1977 No. 245

AGRICULTURE

Pig Production Development (Contribution) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977

Made . . . . . *9th August* 1977
Coming into operation . . . *5th September* 1977

The Department(a) of Agriculture on the recommendation of the Northern Ireland Pig Production Development Committee and in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 4(1) of the Pig Production Development Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(b) as amended by Article 17 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(c) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Pig Production Development (Contribution) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on 5th September 1977.

Determination of Contribution

2. The amount of the contribution to be paid by every person who sells pigs to the Pigs Marketing Board shall be 0.325 per cent of the payment made by that Board to that person in respect of such pigs.

Revocation

3. The Pig Production Development (Determination of Levy) Order (Northern Ireland) 1975(d) is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 9th August 1977.

(L.S.) *W. H. Parker*
Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order replaces the Pig Production Development (Determination of Levy) Order (Northern Ireland) 1975. It changes the basis of producer contributions to the Pig Production Development Fund from a levy per pig to a percentage of the payment made to such producers by the Pigs Marketing Board.

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(b) 1964 c. 25 (N.I.)
(c) S.I. 1977/1245 (N.I. 12)
(d) S.R. 1975 No. 194 (II, p. 1017)