

3. And whereas the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Minister of Health, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), by a direction published in the Gazette on 29th September 1967 extended the said period of three months by three months;

4. Now therefore, the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Minister of Health, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), hereby direct that the said period of three months be further extended by three months.

#### PRICES AND INCOMES ACT 1966

##### PAY AND CONDITIONS OF STAFF WORKERS IN THE ENGINEERING INDUSTRY

*Direction under Section 5(4) further extending the period within which the National Board for Prices and Incomes must publish their report*

WHEREAS the First Secretary of State and the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of their powers under section 2(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, referred the above-mentioned question to the National Board for Prices and Incomes for examination and have published the text of the reference in the Gazette on 16th May 1967;

2. And whereas by section 5(3) of the Act, but subject to section 5(4), the Board are required to make their report so as to allow publication within three months of the said date;

3. And whereas, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), the First Secretary of State and the Minister of Labour, by a direction published in the Gazette on 15th August 1967, extended the said period of three months by three months, and the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs and the Minister of Labour, by a direction published in the Gazette on 14th November 1967, further extended the said period of three months by one month, and by a direction published in the Gazette on 14th December 1967, further extended the said period of three months by two weeks;

4. Now, therefore, the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs and the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), hereby direct that the said period of three months be further extended by four months.

#### MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT 1926

##### ORIGIN MARKS ON PRE-PACKED CUTS OF IMPORTED MEAT

AN Order in Council under Section 2 of the Merchandise Marks Act, 1926 was made on the 20th December 1967, amending the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 7 Order 1934 and comes into force on 20th March 1968.

This Order embodies the recommendations of the Standing Committee on the labelling of Pre-Packed cuts of Imported Meat and requires that all meat and edible offal when sold or exposed for sale in pre-packed form, wholesale or by retail, shall bear the required indication of origin clearly and conspicuously marked in letters of not less than  $\frac{1}{8}$ th inch in height, provided that the net weight of the meat or edible offal in the container or package does not exceed 4 lb. at the time of sale, or exposure for sale. In addition, it will permit the indication of origin to appear, in the prescribed size of lettering, for all pre-packed meat on each container or package of meat.

Copies of the Order, the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 7 Order 1934, Amendment Order 1967 price 6d. (by post 9d.) may be obtained from Her Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses: 49 High Holborn, London W.C.1; 423 Oxford Street, London W.1; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 35 Smallbrook, Ringway, Birmingham 5; 50 Fairfax Street, Bristol 1; Brazenose Street, Manchester 2; 109 St. Mary Street, Cardiff; 7-11 Linenhall Street, Belfast 2; or through any bookseller.

#### MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD

##### DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT 1950

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of Section 85(3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950 that the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food has made the following Order:

(Statutory Instruments 1967 No. 1822)

##### *The New Forest (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Prevention Order 1967*

This temporary order, made under section 1 of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 for the prevention of the spread of foot and mouth disease into the New Forest, empowers the verderers to serve on persons having right of common of pasture over the Forest, and on others, notices requiring them to remove animals from the Forest. It also empowers the verderers to confine animals at large in the Forest, or require their confinement, in temporary enclosures in the Forest authorised by the verderers.

The order remains in force only so long as the New Forest continues to be within a controlled area for the purposes of the Foot and Mouth Disease (Controlled Areas Restrictions) General Order of 1938.

(Statutory Instruments 1967 No. 1823)

##### *The Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Temporary Restrictions) Order 1967*

This order enables the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food or the Secretary of State for Scotland by notice in writing to prohibit persons from being on agricultural or adjoining land. The appropriate Ministers must be satisfied that the presence of such a person involves a risk of spreading foot-and-mouth disease. The order specifies how notice is to be given.

Owners and occupiers of land are exempted, and the families and servants of occupiers, except where the land is owned or occupied by bodies of persons for the purpose of carrying on a sport or game. Necessary access to dwellings is preserved, and allowance is made for emergencies.

A person who knowingly contravenes a prohibition after being given notice of it commits an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 and may be punished by a fine of £50, or, on a subsequent conviction within 12 months, imprisonment for one month.

The order is a temporary one, and will expire at the end of March 1968 unless it is extended by a further order.

(Statutory Instruments 1967 No. 1839)

##### *The Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas Restrictions) (Amendment) Order 1967*

This order, made under sections 1, 20 and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950, revokes article 14 of the Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Areas Restrictions) Order of 1938 (under which the movement of animals through an infected area is permitted provided the animals are not untrucked).

(Statutory Instruments 1967 No. 1840)

##### *The New Forest (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) (Prevention) Amendment Order 1967*

This order, made under sections 1 and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act 1950 extends the operation of the New Forest (Foot and Mouth Disease) (Prevention) Order 1967 so as to apply in respect of all land subject to rights or privileges of common which is within the perambulation of the New Forest.

Copies of Statutory Instruments 1967 may be obtained from Her Majesty's Stationery Office, 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh 2.

Nos. 1822 and 1823—price 8d. (by post 11d.)

Nos. 1839 and 1840—price 6d. (by post 9d.)

#### MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD

##### DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT 1950

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of Section 85(3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950 that the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food has made the following Order:

(Statutory Instruments 1967 No. 1793)

##### *The Importation of Carcasses and Animal Products (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1967*

Under the importation of Carcasses and Animal Products Order 1954, as amended, a licence is required from the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food or the Secretary of State for Scotland to land carcasses and animal products in Great Britain. There are various exceptions, three of which apply to meat. The first exception enables fully cooked meat to be landed, whatever the country of origin; the