EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order designates the Rural District of Antrim as the site of a New Town. The Order also distinguishes certain lands within the designated area as lands which the Ministry of Development proposes to acquire for the purposes of the proposed New Town.

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AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE

Ladders

REGULATIONS, DATED 8TH JULY 1966, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 1 OF THE AGRICULTURE (SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1959(a).

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 1 of the Agriculture (Safety, Health and Welfare Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland) 1959 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, after consultation with such organisations as appear to it to represent the interest concerned, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Agriculture (Ladders) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966, shall come into operation on the 1st day of November 1966.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations—

"ladder" does not include a permanently fixed ladder, or a ladder made of rope or other non-rigid material, but save as aforesaid includes every kind of ladder (including steps and a trestle-ladder), whether made of wood, metal or other material;

"rung" means the rail or tread, serving as a step, set into the stiles of a ladder;

"steps" means a ladder (other than a trestle-ladder) provided with a means of self-support;

"stile" means the side-rail of a ladder into which the rungs are fitted;

"tie-rod" means a metal rod, extending through both stiles, which is so secured as to prevent the stiles moving apart;

"trestle-ladder" means a ladder made of two frames hinged together at the top, both being fitted with rungs.

(a) 1959, c. 24.