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DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS

Potato Root Eelworm

ORDER, DATED 27TH JULY, 1964, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER THE DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1877 TO 1934.

The Ministry of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers vested in it under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts (Northern Ireland) 1877 to 1934(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

Short Title and Commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Potato Root Eelworm (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1964.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on 1st day of August, 1964.

Amendment of the Potato Root Eelworm Order (Northern Ireland) 1960

2. For Article 3 of the Potato Root Eelworm Order (Northern Ireland) 1960(**b**) there shall be substituted the following Article:—

"**3.**—(1) Potatoes shall not be planted or grown or permitted to be planted or grown more often than once in any period of five years in the same land within the districts specified in the Schedule except:—

(*a*) under the authority of a licence issued by the Ministry, or

(*b*) in a garden immediately adjoining a dwelling house where all the produce from the garden is retained for the use of the occupants of the said dwelling house.

(2) The provisions of paragraph (1) shall not operate so as to allow potatoes to be planted or grown more often than twice in any period of eight years in the same land within the districts specified in the Schedule.

(3) An Inspector may, for the purpose of ascertaining whether potatoes have been planted or are growing or have been grown in any land, enter upon any land and take such steps as may be necessary to determine whether potatoes have been so planted or are growing or have been grown and the area over which such planting or growing has taken place."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 27th day of July, 1964, in the presence of

(L.S.) *A. McKelvie,*
Assistant Secretary.

(**a**) 40 & 41 Vict. c. 68; 7 Edw. 7. c. 4; & 24 & 25 Geo. 5. c. 4 (N.I.).
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 27.