

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The object of this Order is to extend to the 1st January, 1966, the date before which plans for the provision of houses and the reconditioning of premises as houses on farms must be submitted to the Ministry of Health and Local Government for approval in order to qualify for grant.

The Order also prescribes the rates of grant payable in respect of new farmhouses, approved workers' houses, and reconditioning works, and prescribes the dates before which work must be completed in order to qualify for the rates of grant specified.

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ANIMALS

Prevention of Cruelty

ORDER, DATED 14TH DECEMBER, 1964, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 1D OF THE PROTECTION OF ANIMALS ACT 1911.

Whereas the Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers vested in it by Section 1D of the Protection of Animals Act 1911(a) made an Order entitled the Spring Traps Approval (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1961(b) approving the gin trap for the period of one year from the 1st January, 1962, (hereinafter referred to as the principal Order) for the purpose only of killing or taking foxes, provided that it shall be securely pegged or fastened at the site and the person who sets or causes or procures the trap to be set shall inspect or cause some competent person to inspect the trap at least twice every day, one inspection to take place between 4 a.m. and 10 a.m. and one between 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

And whereas the principal Order has been continued in force from time to time for further periods of one year and will expire at the end of December, 1964.

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the continuance of the principal Order for a further period of one year.

Now, therefore, the Ministry of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers vested in it by Section 1D of the Protection of Animals Act 1911 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and after consultation with the Ministry of Agriculture, hereby makes the following Order:

(a) 1 & 2 Geo. 5. c. 27.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 235.

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Spring Traps Approval Order (Northern Ireland) 1964 and shall come into operation on the 1st January, 1965.

Approval of Spring Traps

2. The principal Order shall continue in force till the end of December, 1965.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland on the 14th December, 1964, in the presence of

(L.S.)

A. Alexander,
Assistant Secretary.

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Under Section 1D of the Protection of Animals Act 1911, as inserted by Section 3 of the Protection of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1961, it is an offence to use for the purpose of killing or taking animals a spring trap other than one approved by the Ministry of Home Affairs. The Ministry, by the Spring Traps Approval (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1961, approved the gin trap subject to certain conditions for one year ending on 31st December, 1962, for the purpose only of killing or taking foxes, and this Order was continued in force for further periods ending on 31st December, 1964.

The present Order extends the 1961 Order for another year until 31st December, 1965.

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As this Order has been classified as local it is not printed at length in this volume. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules and Orders of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.