2016 No. 118

ANIMALS

ANIMAL HEALTH

The Northern Ireland Poultry Health Assurance Scheme (Fees) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016

Made - - - - 4th March 2016

Coming into operation - 1st April 2016

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development is designated(**a**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**b**) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Union.

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 8(1), (2) and (5) of the Diseases of Animals (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(c) and section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 having consulted with the bodies which appeared to it to be substantially representative of the interests concerned and with the approval of the Department of Finance and Personnel.

Citation and commencement and interpretation

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Northern Ireland Poultry Health Assurance Scheme (Fees) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016 and come into operation on 1st April 2016.
- (2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) $1954(\mathbf{d})$ shall apply to this Order as it shall apply to an Act of the Assembly.

Amendment of The Northern Ireland Poultry Health Assurance Scheme (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012

- **2.**—(1) The Northern Ireland Poultry Health Assurance Scheme (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012(**e**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraph (2).
 - (2) For the Schedule substitute the Schedule to this Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development on 4th March 2016

⁽a) S.I. 2000/2812

⁽b) 1972 c.68

⁽c) S.I. 1981/1115 (N.I. 22)

⁽d) 1954 c.33 (N.I.)

⁽e) S.R 2012 No. 305 amended by S.R. 2013 No. 117



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SCHEDULE

Article 2

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Article 3

NORTHERN IRELAND POULTRY HEALTH ASSURANCE SCHEME FEES

Activity	Fee	Fee to be paid by
(1)	(2)	(3)
Registration and 1st year membership	£250.51	The operator of the establishment
fee		
Annual membership fee comprising a		The operator of the establishment
total of:		
(a) an administration fee; and	£13.13	
(b) a supplementary audit inspection fee	£15.71	
Re-inspection fee determined in	Case-by-	The operator of the establishment
accordance with Table Footnote ⁽¹⁾	case ⁽¹⁾	

⁽¹⁾ The re-inspection fee shall be determined on a case by case basis and shall comprise of a charge for an administration officer's time spent providing administrative support, the charge for which shall be £26.25 per hour (or part thereof) and the veterinary inspector's time based on a charge of £55.97 per hour (or part thereof) and a charge for mileage, that is, 45 pence for each mile travelled by the veterinary inspector to and from the operator's establishment in order to carry out the re-inspection."

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order amends The Northern Ireland Poultry Health Assurance Scheme (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012. The Order makes provision for the Department to charge fees for activities required under Council Directive 2009/158/EC (on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in, and imports from third countries, of poultry and hatching eggs). The activities and fees are listed in the Schedule.

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