

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations extend the expiry date of the exceptions for a further period of 56 days from (and including) 4th November to (and including) 29th December 2001. The European Commission has authorised the continuation of the temporary exception provided for by these Regulations.

The Regulations also provide for the removal of the temporary exception to the weekly rest requirement, except for vehicles being driven for the purpose of the movement of livestock.