Where under any contract of sale the period allowed for the delivery of any pigs does not fall wholly within the relevant period, those pigs shall, for the purposes of this paragraph, be deemed to have been sold for delivery on the first day of the period allowed by the contract for the delivery thereof.

48. Any producer who is aggrieved by any act or omission of the Board may refer the matter to the arbitration of a single arbitrator to be agreed upon between such producer and the Board or, in default of agreement, to be nominated by the Minister, and the arbitrator may make such order in the matter as he thinks just.

An arbitrator agreed upon or nominated as aforesaid shall have power to award costs, and the expenses of the arbitration shall be defrayed as the arbitrator may direct. The award of the arbitrator may be made a rule of court upon the application of either party under and in accordance with the Common Law Procedure Amendment Act (Ireland), 1856.

49. Any requirement of this Scheme that a document shall be sent to or served on a person by the Board or the Ministry shall be deemed to have been complied with if within the period (if any) limited for the sending or service of the document the document is dispatched to such person by post, properly addressed and with the postage prepaid.

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SCHEDULE.

PRODUCTS WHICH MAY BE PRODUCED BY THE BOARD FROM PIGS.

Pork, bacon, hams, sausages, inwards, brawn, galantines and any edible offal or by-product; lard, tallow, and any edible or inedible fat, oil or grease; hair and bristles; glue and gelatine; skins; glands, gland extracts and any pharmaceutical product; sausage casings, bladders, gut and any other product made from the alimentary system of pigs; bones, bone meal, bone charcoal, blood, blood meal, and other derivatives of blood; hoofs, hoof meal, meat meal and any fertilisers or feeding stuffs.

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## Public Inquiry.

THE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING (PUBLIC INQUIRY) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1933, DATED THE 4TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1933.

1933. No. 86.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by paragraph 4 of Part I of the First Schedule to the Agricultural Marketing Act (Northern Ireland), 1933, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Interpretation.

1.—(1) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

"The Act" means the Agricultural Marketing Act (Northern Ireland), 1933:

"The Ministry" means the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland:

"The appointed person" means the person appointed by the Minister of Agriculture to hold an inquiry under the proviso to paragraph 3 of Part I of the First Schedule to the Act:

"Scheme" means a scheme framed by the Ministry under the Act.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

Time, place and notice of inquiry.

2. An inquiry into objections to a scheme, other than those which the Ministry considers to be frivolous, shall be held at such time and place as may be fixed by the appointed person with the approval of the Ministry. Not less than twenty-one days' notice of the time and place so fixed shall be sent by post by or on behalf of the appointed person to all persons by whom objections to the scheme have been duly made (other than persons whose objections the Ministry considers to be frivolous) and notice shall also be published in such manner as the appointed person thinks best suited for bringing the holding of the inquiry to the knowledge of any other persons who appear to the appointed person to be interested:

Provided that the failure to give or publish any such notice shall not invalidate the inquiry or render necessary any adjournment thereof.

Provided that in the application of this regulation to a public inquiry to be held in relation to a scheme framed by the Ministry on or before the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-three, seven days shall be substituted for twenty-one days.

Provisions as to holding inquiry in public and appearance thereat.

3. The inquiry shall be held in public and any officer of the Ministry, any person who has duly made an objection to the scheme (other than an objection which the Ministry considers to be frivolous) and, by leave of the appointed person, any other person who appears to the appointed person to be interested, may appear at the inquiry either in person or by counsel, solicitor or agent.

Adjournment of inquiry.

4. The appointed person may adjourn the inquiry from time to time as he thinks fit and may hold adjourned sittings at such times and places as may appear to him to be suitable, having regard to the circumstances of the case and, in particular, to the convenience of the persons appearing at the inquiry.

Examination of witnesses.

**5.** Any witness appearing at the inquiry shall, if the appointed person thinks fit, be examined on oath or affirmation.

Power to hear representative objector.

**6.** If it appears to the appointed person that two or more objections are so similar in substance that it is unnecessary to consider them separately, the appointed person may select any one of the objectors making those objections, who appears before him, to present the case on behalf of all of those objectors and to call evidence in support thereof:

Provided that, notwithstanding any such selection, any objector may, by leave of the appointed person, be heard subsequently upon the objection made by him and call evidence in support thereof.

Amendment of objections.

**7.** The appointed person may, at any stage of the inquiry and upon such terms as he thinks fit, allow the amendment of any objection made to the scheme:

Provided that the appointed person shall not require any person to pay any costs of any other person.

General powers as to procedure.

**8.** Subject to the provisions of these regulations, the procedure at the inquiry shall be conducted in such manner as the appointed person may direct.

Costs.

**9.** The persons objecting to a scheme, and any other persons appearing at the inquiry, shall bear their own costs:

Provided that, if the appointed person reports to the Ministry that the conduct of any such person at or in relation to the inquiry has been unreasonable, the Ministry may, by order, direct payment by such person of the whole or part of the costs of any other such person.

Short title.

**10.** These regulations may be cited as the Agricultural Marketing (Public Inquiry) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1933.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland is hereunto affixed this fourth day of August, nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

(L.S.) (Signed), *James S. Gordon*,
Secretary.

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