EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order consolidates the Orders revoked by Article 2 with one change of substance, namely, the omission of Croydon from the list of approved airports.

ANIMALS

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY

1959 No. 1493

The Slaughter of Animals (Prevention of Cruelty) (Amendment) Regulations, 1959

Made - - - -	*22nd August*, 1959
Laid before Parliament	*28th August*, 1959
Coming into Operation	*5th September*, 1959

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Slaughter of Animals Act, 1958(a), and of all other powers him enabling in that behalf, after consultation with such organisations as appear to him to represent the interests concerned, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Slaughter of Animals (Prevention of Cruelty) (Amendment) Regulations, 1959 ; and shall come into operation on the 5th day of September, 1959.

2. The Slaughter of Animals (Prevention of Cruelty) Regulations, 1958(b), shall be amended by adding after paragraph (3) of regulation 2 thereof the following paragraph :—

" (4) In the application of these regulations to the administrative county of London, for the reference to Part IV of the Food and Drugs Act, 1955, where it occurs in the definitions of ' occupier ' and ' slaughterhouse licence ' in paragraph (1) of this regulation and in regulation 37 hereof there shall be substituted a reference to sections one hundred and forty-four and one hundred and forty-five of the Public Health (London) Act, 1936(c)."

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this twenty-second day of August, nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

(L.S.)

John Hare,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(a) 7 & 8 Eliz. 2. c. 8. (b) S.I. 1958/2166 (1958 I, p. 147). (c) 26 Geo. 5 & 1 Edw. 8. c. 50.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This technical amendment, by adding to the principal regulations a reference to the Act under which private slaughterhouses in the administrative county of London are licensed, provides that those regulations shall apply in London in the same way as elsewhere in England and Wales.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS

1959 No. 1335

The Diseases of Animals (Ascertainment of Compensation) Order, 1959

Made - - - - *28th July*, 1959
Coming into Operation *1st September*, 1959

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, as respects England and Wales, and the Secretary of State as respects Scotland, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 19 (7) and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, in so far as such powers are exercisable in relation to diseases specified in Article 3 (1) (*a*) of the Transfer of Functions (Animal Health) Order, 1955(b), and the said Minister and Secretary of State acting jointly in exercise of the aforesaid powers in so far as such powers are exercisable in relation to any other disease, hereby order as follows :—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Diseases of Animals (Ascertainment of Compensation) Order, 1959, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of September, 1959.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires :—

" the Act " means the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950, as amended or extended by any other enactment ;

" animal " shall include any beast to which, whether before or after the making of this Order, any provisions of the Act are for the time being extended by an Order made under section 84 of the Act ; and " bird " shall include any bird to which any such provisions are likewise extended by such an Order ;

" the Minister " means the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Ascertainment of Value for Compensation in England and Wales

3. Where under the Act, it is necessary, in England or Wales, that the value of an animal or bird slaughtered or liable to be slaughtered should be ascertained for the purpose of settling compensation payable by the Minister

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 36. (b) S.I. 1955/958 (1955 I, p. 1184). (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.