EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the National Insurance (Non-participation—Assurance of Equivalent Pension Benefits) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1960, by enabling the Ministry in certain cases to dispense with or modify the requirements relating to the certificate to be given and delivered as a condition of treating two non-participating employments as a single continuous employment for the purpose of liability to make a payment in lieu of contributions and to dispense with a notice of end of employment by the first employer. The Regulations also enable notice to be given by an employer that he wishes a non-participating employment in relation to any person not to be treated, for the purpose of making a payment in lieu of contributions, as having continued during interruptions during which it would otherwise be so treated, notwithstanding that the employment is being treated as a single continuous employment with a subsequent employment. Provision is also made for a certificate of assurance to be sent by recorded delivery service as an alternative to registered post.

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MARKETING OF POULTRY

REGULATIONS, DATED 31ST DAY OF JULY, 1961, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE MARKETING OF POULTRY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949.

The Ministry of Agriculture, in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 9 of the Marketing of Poultry Act (Northern Ireland), 1949(**a**), and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Short Title and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Marketing of Poultry (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1961, and shall come into operation on 1st August, 1961.

Amendment to the Marketing of Poultry Regulations

2. The Marketing of Poultry Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1958(**b**), shall be amended as follows:—

For paragraph (2) of Regulation 10 thereof the following paragraph shall be substituted:—

"**10.**—(2) The additional sum payable in respect of poultry sent to Great Britain or the Isle of Man by the holder of a Class A licence shall be:—

For Poussins—one farthing per bird.
For other poultry (dead)—one-tenth of a penny per lb.
For other poultry (live)—one penny per bird."

(**a**) 1949. c. 14. (**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1958, No. 157.