EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order revokes and replaces the Individual Ascertainment of Value (England) Order 2005 (S.I. 2005/3434).

This Order is to be read alongside the Cattle Compensation (England) Order 2012 (S.I. 2012/1379) (defined in article 2 of this Order as "the principal Order").

Article 3 provides for the individual ascertainment of the market value of domestic cattle by a single valuer where no sales data, or inadequate sales data, are available for the relevant category of cattle. In the case of any bison or buffalo an individual ascertainment of the market value of such an animal will be carried out.

Compensation is reduced where there has been delay on the part of the animal keeper in arranging for the tuberculosis testing of animals (article 3(4)). There is a provision in paragraph 5 of the Schedule to the principal Order for a keeper to request a review by a person appointed by the Secretary of State of such a decision to reduce the compensation payable.

Article 4 requires the Secretary of State to review the operation and effect of this Order and publish a report of that review before 1st July 2017.

A full impact assessment of the effect that this instrument will have on the costs of business and the voluntary sector is available on the Defra website (www.defra.gov.uk) and is published with the Explanatory Memorandum alongside this instrument on www.legislation.gov.uk.

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Individual Ascertainment of Value (England) Order 2012.