1993 No. 485

PUBLIC HEALTH

Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) (Amendment No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993

Made . 17th December 1993 Coming into operation . 19th January 1994

The Department of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 1(1) and 24(3) of the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, being of the opinion in accordance with section 1(1) of that Act that there exist or may exist circumstances which are likely to create a hazard to human health through human consumption of food and that in consequence food which is or may be in the future derived from sheep in the areas described in the Schedule to the Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1991(b), is, or may be, or may become, unsuitable for human consumption, hereby makes the following Order:—

Title, commencement and interpretation

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) (Amendment No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993 and shall come into operation on 19th January 1994.
- (2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(c) shall apply to this Order as it applies to a Measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment

2. The area in Glenwherry, Co. Antrim, described in the Schedule to the Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1991 shall be substituted by the area described in the Schedule to this Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 17th December 1993.

(L.S.) D. A. J. Hirrell

Assistant Secretary

⁽a) 1985 c. 48 as amended by the Food Safety Act 1990 (c. 16). See also section 25(2) 1985 c. 48
(b) S.R. 1991 No. 8 as amended by S.R. 1991 No. 527 and S.R. 1993 No. 6
(c) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)

Glenwherry, County Antrim

The area comprising those parts of County Antrim which lie within the following boundary:—

From the Glenhead Road (OS Map Ref D279998) northwards along the eastern boundary of the Department of Agriculture's Hill Farm to OS Map Ref D306029; westwards along the south and west boundary of Capanagh Forest to OS Map Ref D292054; north-westwards along the Starbog Road to OS Map Ref D288063; westwards along fences to OS Map Ref D264057; westwards along the Drumcrow Road and Shillanavogy Road to OS Map Ref D249048; westwards along the Shillanavogy Water and fences which form the townland boundary between Shillanavogy and Ballynacaird to the Douglas Burn (OS Map Ref D239043); southwards along the boundary fence to OS Map Ref D240032; westwards along boundary fence to Douglas Burn (OS Map Ref D222036); southwards along boundary fence to Douglas Road (OS Map Ref D222035); southwards along Douglas Road to OS Map Ref D230021; eastwards along boundary fence to OS Map Ref D243026; southwards along boundary fence to OS Map Ref D244004; eastwards along boundary fence to Shillanavogy Road (OS Map Ref D256005); southwards along Shillanavogy Road to OS Map Ref D258998; eastwards along fences to the Glen Burn (OS Map Ref D259999); southwards along the Glen Burn to the Glenhead Road (OS Map Ref D261997); eastwards along Glenhead Road to OS Map Ref D269998; northwards along the Department of Agriculture's Hill Farm boundary fence to OS Map Ref D266012; north-eastwards along Department of Agriculture's Hill Farm boundary fence to OS Map Ref D277017; southwards along Department of Agriculture's Hill Farm boundary fence to junction with Glenhead Road (OS Map Ref D277998) and continue eastwards along the Glenhead Road to OS Map Ref D279998.

The area excludes any part of a road, fence or river by reference to which its boundary is defined.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

The Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1991 (as amended) ("the principal order") contains emergency prohibitions on various activities in order to prevent human consumption of food which is derived from sheep in the designated areas in Northern Ireland and which has been or may have been rendered unsuitable for human consumption in consequence of the elevated levels of radioactivity found in those areas following the escape of radioactive substances from a nuclear reactor situated at Chernobyl in the Ukraine.

This Order amends the principal order by reducing the size of the designated area in Glenwherry, County Antrim.