## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Identification and Movement of Sheep and Goats Order (Northern Ireland) 1997 which implemented Council Directive 92/102/EEC in Northern Ireland, by making provision for the movement and sale of sheep and goats from Great Britain and other member States of the European Union which have been identified in accordance with their domestic legislation implementing Council Directive 92/102/EEC.