



# Horses (Protective Headgear for Young Riders) Act 1990

## 1990 CHAPTER 25

### 3 Interpretation.

(1) In this Act—

“horse” includes pony, mule, donkey or other equine animal;

“regulations” means regulations under section 2 of this Act; and

“road” does not include a footpath or bridleway but, subject to that, has—

- (a) in England and Wales the meaning given by section 192(1) of the <sup>M1</sup>Road Traffic Act 1988; and
- (b) in Scotland the meaning given by section 151(1) of the <sup>M2</sup>Roads (Scotland) Act 1984.

(2) For the purposes of the definition of “road” in subsection (1) above—

- (a) “footpath” means a way—

(i) over which the public have a right of way or, in Scotland, of passage on foot only; and

(ii) which is not associated with a carriageway; and

- (b) “bridleway” means a way over which the public have the following, but no other, rights of way: a right of way on foot and a right of way on horseback or leading a horse, with or without a right to drive animals of any description along the way.

#### Commencement Information

**II** S. 3 wholly in force at 30.6.1992 see s. 5(2) and S.I. 1992/1200, art. 2

#### Marginal Citations

**M1** 1988 c. 52.

**M2** 1984 c. 54.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Horses (Protective Headgear for Young Riders) Act 1990, Section 3.