

SCHEDULES

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AMENDMENTS

The Game Preservation Act (Northern Ireland) 1928 (c. 25)

- 1.—(1) Section 2 (police powers to search for game, etc.) is amended as follows.
 - (2) Omit subsection (1).
 - (3) In subsection (2) for the words from the beginning to “read the same” substitute “If any officer or constable has reasonable grounds to suspect that any person is or has been unlawfully in pursuit of any game,”.
 - (4) In subsection (3) omit “demand or”.
2. After section 7F insert—

“7G Relationship of this Act with Wildlife Order

7G. Sections 7(1) and (2) and 7A(1) do not have effect in relation to a hare included in Schedule 5 to the Wildlife (Northern Ireland) Order 1985.”.

3. In section 8(1) (penalties for offences) after “this Act” insert “(except section 7AA)”.
4. In section 10(2) (interpretation) for the definition of “game” substitute—
 - ““game” means any hare or game-bird;
 - “game-bird” has the same meaning as in the Wildlife (Northern Ireland) Order 1985;”.