MINISTRY OF HEALTH.

PUBLIC HEALTH (IMPORTED FOOD) REGULATIONS, 1937.

The Minister of Health hereby gives notice, in pursuance of the above-named Regulations, that he will recognise from the date of operation of the Regulations each of the Official Certificates of which particulars are given in the Schedule hereto as showing (a) that the meat to which it relates or the meat from which the meat product to which it relates was prepared, was derived from animals inspected ante and post mortem and passed in accordance with criteria satisfactory to the Minister; and (b) that all necessary precautions for the prevention of danger to public health were taken in the dressing or preparing and packing of the meat or meat product.

Where the Certificate is in the form of a label, the recognition will apply only if the label is securely affixed to the meat or to the package containing the meat or meat product and if the label has not in any other circumstances or on any other occasion been used as an Official Certificate; and where the Certificate is in the form of a stamp, the recognition will apply only if the stamp is clearly impressed on the meat or the container, as the case may be.

The Public Health (Imported Food) Regulations, 1925, and the Public Health (Imported Food) Amendment Regulations, 1933, are revoked from the date of operation of the Public Health (Imported Food) Regulations, 1937, and all notices published in the London Gazette relating to the recognition of Official Certificates for the purposes of the revoked Regulations will cease to have effect on that date.

SCHEDULE.

I.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

(1) For beef in carcase form or as sides quarters or smaller cuts or pieces with or without bones, a stamp of the following design: -

In place of the number 53 other numbers may be inserted.

Where pieces cannot be stamped, the design set out in paragraph (3) below will be stamped on the wrapper containing them.

(2) For mutton lamb pork bacon and hams in carcase form or as sides quarters or smaller cuts or pieces with or without bones, and with salted cured dried or smoked pork or pork otherwise prepared than as bacon or ham, a smaller stamp of the same design as follows:-

In place of the number 33 other numbers may be inserted.

Where pieces cannot be stamped, the design set out in paragraph (3) below will be stamped on the wrapper containing them.

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