

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 28TH JANUARY 1913.)

ANIMALS (LANDING FROM IRELAND)
ORDER OF 1913.

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 1911, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

PART I.

LANDING REGULATIONS.

Regulation of Landing of Irish Animals in Great Britain.

1.—(1.) Cattle, sheep, goats or swine brought from Ireland shall not be landed in Great Britain unless—

(a) the animals have been put on board at a port specified in the First Schedule to this Order; and

(b) the landing is at a Landing Place defined by Order of the Board as a Landing Place for Irish animals.

(2.) The animals shall be landed in such manner and at such times as the Superintendent of the Landing Place shall direct.

(3.) When landed they shall be under the supervision and control of an Inspector of the Board; and, until his arrival, they shall be under the supervision and control of the Superintendent of the Landing Place.

Restrictions on Use of Landing Places.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Order defining a Landing Place for Irish animals, no cattle, sheep, goats or swine other than such as are landed under this Order shall be landed at or be moved into the Landing Place.

Examination of Animals.

3.—(1.) Each cargo of animals landed at a Landing Place under this Order shall on landing be driven to a reception lair or reception lairs approved by an Inspector of the Board for reception of the cargo, and the animals shall be there detained until their movement from the Landing Place is permitted by an Inspector of the Board, which permission shall not be granted unless and until the whole cargo has been examined by a Veterinary Inspector of the Board, and until the expiration of twelve hours after the landing of the last animal of the cargo.

(2.) If two or more cargoes or parts of cargoes are permitted to be in a reception lair at the same time, they shall for the purposes of this Order be treated as one cargo.

(3.) Until permission has been given for the removal of an animal from the Landing Place it shall not be allowed to come in con-

tact with any animal which does not form, or is not treated as, part of the same cargo.

(4.) The occupier of a Landing Place shall afford such assistance to the Veterinary Inspector as he may require to enable him to examine the animals.

Removal of Animals from Landing Place.

4. All animals landed at a Landing Place shall, subject to permission being given under this Order, be removed by the owner or person in charge thereof from the Landing Place forthwith if such removal is directed by the Superintendent of the Landing Place, and if an animal is not so removed by the owner or person in charge thereof, the occupier of the Landing Place, or the Superintendent thereof acting on behalf of the occupier, shall have power to remove the animal from the Landing Place, and to recover from the owner of the animal at the time of default the costs of and incidental to the removal.

Restrictions on Access to Landing Place.

5. No person, except the officers of Customs and Excise, lairage-men, the Superintendent of the Landing Place, Inspectors of the Board, and such other persons as may be specially authorised in writing by an Inspector of the Board, shall during the time of the landing of the animals be admitted to the landing-stage, pier, quay, or other part of the Landing Place at which the animals are landed, and no person except as aforesaid shall at any time be admitted to any part of the Landing Place which is being used as a reception-lair.

Landing Place Charges.

6. Charges made by the occupier of a Landing Place for the use thereof for animals landed under this Order shall be sanctioned by the Board.

Provisions for Movement through District in which a Landing Place is Situate.

7. Regulations made by a Local Authority of the District in which a Landing Place is situate as to movement into or within the District of that Local Authority shall not apply to the landing of animals at the Landing Place, or to their removal therefrom if the animals are consigned from Ireland or from the Landing Place to a place of destination outside the District of such Local Authority, and are moved from a railway loading bank in or adjoining the Landing Place forthwith by railway out of the District of the Local Authority.

Special Provisions Applicable to Landing of Swine.

8. Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to authorise landing in Great Britain of swine brought from Ireland otherwise than in accordance with the Swine-Fever (Movement from Ireland) Orders of 1904 and 1906, but such landing, and the movement of the swine out of the Landing Place, shall be subject to the regulations imposed by this Order.

Prohibition of Movement of Diseased Animals.

9. An animal which, in the opinion of a Veterinary Inspector of the Board, is affected with, or suspected of, disease as defined in this Order, shall not be moved out of a Landing Place.