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The Common Agricultural Policy (Termination of Guarantee Arrangements) (Fat Sheep) Order 1980

Made - - - -	16*th October* 1980
Laid before Parliament	17*th October* 1980
Coming into operation	20*th October* 1980

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretary of State for Scotland, The Secretary of State for Northern Ireland (being the Secretaries of State respectively concerned with agriculture in Scotland and Northern Ireland) and the Secretary of State for Wales, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 6 (7) and (8) of the European Communities Act 1972 (**a**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, it appearing to them, having regard to Community arrangements for or related to the regulation of the market for sheep and obligations of the United Kingdom in relation thereto, that section 1 of the Agriculture Act 1957 (**b**) (which enables provision to be made for guaranteed prices or assured markets for producers of produce described in Schedule 1 to that Act) should cease to apply to Fat Sheep (being produce so described), hereby make the following order:-

1. This order may be cited as the Common Agricultural Policy (Termination of Guarantee Arrangements) (Fat Sheep) Order 1980, and shall come into operation on 20th October 1980.

2. The Agriculture Act 1957 shall have effect as from 20th October 1980 as if the words "Fat Sheep" were omitted from Schedule 1 to that Act; but the said Act and any instrument made thereunder shall continue to operate as respects fat sheep in relation to any period before 20th October 1980 as if this order had not been made.

(**a**) 1972 c. 68; section 6 is to be read with the Transfer of Functions (Wales) (No. 1) Order 1978 (S.I. 1978/272).
(**b**) 1957 c. 57.

In Witness Whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 16th October 1980.

(L. S.)

Peter Walker,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

16th October 1980.

George Younger,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

16th October 1980.

Nicholas Edwards,
Secretary of State for Wales.

16th October 1980.

Humphrey Atkins,
Secretary of State for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order provides that the United Kingdom arrangements for guarantee payments to producers of fat sheep shall cease to have effect as from 20th October 1980 on its replacement by the Community common organisation of the market in sheepmeat and goatmeat.

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