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AGRICULTURE

Artificial Insemination of Cattle

REGULATIONS, DATED 23rd MARCH 1973, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICUL-TURE UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3 OF THE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1947.

The Ministry of Agriculture on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it under section 2 and 3 of the Artificial Insemination of Animals Act (Northern Ireland) 1947(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Artificial Insemination (Cattle) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973.
- (2) These Regulations shall be read as one with the Artificial Insemination (Cattle) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968(b) as amended by the Artificial Insemination (Cattle) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972(c) (hereinafter together referred to as the "Principal Regulations") and the Principal Regulations and these Regulations may be cited together as the Artificial Insemination (Cattle) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968 to 1973.
 - (3) These Regulations shall come into operation on 1st April 1973.

Amendment of Principal Regulations

PART IV-FEES AND CHARGES FOR SERVICES

2. For sub-paragraph (d) of Regulation 13 of the Principal Regulations there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:

"Ordinary and nominated services

(d) The fees prescribed in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) shall include such re-inseminations as the Ministry considers necessary provided that such re-inseminations are carried out within eight months from the date of the first inseminations".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 23rd day of March 1973.

(L.S.)

J. Parke,

Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby on behalf of the Secretary of State approves the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 23rd day of March 1973.

(L,S.)

A. J. Green.

Assistant Secretary.

⁽a) 1947. c. 17.

⁽c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972, No. 62.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

Under these amending regulations which come into force on 1st April 1973 the Ministry is prepared to undertake as many re-inseminations as necessary provided they are carried out within 8 months from the first insemination. The previous regulations limited the number of re-inseminations to two.