



**Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru**  
**The National Assembly for Wales**

**ADRODDIAD GAN Y PWYLLGOR DEDDFAU      LEGISLATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

**The Import and Export Restrictions (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) (Wales) (No. 6)**  
**Regulations 2001**

**Background**

These regulations revoke and replace the No. 5 Regulations of the same title. As in the case of the No. 5 Regulations they implement restrictions on the import and export of certain animals and animal products. This is in accordance with a series of Commission Decisions.

The No. 5 Regulations were to apply until 18 May. But they have now been superseded by the present regulations which similarly apply until 18 May.

**Standing Order 11.5**

No points have been identified as matters in respect of which the Committee needs to invite the Assembly to pay special attention.

**General Observations**

As in the case of previous foot-and-mouth disease statutory instruments, these regulations have been made in English only. It is understood that this has been in consequence of the short time within which the regulations had to be made. The Committee has previously written to the relevant Assembly Minister with regard to this, and the response to that letter will thus be of equal relevance in the present instance. It is particularly to be noted with

these regulations that the text is, each time, substantially the same as the earlier regulations in the series.

### **Explanatory Note**

The Committee is pleased to note that the Explanatory Note does now indicate the date on which the regulations cease to apply.

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