
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) Regulations 1997

PART IV

OFFENCES AND PENALTIES

Defences and exceptions

29. In any proceedings for an offence under regulation 10 it shall be a defence for the person charged to prove—

- (a) that the animal product in respect of which the offence is alleged to have been committed was intended for export to a country which has legislation analogous to these Regulations and that the animal product complies with that legislation; and
- (b) in the case of intended export to an EEA State, that the legislation complies with the provisions of Council Directive 96/22 and Council Directive 96/23.