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State Intelligence

NORTHERN IRELAND OFFICE

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State, in pursuance of Section 36(1)(a) of the Coroners Act (Northern Ireland) 1959, after consultation with the Minister for the Civil Service, has made a Statutory Rule entitled the Coroners (Salaries, Fees and Expenses) (Amendment) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1976 (S.R. 1976 No. 217) which has been numbered 1976 No. 217 and shall come into operation on 1st September, 1976.

These rules provide for increases in the amounts payable in respect of jury service at an inquest.

Copies of the Rule can be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958 and 1966

LANDING OF CARCASSES AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1970

LANDING OF CARCASSES AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS (AMENDMENT) ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1972

Open General Licence

The Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland in accordance with the provision of the above Orders hereby licences the importation of meat and meat products (other than hams, luncheon meats, frankfurter and other cured sausages) in hermetically sealed metal or glass containers provided that the meat and meat products are for the personal consumption of the importer.

This licence shall remain in operation unless revoked by the Department.

J. G. Taylor (Miss)

Authorised by the Head of the Department of Agriculture

Date: 19th July, 1976.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1967

The Department of Commerce hereby gives notice that it

has made an Order entitled the Weights and Measures (Biscuits and Shortbread) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976 (S.R. 1976 No. 198).

The Order provides that Part XI of Schedule 2 to the Weights and Measures Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 shall cease to apply to biscuits and shortbread on 1st January, 1978, when the provisions of that Part are replaced by those of this Order.

Copies of the Order may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

The Department of Commerce hereby gives notice that it has made an Order entitled the Weights & Measures (Dried Fruits) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976 (S.R. 1976 No. 197).

The Order provides that Part IX of Schedule 2 to the Weights & Measures Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 shall cease to apply to dried fruits, that is apples (including dried apple rings), apricots, currants, dates, figs, muscatels, nectarines, peaches, pears (including dried pear rings), prunes, raisins and sultanas and dried fruit salad on 1st January, 1977, when the provisions of that Part are replaced by those of this Order.

Copies of the Order may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Notice is hereby given that the Department of Health and Social Services in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 7 and 68 of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland) 1958 has made regulations entitled the Labelling of Food (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970 (S.R.&O. 1970 No. 80).

The amendments to the definitions in the 1970 regulations will allow fresh fruit and vegetables and flour confectionery in certain limited types of packaging to be treated as exempt from labelling requirements. Other amendments are to those parts of the 1970 regulations which deal with the use as appropriate designations of names laid down in compositional regulations; claims made in relation to diabetic foods, the declaration of additives in