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## SCHEDULES

### [<sup>F1</sup>SCHEDULE 9A

#### SPECIES CONTROL AGREEMENTS AND ORDERS (ENGLAND AND WALES)

##### Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 9A inserted (E.W.) (12.4.2015) by [Infrastructure Act 2015 \(c. 7\)](#), ss. **23(3)**, 57(4); S.I. 2015/481, reg. 3(a); S.I. 2015/990, reg. 2

### PART 1

#### OVERVIEW AND INTERPRETATION

##### Overview

- 1 (1) This Schedule provides for—
- (a) species control agreements between environmental authorities and owners of premises, and
  - (b) species control orders made by environmental authorities, and for related matters.
- (2) A species control agreement or species control order may relate to—
- [<sup>F2</sup>(a) a species of animal or plant included on the [<sup>F3</sup>list of species of special concern],
  - (b) an invasive non-native species of animal or plant not falling within subparagraph (a), or
  - (c) a species of animal that is no longer normally present in Great Britain.]

This is subject to the other provisions of this Schedule.

- (3) The following definitions apply for the purposes of this Schedule.]

##### Textual Amendments

- F2** Sch. 9A para. 1(2)(a)-(c) substituted for Sch. 9A para. 1(2)(a)(b) (1.12.2019) by [The Invasive Alien Species \(Enforcement and Permitting\) Order 2019 \(S.I. 2019/527\)](#), art. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 1(4)(a)** (with art. 1(2)(4)) (as amended by [S.I. 2019/1213](#), regs. 1, 2(2))
- F3** Words in Sch. 9A para. 1(2)(a) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Animal Health, Invasive Alien Species, Plant Breeders' Rights and Seeds \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \(S.I. 2019/1220\)](#), regs. 1(2)(c), **6(3)(a)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 53(3)(c)(ia) inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 7 para. 2\(b\)](#)
- s. 53B(4A)(4B) inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 7 para. 4](#)
- s. 53ZA inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 7 para. 3](#)
- s. 54B54C inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 7 para. 5](#)
- Sch. 13A inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 7 para. 6](#)
- Sch. 14A inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 7 para. 7](#)