1945, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations by way of amendment of the Bee Pest Prevention Regulations (Northern Ireland) of 1950 and 1951, (hereinafter referred to as " the Principal Regulations ") :—

Registration of Bee Keepers

1. The fee payable under Article 10 of the Principal Regulations shall be sixpence in respect of each stock.

2. These Regulations shall come into operation on the second day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

3. The Bee Pest Prevention (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1951, are hereby revoked as from the second day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

4. These Regulations may be cited as the Bee Pest Prevention (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1952, and shall be construed as one with the Principal Regulations, and the Principal Regulations and these Regulations may together be cited as the Bee Pest Prevention Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950 and 1952.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this twenty-third day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-two in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. I. Magowan,*
Assistant Secretary.

CENSUS OF PRODUCTION

Exemption of Certain Undertakings

THE CENSUS OF PRODUCTION (EXEMPTION) ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1952, DATED 10TH DECEMBER, 1952, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE UNDER SECTION 1 (4) OF THE STATISTICS OF TRADE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949.

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WHEREAS Section 1 (1) of the Statistics of Trade Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, provides that for the purpose of providing at intervals general surveys of the state of trade and business, the Ministry of Commerce (hereinafter referred to as " The Ministry ") shall in the year nineteen hundred and fifty and in every subsequent year take a census of production :

AND WHEREAS Section 1 (4) of the said Act enables the Ministry by Order to provide for exempting any persons or any prescribed class or description of persons, from the obligation contained in the said Act to furnish returns for the purposes of such a census :