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**BILLE NA BHFEITHIDÍ MILLTEACHA AGUS NA LOTNAIDÍ  
(LEASÚ), 1990  
DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL,  
1990**

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*Mar a ritheadh ag dhá Theach an Oireachtais  
As passed by both Houses of the Oireachtas*

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**ACT REFERRED TO**

Destructive Insects and Pests (Consolidation) Act, 1958

1958, No. 11



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# BILL

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*entitled*

AN ACT TO AMEND THE DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND  
PESTS (CONSOLIDATION) ACT, 1958.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE OIREACHTAS AS FOLLOWS:

"Principal Act".

1.—In this Act "the Principal Act" means the Destructive Insects 10  
and Pests (Consolidation) Act, 1958.

Provisions in  
relation to orders  
under Principal  
Act.

2.—(1) A person who contravenes or fails to comply with an order  
under section 2 or 3 of the Principal Act shall be guilty of an offence.

(2) The power conferred on the Minister to make an order under  
the said section 2 or 3 shall include power to provide in the order for 15  
such incidental, supplementary and consequential provisions as shall  
appear to the Minister to be necessary for giving full effect to any  
provision of the order or to secure compliance therewith.

(3) The Minister may by order amend or revoke an order under  
the said section 2 or 3 (including an order under this subsection). 20

Amendment of  
section 8 of  
Principal Act.

3.—Section 8 of the Principal Act is hereby amended by the sub-  
stitution of the following subsection for subsection (3):

"(3) A person who contravenes or fails to comply with a  
spraying notice or who obstructs or impedes the Minister or any  
person duly authorised by the Minister in the exercise of any 25  
of the powers conferred by this section shall be guilty of an  
offence."

Penalties.

4.—A person guilty of an offence under *section 2* of this Act or  
section 8 of the Principal Act shall be liable on summary conviction  
to a fine not exceeding £1,000 or to imprisonment for a term not 30  
exceeding 3 months or to both.

Offences by  
directors etc., of  
bodies corporate.

5.—Where an offence under *section 2* of this Act or section 8 of  
the Principal Act is committed by a body corporate and is proved to  
have been so committed with the consent, connivance or approval of  
or to have been attributable to any neglect on the part of any person, 35

being a director, manager, secretary or other officer of the body corporate or a person who was purporting to act in any such capacity, that person, as well as the body corporate, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished as if he were  
5 guilty of the first-mentioned offence.

6.—Subsections (2) (e) and (3) of section 3 of the Principal Act are hereby repealed. Repeals.

7.—(1) This Act may be cited as the Destructive Insects and Pests (Amendment) Act, 1991. Short title, collective citation, construction and commencement.

10 (2) The Principal Act and this Act may be cited together as the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1958 and 1991, and shall be construed together as one.

(3) This Act shall come into operation one month after the date of its passing.

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**BILLE**

*dá ngairtear*

Acht do leasú Acht na Míngéacha Millteacha agus  
na Loitmhíola (Comhdhlúthú), 1958.

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**BILL**

*entitled*

An Act to amend the Destructive Insects and Pests  
(Consolidation) Act, 1958.

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*Ritheadh ag dhá Theach an Oireachtais,  
13 Márta, 1991*

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13th March, 1991*

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