

1980 No. 2028

AGRICULTURE

**The Hill Livestock (Compensatory Allowances)
(Amendment) Regulations 1980***Laid before Parliament in draft**Made - - - - 19th December 1980**Coming into Operation 1st January 1981*

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State, being Ministers designated (a) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 (b) in relation to the Common Agricultural Policy of the European Economic Community, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said section 2(2), and of all their other enabling powers, hereby make the following regulations, a draft of which has been laid before Parliament and has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:—

Citation, extent and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Hill Livestock (Compensatory Allowances) (Amendment) Regulations 1980, shall apply throughout the United Kingdom, and shall come into operation on 1st January 1981.

Amendment of principal regulations

2. Regulation 3 of the Hill Livestock (Compensatory Allowances) Regulations 1979 (c) (which authorises the payment of compensatory allowances for cattle and sheep) shall be amended as follows:—

(a) in paragraph (2), for the reference to £35.00 there shall be substituted a reference to £42.50; and for the reference to 65.60 European Currency Units there shall be substituted a reference to 97 European Currency Units;

(b) in paragraph (3)(a), for the reference to £5.50 there shall be substituted a reference to £6.25; and for the reference to 9.84 European Currency Units there shall be substituted a reference to 14.55 European Currency Units;

(a) S.I. 1972/1811.

(b) 1972 c.68.

(c) S.I. 1979/1748.

(c) in paragraph (3)(b), for the reference to 9.84 European Currency Units there shall be substituted a reference to 14.55 European Currency Units; and

(d) in paragraph (4), for the reference to 65.60 European Currency Units there shall be substituted a reference to 97 European Currency Units.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 19th December 1980.

(L.S.)

Peter Walker,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

19th December 1980.

George Younger,
Secretary of State.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Hill Livestock (Compensatory Allowances) Regulations 1979 by increasing the compensatory allowance payable—

- (a) for cattle, from £35.00 to £42.50 in respect of each eligible animal, and
- (b) for ewes of an approved breed comprised in a specially qualified flock, from £5.50 to £6.25 in respect of each eligible animal.

The Regulations also increase the overall limit on payments for each hectare of eligible land from 65.60 European Currency Units to 97 European Currency Units.

These increases are within the maximum amounts permitted by Council Directive 80/666/EEC (OJ No. L 180, 14.7.1980, p.34).

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