1970 No. 145 **[NC]**

DISEASES OF ANIMALS

Landing of Carcases and Animal Products

ORDER, DATED 2ND JUNE, 1970, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTIONS 18 AND 53 OF THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958.

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Sections 18 and 53 of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958(a) and of every other power enabling it on that behalf hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Landing of Carcases and Animal Products Order (Northern Ireland) 1970 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1970.

Revocation

2. The enactments listed in the Second Schedule are hereby revoked, as from the date of commencement of this Order.

Interpretation

3. In this Order—

"animal" means a bovine animal, sheep, goat or other ruminating animal, horse or swine;

"animal product" means meat meal, meat and bone meal, bone meal, bone flour, hoof and horn meal, blood meal and dried blood or any product containing any of the aforesaid products and also any product derived from the meat of an animal including in particular fat (whether rendered or otherwise processed), lard, meat extracts or oil (whether processed or unprocessed) so derived;

"carcase" means the carcase of an animal and includes part of the carcase and the meat, bones, hide, skin, hair, hooves, horns, offal or other part of an animal, separately or otherwise, or any portion thereof;

"Ministry" means the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland.

4. This Order applies to any carcase or animal product and to any other product, whether uncooked, cooked or otherwise processed, containing meat or offal of an animal.

Restriction on landing of Carcases and Animal Products

5. Subject to Article 6 the landing of carcases or animal products from any country outside Northern Ireland (other than carcases and animal products originating in and imported direct from the Republic of Ireland) is hereby prohibited except under and in accordance with the conditions of a licence issued by the Ministry.

(a) 1958. c. 13.

6. The provisions of Article 5 shall not apply to the carcases or products mentioned in the First Schedule, provided that the requirements, if any, mentioned in that Schedule have been fulfilled.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 2nd day of June 1970. in the presence of

(L.S.)

A. E. W. Steen,
Assistant Secretary.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Carcases and Products Referred to in Article 6

1. Animal products in sealed metal or glass containers (other than hams, luncheon meats, frankfurters and other cured sausages) landed in shipping containers marked to indicate their contents.

2. Meat extracts intended for human consumption.

3. Leather.

4. Wool.

5. Bone phosphates and bone charcoal imported in clean new plastic or paper sacks.

6. Fell-mongered cow hair, goat hair and horse hair and pigs' bristles, dressed, bunched and sorted, which are accompanied by a declaration from the consignor (endorsed and stamped by a duly authorised official of the Government of the country in which processing has been undertaken) to the effect that the hair or bristles have been pulled from hides or skins which have been treated with the lime process or by the chemical process. Such declaration shall be in the language of the country in which processing was carried out with, where appropriate, a line by line English translation.

7. Hides and skins which have been processed to the stage of chrome-tanned leather in the wet-blue state and which are accompanied by a declaration from the consignor (endorsed and stamped by a duly authorised official of the Government of the country in which processing has been undertaken) that the hides or skins have been processed to the stage of chrome-tanned leather in the wet-blue state. Such declaration shall be in the language of the country in which processing was carried out with, where appropriate, a line by line English translation.