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## AGRICULTURE

**The Eggs (Feed Price Allowance) (Amendment) Scheme  
(Northern Ireland) 1977**

*Made* . . . . . 29th March 1977

*Coming into operation* . . . . . 2nd May 1977

The Department of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 1 of the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(a) as amended by the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1957(b) and now vested in it(c) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Department(d) of Finance, hereby makes the following Scheme:

*Citation and commencement*

1. This Scheme may be cited as the Eggs (Feed Price Allowance) (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1977 and shall come into operation on 2nd May 1977.

*Amendment to the Eggs (Feed Price Allowance) Scheme  
(Northern Ireland) 1973*

2. The Eggs (Feed Price Allowance) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1973(e) as amended by the Eggs (Feed Price Allowance) (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1976(f) is hereby further amended as follows:—

In Article 3 for “sum expended under this Scheme” to the end of the Article there shall be substituted “amount expended under this Scheme, the Poultry (Feed Price Allowance) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1971(g) as amended(h) and the Pigs (Feed Price Allowance) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1972(i) as amended(j) shall not in total exceed £6 million in respect of the period from 2nd February 1976 until 31st March 1978 and such sum shall be paid for the benefit of the producers thereof as provided by this Scheme, but payments shall not be made by the Department of Agriculture in respect of eggs which are not tested, graded and packed in Northern Ireland or in respect of eggs which are exported to another Member State of the European Economic Community.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 29th March 1977.

(L.S.)

J. C. Chalmers

Assistant Secretary

(a) 1954 c. 31 (N.I.)

(b) 1957 c. 3 (N.I.)

(c) By 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 7(1); 1974 c. 28 Sch. 1 para. 2(1) and (2)

(d) Formerly Minister: see 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 7(1); 1974 c. 28 Sch. 1 para. 2(1) and (2)

(e) S.R. &amp; O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 22 (I, p. 79)

(f) S.R. 1976 No. 27 (p. 108)

(g) S.R. &amp; O. (N.I.) 1971 No. 49 (p. 409)

(h) S.R. 1976 No. 28 (p. 110); S.R. 1977 No. 87

(i) S.R. &amp; O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 86 (p. 332)

(j) S.R. &amp; O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 106 (I, p. 621); S.R. 1975 No. 220 (II, p. 1096); S.R. 1976 No. 26 (p. 106); S.R. 1976 No. 316 (p. 1531); S.R. 1977 No. 88

The Department of Finance hereby approves the foregoing Scheme.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 29th March 1977.

(L.S.)

*C. F. Darling*  
Senior Assistant Secretary

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Scheme amends the Eggs (Feed Price Allowance) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1973. It restricts the payments to eggs which are tested, graded and packed in Northern Ireland. It also specifies the maximum amount which can be paid in total under the eggs, poultry and pigs feed price allowance schemes to 31st March 1978.