

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 4TH MARCH 1908.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

The Orders described in the Schedule to

this Order are hereby revoked as from the ninth day of March, nineteen hundred and eight.



In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this fourth day of March, nineteen hundred and eight.

T. H. Elliott;

Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

*Orders Revoked.*

No.	Date.	Short Title.
	1907.	
7269	19 June .. ..	Berkshire (Swine-Fever) Order of 1907.
7368	6 November .. ..	Berkshire (Swine-Fever) Order of 1907 (No. 2).
7386	12 December .. ..	Berkshire (Swine-Fever) Order of 1907 (No. 3).

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

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FOREIGN HAY AND STRAW ORDER  
OF 1908.

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

*Prohibition of Landing of Hay and Straw.*

1. Except as hereinafter expressly provided, the landing in Great Britain of hay or straw brought from a port or place in any country mentioned in the Schedule to this Order, is hereby prohibited.

*Exceptions.*

2.—(1.) This Order shall not apply to—

(a) hay or straw which at the time of importation is being used for packing merchandise; or

(b) manufactured straw not intended for use as fodder or litter for animals; or

(c) hay or straw which is landed at a Foreign Animals Wharf for the purpose of being there destroyed or otherwise disposed of

in accordance with any instructions given by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries; or

(d) hay or straw which is authorised to be landed for use otherwise than as fodder or litter for animals by a licence granted by an Inspector of the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, which licence shall contain such conditions as in the opinion of the Board are necessary to prevent the introduction of disease by the hay or straw; or

(e) hay or straw placed on board a vessel before the commencement of this Order for consignment to Great Britain.

(2.) The expression "animals" means horses, asses, and mules; cattle, sheep, goats and all other ruminating animals; and swine.

*Offences.*

3.—(1) If any hay or straw shall be landed in contravention of this Order, the owner thereof, and the owner and the lessee and the occupier of the place of landing, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the landing, and the owner and the charterer and the master of the vessel from which the same is landed, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts or defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

(2) If any person does any act in contravention of a condition imposed by a licence under this Order he shall be deemed guilty of an offence under the said Act.

*Commencement.*

4. This Order shall come into operation on the ninth day of March, nineteen hundred and eight;