

dated the 17th day of April, 1952, defining a river board area to be known as the Usk River Board Area.

A copy of the Order and of the map referred to therein may be seen during normal office hours at the office of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Someries House, St. Andrew's Place, Regent's Park, London, N.W.1.

Hugh Gardner, Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

A. Titherley, Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Local Government.
17th April, 1952.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

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 and Fisheries has made the following Orders:—

Statutory Instruments 1952 No. 756.

The Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Special Order No. 51, 1952 (Made 8th April, 1952).

1. Declares the areas comprising the districts situate (1) within approximately 5 miles of Staple-

hurst, Kent, and (2) within approximately 5 miles of Kingston and Mersham, Kent, to be Infected Areas for the purpose of preventing the spreading of foot-and-mouth disease, to which Areas the provisions of the Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas Restrictions) Order of 1938 are applied. These areas came into force on 12th April, 1952, on which day Special Orders Nos. 40 and 42, 1952, were revoked.

2. Releases the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Staplehurst, Kent, from restrictions on 17th April, 1952.

3. Releases the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Kingston and Mersham, Kent, from restrictions on 18th April, 1952.

Statutory Instruments 1952 No. 780.

The Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Special Order No. 52, 1952 (Made 9th April, 1952).

Extends the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Stock, Essex, declared by Special Order No. 48, 1952, so as to include the County Boroughs of East Ham and West Ham, the Boroughs of Barking and Ilford in the County of Essex, and the Metropolitan Boroughs of Greenwich, Poplar and Woolwich.

Copies of the above-mentioned Orders may be obtained from the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Animal Health Division, Hook Rise, Tolworth, Surbiton, Surrey.

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