

turkey hatching eggs must come from flocks in which there has been no evidence of Turkey Rhinotracheitis within 90 days of export, turkey poults under 72 hours of age must come from flocks in which there has been no evidence of Turkey Rhinotracheitis during the life time of the flock and turkeys over 72 hours of age must be isolated for 14 days prior to consignment and subjected to a test by the ELISA method for the pneumovirus considered to cause Turkey Rhinotracheitis.

8. Importers must give the Department of Agriculture 24 hours' notice in writing of the arrival of each consignment.

Definitions:

1. (a) poultry includes domestic fowl, turkeys, ducks, geese, partridges, pheasants, quail, pigeons and guinea fowl reared or kept in captivity for breeding, the production of meat or eggs for consumption or for restocking supplies of game.

- (b) hatching eggs means eggs for incubation, laid by poultry defined in (a).
 (c) day old chicks means all poultry less than 72 hours old, not yet fed; except for Barbary ducks which may be fed.
 (d) breeding poultry means poultry 72 hours old or more, intended for the production of hatching eggs.
 (e) productive poultry shall mean poultry of 72 hours old or more reared for the production of meat and/or eggs for consumption (or for the restocking of supplies of game).
 (f) slaughter poultry means poultry sent direct to a slaughterhouse as soon as possible after arrival, and in any case within 72 hours.
 (g) member state means a member state of the European Community.

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WATERCOURSE MANAGEMENT DIVISION

Works Programme

MAINTENANCE OF WATERCOURSES 1992/1993 (Supplementary List)

The Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland hereby gives notice in pursuance of Regulation 5(1) of the Drainage (Environmental Assessment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991 of proposed routine maintenance work on the watercourses listed below.

The work may include the following:

1. Removal of channel silt and/or aquatic weed growth, the latter by mechanical or other approved methods.
2. Removal of obstructions from the channel which restrict the free flow of water.
3. Clearing of debris from grilles, manholes and/or flap-valves.
4. Reconstruction, repair or protection of flood defences, revetments and watercourse structures.
5. Measures for the protection or rehabilitation of fishery, conservation, or other interests.

The works will be carried out using environmentally sensitive river engineering techniques devised in consultation with the Department's conservation advisers. This will fulfil the Department's commitment in its publication 'Drainage and the Environment' to minimise environmental damage and encourage regeneration by its drainage works.

The Department reserves the right to alter the maintenance programme.

Having determined that the proposed works are not, by reason amongst other things of their nature, size and location, likely to have significant environmental effects it is the Department's intention not to prepare an Environmental Statement.

In accordance with Regulation 5(1) (d) of the Regulations representations may be made in writing to the Department at the address given below, with regard to its intention not to prepare an Environmental Statement. The closing date for the receipt of representations is 7th August 1992.

The Department will consult with conservation and fisheries organisations on the works programme.

MAIN WATERCOURSES

<i>Name of Watercourse</i>	<i>Up-Stream Limit</i>	<i>Down-Stream Limit</i>	<i>Works Length (Km)</i>	<i>OS 1/50,000 Map No.</i>
Clanrye	J107275	J105280	1	29
Clanrye	J112268	J108275	.9	29
Newtownards/Comber Dyke	J495724	J489711	1.7	21
Lagan (Dunmurry)	J296676		Flap Valve	15
Lagan (Dunmurry)	J299679		.1	15
Lagan (Stranmillis)	J341709		.025	15
Moneycarragh River	J399369	J399359	1	29
Upper Bann	J066483	J014560	12	20
Upper Bann	J213400	J210408	2	20
Upper Bann	J225375	J218383	2	29
Upper Bann (Ballydown Weir)	J142452		Weir	20
Owenkillew	H482869	H475872	.8	13
Owenkillew	H457881	H452880	.6	13
Owenreagh	H582822	H528866	7.7	13