STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1973 No. 1420

VETERINARY SURGEONS

The Veterinary Surgeons (Republic of Ireland University Degrees) (National University) Order of Council 1973

Made - - -	10*th August* 1973
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Coming into Operation	17*th August* 1973

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 10th day of August 1973

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council

Whereas the degree of Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine (M.V.B.) of the National University of Ireland is a veterinary degree which under the law of the Republic of Ireland for the time being in force qualifies the holder thereof for registration in the Register of Veterinary Surgeons for Ireland:

And Whereas the Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons have recommended that the Privy Council should by Order direct in manner hereinafter appearing that any person on whom the said degree is conferred on or after 17th August 1973 shall be entitled to be registered in the Register of Veterinary Surgeons and to become a member of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons accordingly:

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Article 3(1)(*a*) of the Veterinary Surgeons (Agreement with Republic of Ireland) Order 1972(**a**) (made in pursuance of section 21 of the Veterinary Surgeons Act 1966(**b**)), are pleased to direct by this Order as follows: —

1. This Order may be cited as the Veterinary Surgeons (Republic of Ireland University Degrees) (National University) Order of Council 1973, and shall come into operation on 17th August 1973.

2. Any person on whom the degree of Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine (M.V.B.) is conferred by the National University of Ireland during the continuance in force of this Order shall be entitled, on application in the manner prescribed by regulations of the Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons and on payment of the fee prescribed as aforesaid, to be registered in the Register of Veterinary Surgeons and to become a member of the said Royal College accordingly.

W. G. Agnew.

(**a**) S.I. 1972/1991 (1972 III, p. 5938). (**b**) 1966 c. 36.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Following the entry into force of the Agreement with respect to Veterinary Surgeons made in London on 1st September 1972 between the Governments of the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland (Cmnd. 5238), this Order makes continued provision for the recognition for the purposes of registration in the Register of Veterinary Surgeons and of membership of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons of the degree of Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine (M.V.B.) of the National University of Ireland.

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