

Given at Government House, Hillsborough, this eighteenth day of November, 1963.

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Wm. Craig

Brian Maginess

L. E. Curran

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The purpose of this Order is to constitute the whole of Northern Ireland, other than the City of Belfast, a single Winter Assize County for the holding of the forthcoming Northern Ireland Winter Assizes and to provide that such assizes shall be held in the Courthouse of the County of Antrim at Belfast.

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SLAUGHTER-HOUSES

Exemption

ORDER, DATED 26TH NOVEMBER, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 1(8) OF THE SLAUGHTER-HOUSES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1953.

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Section 1(8) of the Slaughter-houses Act (Northern Ireland) 1953(a) hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Slaughter-houses (Exemption) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1963 and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

Amendment

2. For the Schedule to the Slaughter-houses (Exemption) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1963(b) there shall be substituted the Schedule to this Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 26th day of November, 1963.

(L.S.)

W. G. Malcolm,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

(Article 2 of Order of 1954 as amended)

2. A person slaughtering any animal for human consumption shall be exempt from the provisions of Section 1(7) of the Slaughter-houses Act (Northern Ireland) 1953 (which declares it to be unlawful for a person to slaughter or cause or permit to be slaughtered for human consumption an animal of any kind except at a slaughter-house duly licensed under the Act or operated by the Ministry) if the circumstances of the slaughter are within any of the provisions hereinafter mentioned, that is to say where—

- (a) the slaughter is on a farm in Northern Ireland of an animal the property of the owner or occupier of the farm on which the animal is slaughtered for the purpose of its being consumed in the household of such owner or occupier;
- (b) the slaughter is of any animal under or by virtue of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958(a); or
- (c) the slaughter is of animals whose immediate slaughter becomes necessary or expedient by reason of injury or by reason of infirmity other than disease within the meaning of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958:

Provided that the exemptions specified in paragraphs (a) and (b) shall not apply unless in each case the animal is instantaneously slaughtered or by stunning instantaneously rendered insensible to pain until death supervenes, and such slaughtering or stunning is effected by a person who is at the time the holder of a licence issued by the local authority and is so effected by means of a mechanically operated instrument in proper repair and of a type approved by the local authority.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order amends the Schedule of the Slaughter-houses (Exemption) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1963 by restoring the provision in the Slaughter-houses (Exemption) (Northern Ireland) Order 1954 that the slaughter of an animal on a farm in Northern Ireland for the purposes of its being consumed in the household of such owner or occupier shall be subject to the same conditions as those applicable to the slaughter of any animal under or by virtue of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958.

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ATOMIC ENERGY AND RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES

**The Radioactive Substances (Attachments to Lightning Conductors)
Exemption Order (Northern Ireland) 1963**

ORDER, DATED 26TH NOVEMBER, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION 2(6) AND (7) OF THE RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES ACT 1960.

The Ministry of Health and Local Government, in exercise of the powers