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1964. No. 21

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DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS**Importation of Raw Vegetables**

ORDER, DATED 17TH FEBRUARY, 1964, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER THE DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1877 TO 1934.

This Order, permitting the importation of certain vegetables for specified periods during the months March to October, 1964, being of temporary effect, is not printed at length in this volume.

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1964. No. 23

[C]

AGRICULTURE**Accredited Poultry Farms Scheme**

SCHEME, DATED 20TH FEBRUARY, 1964, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE AGRICULTURE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1949(a) AND UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958(b).

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 9(1) of the Agriculture Act (Northern Ireland) 1949 and by Section 2(1) and (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1958, and of every

other power enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Scheme:—

Citation and Commencement.

1. This Scheme may be cited as the Accredited Poultry Farms (Amendment) Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1964, and shall come into operation on the 21st day of February, 1964.

Definition

2. "The Principal Scheme" means the Accredited Poultry Farms Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1963(a).

Amendments to the Principal Scheme

3. For the provisions of the Principal Scheme referred to in the first column of the Schedule hereto there shall be substituted respectively the provisions set out in the second column of that Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this twentieth day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, in the presence of

(L.S.)

J. A. Young,
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves the foregoing Scheme.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this twentieth day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, in the presence of

(L.S.)

Robert H. Kidd,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

Amendments to the Principal Scheme

Column 1	Column 2
Provision of Principal Scheme	Provision Substituted
ARTICLE 2 Definition of "Contract Rearing Farm".	"Contract Rearing Farm" means a farm which is not an accredited farm but is approved in accordance with the Ninth Schedule to rear under contract chicks obtained from a source approved by the Ministry.
ARTICLE 2 Definition of "Contract Supply Farm".	"Contract Supply Farm" means a farm which is not an accredited farm but is approved in accordance with the Eighth Schedule to supply hatching eggs under contract to a licensed hatchery under arrangements, covering both the source of supply of the stock and the disposal of the hatching eggs, which have been approved by the Ministry.
ARTICLE 2 Definition of "Parent Breeding Farm".	"Parent Breeding Farm" means an accredited farm which has entered into arrangements approved by the Ministry in accordance with Article 17.
ARTICLE 5(c)	(c) For a farm intended to be accredited as a Parent Breeding Farm... £2 plus an additional fee of 10/- in respect of each Contract Supply Farm to which stock has been or is intended to be distributed under arrangements approved by the Ministry. If while accredited under this Scheme, a Parent Breeding Farm distributes stock to any additional Contract Supply Farm under revised arrangements approved by the Ministry, it shall pay 10/- in respect of each such farm at the time of the commencement of distribution.
ARTICLE 17	SPECIAL CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO OWNERS OF FARMS ACCREDITED AS PARENT BREEDING FARMS 17. The owner of a Parent Breeding Farm— (a) shall satisfy the Ministry that the breeding programme is likely to result in an improvement of the commercial characteristics of the stock; (b) shall not bring on to the Parent Breeding Farm stock from any outside source without the prior permission of the Ministry in writing; (c) shall not distribute or permit to be distributed any stock to a Contract Supply Farm or a Contract Rearing Farm except under arrangements which have been approved by the Ministry; (d) shall ensure that entries of their stock are submitted to Section II of the Ministry's Poultry Test at Gosford in such manner and in such number as shall be provided for in the approved arrangements.

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EIGHTH SCHEDULE

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Conditions applicable to Contract Supply Farms

1. The owner of a Contract Supply Farm shall have available adequate equipment and housing to permit of good management.

2. The owner of a Contract Supply Farm shall keep for the production of hatching eggs only birds obtained under arrangements approved by the Ministry and shall send eggs for hatching to a licensed hatchery only under arrangements approved by the Ministry.

3. The Ministry reserves the right to impose restrictions on the number, source of supply and conditions under which birds are kept on a Contract Supply Farm for commercial egg production.

4. The owner of a Contract Supply Farm shall take such precautions against disease as the Ministry may from time to time direct. He shall also permit the Ministry to blood test free of charge the mated birds at such time as it may require and also birds kept on the farm for commercial egg production, if in the Ministry's opinion the testing of such birds is considered necessary. No blood testing other than that carried out by the Ministry shall be recognised.

5. The owner of a Contract Supply Farm shall stamp all eggs sold for hatching with a numbered stamp identifying the farm.

6. The owner of a Contract Supply Farm shall not distribute for hatching eggs which are less than 2 ounces in weight except that where the eggs are from a broiler strain specially approved by the Ministry in writing they shall be not less than $1\frac{1}{2}$ ounces; nor shall eggs which are not of good shell shape and texture be distributed for hatching. Such eggs and eggs from the mated flock which are not sent for hatching purposes shall be disposed of for table purposes.

7. The stock and records shall be available for inspection by the Ministry at any reasonable time.

8. The Ministry may withdraw approval of the farm at any time.

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Provision of Principal Scheme	Provision Substituted
NINTH SCHEDULE	<p style="text-align: center;">NINTH SCHEDULE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Conditions applicable to Contract Rearing Farms</p> <p>1. The owner of a Contract Rearing Farm shall have available adequate equipment and housing to permit of good management.</p> <p>2. The owner of a Contract Rearing Farm shall take such precautions against disease as the Ministry may from time to time direct.</p> <p>3. The owner of a Contract Rearing Farm shall accept chicks only from a source approved by the Ministry.</p> <p>4. No adult birds shall be kept on a Contract Rearing Farm.</p> <p>5. The following records shall be kept at a Contract Rearing Farm:—</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Number of chicks received from the approved source;</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Mortality—up to 8 weeks;</p> <p style="padding-left: 80px;">—up to date of disposal to Contract Supply Farm.</p> <p>6. The stock and records shall be available for inspection by the Ministry at any reasonable time.</p> <p>7. The Ministry may withdraw approval of the farm at any time.</p>

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Scheme amends the Accredited Poultry Farms Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1963 by providing that stock from Parent Breeding Farms must be distributed under arrangements approved by the Ministry.

1964. No. 24

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HEALTH SERVICES

General Dental Services

REGULATIONS, DATED 18TH FEBRUARY, 1964, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1948.

These Regulations were revoked by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 60.