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Cattle—Breeding Herds

Scheme, dated 20th December 1973, made by the Secretary of State under section 1 of the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 as amended by the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1957.

WHEREAS by section 1(1) of the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(a) as amended by the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1957(b) the Ministry of Agriculture may, in accordance with and subject to Schemes made by the Minister of Agriculture with the approval of the Minister of Finance, make payments to or for the benefit (whether direct or indirect) of farmers producing any produce specified in the Scheme:

AND WHEREAS by sub-section 1(a) of section 1 of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972(c) it is provided that so long as that section has effect all functions which apart from that Act belong to any Minister of Northern Ireland shall be discharged by the Secretary of State:

Now, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 1 of the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 as amended by the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1957 and by section 1(1) of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972 and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf hereby makes the following Scheme:—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Scheme may be cited as the Cattle (Breeding Herds) (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1973 and shall be construed as one with the Cattle (Breeding Herds) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1968(d) (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Scheme").

(2) This Scheme shall come into force on 21st December 1973.

Amendment of the 1968 Scheme

2. At the end of paragraph 6(2) of the Principal Scheme there shall be added the words "and the Hill Cattle (Breeding Herds) (Northern Ireland) Scheme 1973."(e).

Dated this 20th day of December 1973.

Francis Pym, One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 166. (e) S.I. 1973, No. 830.

(a) 1954. c. 31. (b) 1957. c. 3.

(c) 1972. c. 22.