

EXECUTIVE NOTE

THE PIGS (RECORDS, IDENTIFICATION AND MOVEMENT) (SCOTLAND) AMENDMENT ORDER 2011

2011 No. 351

The Pigs (Records, Identification and Movement) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2011 (“the amending instrument”) has been made in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 1 and 8(1) of the Animal Health Act 1981. The legislation will apply in Scotland only. The amending instrument amends the Pigs (Records, Identification and Movement) (Scotland) Order 2011 (2011 No. 327) (“the principal instrument”). Similar legislation to the principal instrument applies in other parts of Great Britain. Once laid the amending instrument is subject to no further procedure.

Amendment

This amending instrument was required to remedy a defect in the principal instrument. That defect concerned a provision that was to the effect that a notice could be made otherwise than in writing. Section 83(1) of the Animal Health Act 1981 provides that all notices must be in writing. Accordingly there was no power to give effect to that provision. The amendment substitutes a new version of the article.

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