



Protection of Animals Act 1911

1911 CHAPTER 27 1 and 2 Geo 5

^{F13} Power for court to deprive person convicted of cruelty of ownership of animal.

[^{F1}If the owner of any animal shall be guilty of cruelty within the meaning of this Act to the animal, the court, upon his conviction thereof, may, if they think fit, in addition to any other punishment, deprive such person of the ownership of the animal, and may make such order as to the disposal of the animal as they think fit under the circumstances:

Provided that no order shall be made under this section, unless it is shown by evidence as to a previous conviction, or as to the character of the owner, or otherwise, that the animal, if left with the owner, is likely to be exposed to further cruelty.]

Textual Amendments

F1 Ss. 1-3 repealed (E.W.) (27.3.2007 for W., 6.4.2007 for E.) by *Animal Welfare Act 2006* (c. 45), s. 68(3), **Sch. 4** (with ss. 1(2), 58(1), 59, 60); S.I. 2007/499, art. 2(2)(m); S.I. 2007/1030, art. 2(1)(m)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Protection of Animals Act 1911, Section 3.