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AGRICULTURE

**The Agricultural Development Loans (Amendment) Scheme
(Northern Ireland) 1976**

Made 16th August 1976

Coming into operation 30th September 1976

The Department(a) of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 1 of the Development Loans (Agriculture and Fisheries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1968(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of The Department(a) of Finance hereby makes the following Scheme:

Citation and commencement

1. This Scheme may be cited as the Agricultural Development Loans (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 30th September 1976.

Amendments

2. The Schemes referred to in the Schedule shall have effect subject to the amendments specified therein.

Revocation

3. The Agricultural Development Loans (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1975(c) is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 16th August 1976.

(L.S.)

D. J. Alexander

Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance hereby approves the foregoing Scheme.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 16th August 1976.

(L.S.)

C. F. Darling

Senior Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly the Ministry: see 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(b) 1968 c. 21 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. 1975 No. 325 (II, p. 1621)

SCHEDULE

Article 2

AMENDMENTS

1. In Article 4(7) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Livestock) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(d) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

2. In Article 4(4) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Seeds and Fertilisers) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(e) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

3. In Article 4(7) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Byre and Dairy) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(f) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£7,000".

4. In Article 4(5) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Farm Dwellings) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(g) for "two thousand five hundred pounds" substitute "£7,000".

5. In Article 4(6) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Small Agricultural Industries) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(h) for "three thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

6. In Article 4(5) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Private Woodlands) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(i) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

7. In Article 4(5) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Electrical Plant and Machinery) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1962(j) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

8. In Article 4(5) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Farm Structures) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1963(k) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£7,000".

9. In Article 3(4) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Agricultural Shows) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1965(l) for "three thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

10. In Article 5(1) of the Agricultural Development Loans (Machinery and Equipment) (Hire Purchase) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1967(m) for "two thousand pounds" substitute "£5,000".

11. For Article 4 of the Agricultural Development Loans (Amalgamations) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1967(n) there shall be substituted the following Article:

"4—(1) The amount of any loan made under this Scheme shall not exceed £10,000 except with the special sanction of the Department of Finance.

(2) Security for any loan shall be such as may be required by the Department and the rate of interest thereon shall be such as may be determined by the Department of Finance.

(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 193 (p. 750)	(j) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 200 (p. 761)
(e) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 194 (p. 751)	(k) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1963 No. 189 (p. 640)
(f) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 195 (p. 753)	(l) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1965 No. 58 (p. 259)
(g) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 197 (p. 756)	(m) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967 No. 92 (p. 275)
(h) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 198 (p. 758)	(n) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967 No. 347 (p. 1174)
(i) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 199 (p. 759)	

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Scheme amends certain Schemes, made under the Development Loans (Agriculture and Fisheries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1968, to increase the size of the loans which may be made by the Department, without reference to the Department of Finance. The Scheme also revokes the Agricultural Development Loans (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1975.