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AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 7th day of January, 1873.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT :

Mr. Forster.
Mr. Stansfeld.

THE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1869, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do hereby revoke their Order, bearing date the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, relating to sheep and goats brought to Great Britain from any place in the Empire of Germany, and landed in Great Britain: Provided that nothing herein shall invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the said Order before this Order takes effect, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, the said Order.

This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the thirteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

Edmund Harrison.

VIENNA UNIVERSAL EXHIBITION OF 1873.

Notice to British Exhibitors.—Protection of Industrial Designs and Inventions.

A SPECIAL LAW for the Protection of Objects exhibited at the Universal Exhibition in Vienna in 1873, sanctioned by His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty, and dated 13th November, 1872, has been promulgated and published in the official "Wiener Zeitung" of the 28th November, 1872, No. 273, and in the "Imperial Law Gazette" of the same date, LVIII, No. 159. Her Majesty's Commissioners have caused the following translation of the law to be prepared for the information of Exhibitors in the British Section.

By order,

P. Cunliffe Owen, Secretary.

41, Parliament-street,
London, December, 1872.

With the concurrence of the two Houses of the Reichsrath I hereby decree as follows:—

ART. I.

Exhibitors can obtain a "Certificate of Protection" by applying to the Director General.

Application must be made previous to the opening of the Exhibition, or, if later, before the installation of the objects in the Exhibition.

It must be accompanied by an exact description of the exhibits, and double copies of plans or drawings, or two specimens of the Trade Mark, Design, or Model in separate cases.

If application be made through an agent, letter of authorisation must be added likewise.

Every Austrian and every Foreigner who exhibits in the Universal Exhibition of 1873 at Vienna, any object or objects which, according to the provisions of the Law of August 15, 1852 (Imperial Law Gazette, No. 184), and the two Laws of December 7, 1858 (I. L. G., Nos. 230 and 237), are qualified to be granted a Patent or protection as to security of Trade Mark or Design, can obtain for the same from the Director-General of the Universal Exhibition a "Certificate of Protection" (Schutz-Certificat). An application to that effect must be addressed to the Director-General at the latest previous to the date of the opening of the Exhibition, or should the goods arrive later, prior to their installation in the Exhibition, and they must be accompanied by an exact description of the same, and (so far as is required for explanation) by double copies of plans or drawings, or two specimens of the Trade Mark, Design or Model, as the case may be, enclosed in two separate cases or envelopes. If the application be made through an agent or other authorised person, the letter of authorisation must be added likewise.

ART. II.

"Certificate of Protection" is granted gratis, and is valid till 31st December, 1873.

Exhibitors can apply for a regular Patent, or protection of Trade Mark or Design, before the 31st December, 1873.

The "Certificate of Protection" will be issued free of expense, by the Director-General of the Universal Exhibition, and be countersigned by an official appointed for that purpose by the Hungarian Ministry, and will secure to the applicant, from the date stated therein of the admission of the respective objects into the