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ANIMAL

Bull Subsidies

SCHEME, DATED 22ND 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:—

Citation and Commencement

1.—(1) This Scheme may be cited as the Subsidy Bull (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland), 1963.

(2) This Scheme shall be construed as one with the Subsidy Bull Scheme (Northern Ireland), 1962(**b**), (hereinafter referred to as the "Principal Scheme"), and the Principal Scheme and this Scheme may be cited together as the Subsidy Bull Schemes (Northern Ireland), 1962 and 1963.

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

Amendment of the Principal Scheme

2. For article 4 of the Principal Scheme there shall be substituted the following article:—

"**4.** Only pedigree bulls of the Aberdeen Angus, Ayrshire, British Friesian, Shorthorn, Galloway and Hereford breeds shall be eligible to be selected as approved bulls."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of January, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

(L.S.) *J. C. Baird,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Scheme.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of January, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

(L.S.) *K. R. Shimeld,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Under the Principal Scheme pedigree Dairy Shorthorn bulls were with other named breeds eligible for subsidy and this amending Scheme will allow, in addition, the selection for subsidy of pedigree Shorthorn bulls of the Beef type.

(**a**) 1949. c. 2. (**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 111.