



ANIMAL HEALTH ACT 1996

**ANIMAL HEALTH ACT 1996 (APPOINTED DAY) ORDER 1997**

*Laid before Tynwald : 16 December 1997*

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry by section 63(2) of the Animal Health Act 1996(a), and of all other enabling powers, the following Order is hereby made:-

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Animal Health Act 1996 (Appointed Day) Order 1997.

**Commencement**

2. The Animal Health Act 1996 shall come into operation on 18 November 1997.

MADE 18 November 1997.

*Hazel Hannan*

Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry.

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(a) 1996 c.22

EXPLANATORY NOTE  
*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings into operation with effect from 18 November 1997 the Animal Health Act 1996, an Act to enable the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry -

- to repeal and replace the Diseases of Animals Acts 1948 to 1975 and certain related enactments; and
- to make provision for -
  - (i) animal health and welfare; and
  - (ii) connected purposes.