Supplementary Order Paper

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, the 12th Day of September 1958.

STOCK AMENDMENT BILL

Hon. Mr Skinner, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 2, subclause (1): To insert in line 3 on page 2, after the word "sheep", the words "in accordance with the requirements of section forty-seven A of this Act, as inserted by section four of the Stock Amendment Act 1958".

Clause 3: To omit from line 24 on page 2 the word "October", and substitute the word "August".

Clause 4: To omit the clause, and substitute the following clause:

4. Method of dipping and dusting sheep—The principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after section forty-

seven, the following section:

"47A. (1) For the purpose of complying with any requirement of this Act in respect of the dusting of any sheep, the dusting shall be effected within three months after the sheep has been shorn by spraying the sheep with a dust containing a preparation that is effective for destroying lice and keds.

"(2) For the purpose of complying with any requirement of this Act in respect of the dipping of any sheep, otherwise than by plunging or immersing the sheep in a preparation that is effective for destroying lice and keds, the dipping shall be effected within three months after the sheep has been shorn.

"(3) Where any sheep is dusted in accordance with the provisions of subsection one of this section, the dusting shall be effected by means of an effective pressure spraying

apparatus.

'(4) Nothing that may be done by any person shall comply with any requirement of this Act in respect of the dipping or dusting of any sheep in any case where there is not full compliance with the requirements of this section.'

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Clause 2: The amendment brings the definition of the term "dip" into line with the definition of the term "dust" which appears in clause 2 (2) of the Bill. The change is consequential on the changes being made in clause 4 of the Bill by this Supplementary Order Paper.

Clause 3: The amendment to the clause will authorise dipping and dusting of sheep to begin on 1 August in each year instead of on 1 October.

Clause 4: The new section 47A is rewritten so as to cover the spraying of sheep.