

SCHEDULE 6

CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

Firearms (Northern Ireland) Order 2004

- 1.—(1) The Firearms (Northern Ireland) Order 2004⁽¹⁾ is amended as follows—
- (2) In article 2(2) (interpretation), for the definition of “slaughtering instrument” substitute—
““slaughtering instrument” means a firearm which is specially designed or adapted for the instantaneous slaughter or killing of animals or for the instantaneous stunning of animals with a view to slaughtering or killing them;”.
- (3) In Schedule 1, paragraph 3 (slaughter of animals)—
 - (a) in sub-paragraph (1), for “licensed to slaughter animals” substitute “who is the holder of a certificate of competence to slaughter animals”; and
 - (b) in sub-paragraph (3), for the definition of “licensed” substitute—
““certificate of competence to slaughter animals” means a certificate of competence issued in respect of an operation specified in regulation 6 of the Welfare of Animals at the Time of Killing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014;”.

(1) S.I. 2004/702 (N.I. 3)