b**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, after consultation with such organisations as appear to it appropriate as representing any interests concerned, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Seeds Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 (Amendment) Regulations 1977 and shall come into operation on 30th November 1977.

Amendment

2. In section 2(2)(*f*)(i) of the Seeds Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(**c**) for "acreages" there shall be substituted "areas".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 12th October 1977.

D. J. Alexander
Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations provide for the substitution of the word "areas" for the word "acreages" in section 2(2)(*f*)(i) of the Seeds Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 to make it compatible with the use of metric units.

(**a**) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(**b**) S.I. 1977 No. 1245 (N.I. 12)
(**c**) 1965 c. 22 (N.I.)