

- (a) in Article 6 thereof, which specifies the date by which application for acreage payments shall be made to the Ministry, for the words "the 16th day of July, 1955," there were substituted the words "the 17th day of September, 1955;" and
- (b) at the end of Part II of the Schedule, which names the varieties of potatoes in respect of which acreage payments may not be made, the names of the following varieties were added:—  
 "Ulster Emblem"  
 "Ulster Premier"

*R. Moore,*  
 Minister of Agriculture.

I approve of the foregoing Scheme.

*Brian Maginess,*  
 Minister of Finance.

**Agricultural Development (Eradication of Rushes  
 on Marginal Land) Extension Scheme, 1955**

SCHEME DATED 14TH FEBRUARY, 1955, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF  
 AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 6 OF THE AGRICULTURE ACT  
 (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949 (a).

1955. No. 22

[C]

The Ministry of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sub-section (1) of Section 6 of the Agriculture Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Scheme:—

1. This Scheme, which may be cited as the Agricultural Development (Eradication of Rushes on Marginal Land) Extension Scheme, 1955, shall come into operation on 1st day of March, 1955.

2. The Agricultural Development (Eradication of Rushes on Marginal Land) Scheme (b) is hereby varied as follows:—

In paragraph 2, which prescribes the date of termination of the Scheme, the words "29th February, 1956" shall be substituted for the words "28th February, 1955".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture  
 for Northern Ireland this fourteenth day of February,  
 1955, in the presence of

(L.S.)

*W. C. Glover,*  
 Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Scheme.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this fourteenth day of February, 1955, in the presence of

(L.S.)

*C. J. Bateman,*  
Assistant Secretary.

**Agricultural Development (Fertiliser) Scheme  
(Northern Ireland) 1955**

SCHEME DATED 22ND DECEMBER, 1955, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 6 OF THE AGRICULTURE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949 (a).

1955. No. 203

[C]

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sub-section (1) of Section 6 of the Agriculture Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following scheme:—

1. This scheme may be cited as the Agricultural Development (Fertiliser) Scheme (Northern Ireland), 1955.

2. In this scheme, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:—

“the Act” means the Agriculture Act (Northern Ireland), 1949;

“agricultural land” means any land in Northern Ireland used as arable meadow or pasture ground, or for the purpose of poultry farming, market gardens, nursery grounds, orchards or allotments;

“arable land” means land in Northern Ireland which is cultivated or which in the opinion of the Ministry is capable of being cultivated;

“net cost” of a fertiliser means the actual amount paid by the purchaser together with all reasonable charges for delivery but excluding any charge made for credit, or such cost as may be approved by the Ministry;

“occupier” means the person who, by virtue of an agreement, whether written or otherwise, has the right to the use of the land and who is responsible for its management and includes an association of farmers, allotment holders or small holders or other similar association which acquires fertilisers in bulk for redistribution to its members;

“the Ministry” means the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland.