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**The Agricultural Subsidies and  
Grants Schemes (Appeals) (Wales)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2010**

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations make further amendments to the Agricultural Subsidies and Grants Schemes (Appeals) (Wales) Regulations 2006, S.I. 2006/3342 (W. 303). The amendments replace the references to “Community legislation” with references to “EU legislation”(European Union legislation), and update the list of such legislation in S.I. 2006/3342 (W. 303) as amended by S.I. 2007/2900 (W. 251).

A Regulatory Impact Assessment has not been prepared as the amendments covered by these Regulations relate to existing arrangements for appeals.

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15 July 2010

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The Welsh Ministers are designated<sup>(1)</sup> for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972<sup>(2)</sup> in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Union.

These Regulations and the Regulations they amend, the Agricultural Subsidies and Grants Schemes (Appeals) (Wales) Regulations 2006 (“the principal Regulations”), make provision for a purpose mentioned in section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972. References are made to EU instruments in the Schedule to the principal Regulations. It appears to the Welsh Ministers that it is expedient for any reference in the principal Regulations to EU instruments to be construed as a reference to those instruments as amended from time to time.

The Welsh Ministers make these Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of, and paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 to, the European Communities Act 1972.

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(1) S.I. 2005/2766. By virtue of sections 59 and 162 of, and paragraphs 28 and 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006, functions conferred upon the National Assembly for Wales are exercisable by the Welsh Ministers.

(2) 1972 c.68.

## **Title, application, commencement**

1.—(1) The title of these Regulations is the Agricultural Subsidies and Grants Schemes (Appeals) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2010.

(2) These Regulations apply in relation to Wales, and come into force on 9 August 2010.

## **Amendments to the Agricultural Subsidies and Grants Schemes (Appeals) (Wales) Regulations 2006**

2.—(1) The Agricultural Subsidies and Grants Schemes (Appeals) (Wales) Regulations 2006<sup>(1)</sup> are amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In regulation 2(1) and in the Schedule replace references to “Community legislation” with references to “EU legislation”.

(3) In regulation 2(2) replace the reference to “a Community instrument” with a reference to “an EU instrument”.

(4) In the Schedule after paragraph (12) add—

“**13.** Commission Regulation (EC) No 1857/2006 of 15 December 2006 on the application of Articles 87 and 88 of the Treaty to State aid to small and medium-sized enterprises active in the production of agricultural products and amending Regulation (EC) No 70/2001<sup>(2)</sup>.”

**14.** Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 of 19 January 2009 establishing common rules for direct support schemes for farmers under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers<sup>(3)</sup>.

**15.** Commission Regulation (EC) No 1120/2009 of 29 October 2009 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of the single payment scheme provided for in Title III of Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 establishing common rules for direct support schemes for farmers under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers<sup>(4)</sup>.

**16.** Commission Regulation (EC) No 1121/2009 of 29 October 2009 laying down

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(1) S.I. 2006/3342 (W. 303), as amended by S.I. 2007/2900 (W. 251).

(2) O.J. No L 358, 16.12.2006, p.3.

(3) O.J. No L 30, 31.1.2009, p.16.

(4) O.J. No L 316, 2.12.2009, p. 1.

detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 as regards the support schemes for farmers provided for in Titles IV and V thereof **(1)**.

**17.** Commission Regulation (EC) No 1122/2009 of 30 November 2009 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 as regards cross-compliance, modulation and the integrated administration and control system, under the direct support schemes for farmers provided for that Regulation, as well as for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 as regards cross-compliance under the support scheme provided for the wine sector **(2)**.”.

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(1) O.J. No L 316, 2.12.2009, p. 27.

(2) O.J. No L 316, 2.12.2009, p. 65.

