

sheep which appear to the Inspector, from the information received by him or otherwise, to be affected with sheep-scab, and after the service of such Notice it shall not be lawful for any person, while such Notice is in force—

- (a) to move from or out of the place of detention specified in the Notice any of the sheep therein described; or any other sheep that may be in the place of detention; or
- (b) to move any other sheep into such place; or
- (c) to permit any other sheep to come in contact with any sheep detained under the Notice; or
- (d) to remove from or out of such place any carcase of a sheep, or any skin, fleece, or wool, separate from the carcase of a sheep, or any dung, fodder, litter, or other thing that has been in contact with sheep detained under the Notice, without the written permission of an Inspector of the Local Authority; and any skin, fleece, or wool shall be disinfected before removal.

(2) A Notice under this Article shall remain in force until it is withdrawn by a further Notice in writing (in the Form B set forth in the First Schedule to this Order or to the like effect) (signed by an Inspector of the Local Authority).

(3) An Inspector of the Local Authority, if satisfied that the movement of any sheep detained under a Notice to some other place of detention is expedient for purposes of isolation or feeding or other necessary purpose, may serve a further Detention Notice on the owner or person in charge of the sheep, prescribing such other place as a place of detention for the sheep, and thereupon such sheep may be moved, subject to the directions and under the supervision of the Inspector, by the nearest available route and without unnecessary delay, to such place of detention—and, when so moved, shall be there detained and isolated in accordance with such further Notice.

*Veterinary Inquiry by Local Authority as to existence of Sheep-Scab.*

3.—(1) A Local Authority on receiving information of the existence, or supposed existence, of sheep-scab shall forthwith cause inquiry to be instituted, as to the correctness of such information with the assistance and advice of a Veterinary Inspector, or of a veterinary practitioner qualified according to the Act of 1894 to be a Veterinary Inspector.

(2) The owner and occupier of any premises on which there is a sheep affected with, or suspected of, sheep-scab, or the carcase of any such sheep, shall give all reasonable facilities for the inquiry by the Local Authority under this Article, and any person failing to give such facilities shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(3) If it shall appear from the inquiry under this Article that sheep-scab exists or has recently existed on any premises, the Local Authority shall forthwith notify the fact to the Board, and in any such case the Detention Notice served under this Order in respect of sheep on such premises shall not be withdrawn until the Local Authority are satisfied by such a veterinary inquiry as above mentioned that all the sheep remaining in the place of detention specified in such Notice are free from sheep-scab, and are also satisfied that all the sheep so remaining have

since such inquiry been thoroughly dipped in an efficient sheep-dip in the presence, and to the satisfaction, of an Inspector of the Local Authority. Notwithstanding the withdrawal of the Notice sheep shall not be moved into the place of detention until the same has been disinfected in accordance with the provisions of this Order.

(4) In any other case the Local Authority on completion of their inquiry shall forthwith cause the withdrawal of any detention Notice served under this Order in respect of sheep to which the inquiry relates.

*Treatment of Sheep detained under Detention Notice.*

4.—(1) Where a Detention Notice is in force, the owner or person in charge of sheep detained under the Notice shall from time to time, if so required in writing by an Inspector of the Local Authority, cause all such sheep to be thoroughly dipped in an efficient sheep-dip or otherwise treated for sheep-scab in the presence and to the satisfaction of an Inspector of the Local Authority.

Provided that sheep which have been so dipped under and in accordance with this Article shall not be again required to be dipped until after the expiration of ten days.

(2) Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this Article shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

*Power to serve Isolation Notice.*

5.—An Inspector of the Local Authority may serve an Isolation Notice (in the Form C set forth in the First Schedule to this Order or to the like effect) on the owner or person in charge of any sheep which he has reason to believe to have been in contact with sheep affected with sheep-scab, and after the service of such Notice it shall not be lawful for any person until the expiration of fifty-six days from the date of the Notice, unless during such period all the sheep to which the Notice relates have been thoroughly dipped in an efficient sheep-dip in the presence, and to the satisfaction, of an Inspector of the Local Authority—

- (a) to move any sheep to which the Notice relates from the place of isolation specified in the Notice unless the movement is made with the written permission of an Inspector of the Local Authority, and under his supervision; or
- (b) to permit such sheep to come in contact with other sheep.

*Transmission of copies of Notices.*

6. An Inspector shall with all practicable speed send copies of any Notice served by him under this Order to the Local Authority, and to the police officer in charge of the nearest police station of the District, and also to the Board.

*Certificate of Dipping.*

7. Where sheep are dipped in the presence, and to the satisfaction, of an Inspector of a Local Authority, he shall give the owner or person in charge of the sheep a certificate in the Form D set forth in the First Schedule to this Order or to the like effect.

*Disinfection for Sheep-Scab.*

8.—(1) Any place in which a sheep affected with sheep-scab has been kept, and all utensils, pens, hurdles, or other things used for or about such sheep, shall, as soon as practicable, be