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ANIMALS

Licensing of Bulls

RULES, DATED 25TH JULY 1973, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER THE LIVE STOCK BREEDING ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1922, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 2 OF THE AGRICULTURE (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1960 AND BY SECTION 2 OF THE AGRICULTURE (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1967.

The Ministry of Agriculture on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the Live Stock Breeding Act (Northern Ireland) 1922(**a**) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Rules:—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) These Rules may be cited as the Live Stock Breeding (Licensing of Bulls) (Amendment) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1973 and shall be read as one with the Live Stock Breeding (Licensing of Bulls) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1968(**b**) and 1970(**c**) hereinafter referred to as the Principal Rules.

(2) These Rules shall come into operation on 6th August 1973.

Amendment of the Principal Rules

2. In paragraph 11(1)(*a*) of the Principal Rules after the words "South Devon" there shall be added the word "Simmental".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 25th day of July 1973 in the presence of

(L.S.)

J. Parke,
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Rules amend the Principal Rules by including Simmental bulls in the prescribed categories of bulls which are eligible for inspection for a Beef Licence.

(**a**) 12 & 13 Geo. 5. c. 12 (N.I.).
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 181.
(**c**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970, No. 231.