
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1978 No. 1071 (S. 96)**WILD BIRDS****The Wild Birds (Various Species) (Scotland) Order 1978**

Made - - - - - *19th July 1978*

Coming into Operation *18th August 1978*

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 9(1) of the Protection of Birds Act 1954(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and after consulting the Advisory Committee on the Protection of Birds for Scotland in accordance with section 13(2)(a) of the said Act and giving an opportunity to submit objections or representations in accordance with section 13(2)(b) thereof, I hereby make the following order:—

1.—(1) This order, which shall apply to Scotland, may be cited as the Wild Birds (Various Species) (Scotland) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 18th August 1978.

(2) In this order “the Act” means the Protection of Birds Act 1954.

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The wild birds specified in the Schedule to this order shall, with respect to Scotland, be added to Schedule 4 to the Act (wild birds which may not be sold alive unless close-ringed and bred in captivity).

Bruce Millan,

One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

New St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.

19th July 1978.

Article 2

SCHEDULE

WILD BIRDS TO BE ADDED TO SCHEDULE 4

Buzzard, Common
Buzzard, Honey
Buzzard, Rough-legged
Eagle, Golden
Eagle, White-tailed
Falcon, Gyr
Falcon, Red-footed
Goshawk
Harrier, Hen
Harrier, Marsh
Harrier, Montagu's
Hobby
Kestrel
Kestrel, Lesser
Kite, Black
Kite, Red
Merlin
Osprey
Owl, Little
Peregrine
Sparrowhawk

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Wild birds included in Schedule 4 to the Protection of Birds Act 1954 may not be sold alive unless close-ringed and bred in captivity. This Order adds the birds of prey specified in the Schedule to the Order to Schedule 4 to the Act.

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