ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 24TH AUGUST 1921.)

PRESTON IRISH ANIMALS LANDING PLACE ORDER OF 1921.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animal's Acts, 1894 to 1914, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows

Landing of Irish Animals at Preston.

1. The part of the port of Preston described in the Schedule hereto is hereby defined as a Landing Place for Irish Animals.

Special Provisions applicable to Landing Place.

2. Such part of the Landing Place as is not coloured pink on the plan may be used for purposes other than a Landing Place for Irish animals if such part has, since it was last used for the landing of Irish animals, been cleansed and disinfected to the satisfaction of an Inspector of the Ministry.

Short Title and Commencement.

3. This Order may be cited as the PRESTON IRISH ANIMALS LIANDING PLACE ORDER OF 1921, and shall come into operation on the twenty-fifth day of August, nineteen hundred and twenty-one.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-fourth day of August, nineteen hundred and twentyone.

> J. Jackson, Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

All those premises situate at Albert Edward Dock, in the county borough of Preston, which are coloured pink and green on the plan sealed by the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries for the purposes of this Order, and deposited at the Ministry.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 25TH AUGUST 1921.)

EPIZOOTIC ABORTION ORDER OF 1921.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1914, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows :

Prohibition of Exposure in Markets, &c.

1. It shall not be lawful for any person to expose or cause to be exposed in any market, fairground, or saleyard, a cow or a heifer which to his knowledge, or according to in-formation furnished to him, has calved prematurely within the two months immediately preceding such exposure.

Prohibition of Sale without Notification.

2. It shall not be lawful for any person to sell, or cause to be sold, a cow or heifer which to his knowledge, or according to information furnished to him, has calved prematurely within the two months immediately preceding such sale unless before the sale he shall have given to the purchaser notice in writing of such premature calving.

Prohibition of Service without Notification.

3. It shall not be lawful for any person to send or cause to be sent to any bull for service a cow or heifer which to his knowledge, or according to information furnished to him, has calved prematurely within the two months immediately preceding, unless before the ser-vice he shall have given notice in writing of such premature calving to the owner of the bull.

Prohibition of Turning out on Common or Unfenced Land or of Grazing on Highway.

4. It shall not be lawful for any person (a) to cause or permit to be turned out on any common or uninclosed land, or in a field or other place insufficiently fenced, or in a field or other place adjoining a highway (unless that field or place is so fenced or situate that cattle therein cannot stray or graze along the highway), or (b) to cause or permit to graze on pasture being on the sides of a highway, a cow or a heifer which to his knowledge, or according to information furnished to him, has calved prematurely within the two months immediately preceding such turning out or such grazing.

Offences.

5. If anything is done or omitted to be done in contravention of this Order, the owner and person in charge of the animal in respect of which, as the case may be, the same is done, or omitted to be done, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Local Authority to Enforce Order.

6. This Order shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

Revocation.

7. The Epizootic Abortion Order of 1920 is hereby revoked, and any Regulation made by a Local Authority under that Order shall cease to operate.

Commencement.

8. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of October, nineteen hundred and twenty-one.



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