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As this Order has been classified as local it is not printed at length in this volume. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules and Orders of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.

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ANIMAL

Pig Testing

SCHEME, DATED 29TH JANUARY, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE AGRICULTURE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949.

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 9 of the Agriculture Act (Northern Ireland), 1949(**a**), and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Scheme by way of amendment of the Accredited Pig Herds and Litter Testing Scheme (Northern Ireland), 1961(**b**), (hereinafter referred to as the "Principal Scheme"):

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Scheme may be cited as the Accredited Pig Herds and Litter Testing (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland), 1963.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Principal Scheme and the Principal Scheme and this Scheme may be cited together as the Accredited Pig Herds and Litter Testing Scheme (Northern Ireland), 1961 to 1963.

(3) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 1st day of February, 1963.

Revocation

2. The Accredited Pig Herds and Litter Testing (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(**c**), is hereby revoked.

Amendment of the Principal Scheme

3.—(1) For paragraph 3 of Part II of the Fourth Schedule to the Principal Scheme there shall be substituted a new paragraph as follows:—

"3. The average carcase length shall not be less than 795 millimetres."

(2) To Part II of the Fourth Schedule to the Principal Scheme there shall be added a new paragraph as follows:—

"7. The average eye muscle area shall not be less than the contemporary breed average for the Litter Testing Station."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 29th day of January, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

(L.S.) *W. Howe Elliott,*
Assistant Secretary.

(**a**) 1949. c. 2.
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 4.
(**c**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 97.