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The Specified Animal Pathogens (Scotland) Order 2009

Prohibitions and notifications in relation to specified animal pathogens

4.—(1) No person may have in their possession—

- (a) any animal pathogen specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1;
- (b) any carrier in which they know such a pathogen is present,

except under the authority of a licence issued by the Scottish Ministers.

(2) No person may deliberately introduce into any animal a specified animal pathogen, except under the authority of a licence issued by the Scottish Ministers.

(3) A person must immediately notify the Scottish Ministers if that person—

- (a) has possession of any thing in respect of which they have reasonable grounds for suspecting that an animal pathogen specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 is present; and
- (b) is not acting under the authority of a licence in respect of that pathogen.