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## SCHEDULE 6 PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE

22 After section 26 insert—

### “26A Enforcement of wildlife legislation

Regulations under section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 (c. 68) for the purpose of implementing Council Directive [92/43/EEC](#) on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora as amended by the Act of Accession to the European Union of Austria, Finland and Sweden and by Council Directive [97/62/EC](#) may, despite paragraph 1(1)(d) of Schedule 2 to that Act, create offences punishable on summary conviction with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.”

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#### Commencement Information

**II** [Sch. 6 para. 22](#) in force at 1.10.2004 by [S.S.I. 2004/407](#), [art. 2\(b\)](#)

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