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LEGISLATION COMMITTEE REPORT

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The Meat (Hygiene and Inspection) (Charges) (Amendment) (No. 2) (Wales)
Regulations 2001

Background

These Regulations amend the Meat (Hygiene and Inspection) (Charges) Regulations 1998 to permit charges to be made for health inspections at re-packaging centres and to allow the Food Standards Agency to withdraw inspection services where there has been a failure to comply with a court order requiring payment of inspection charges.

Regulations to similar effect came into force in England on 1st March 2000 (SI 2000/224).

Standing Order 11.5

Having had the opportunity of looking at an early draft of these Regulations, the legal advisers to the Committee have been able to identify a number of points which have now been taken into account in the final draft. Accordingly, there are no points in respect of which the Committee needs to invite the Assembly to pay special attention under SO 11.5.

General Observations

In the Welsh text the wording of the title in the citation in regulation 1 does not accord with the headings.

In footnote (a) in the Welsh text the capital I in line 4 should be lower case.

It would be as well for these points to be corrected. This could be effected by Memorandum of Corrections if so desired.

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