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**ANIMALS
AGRICULTURE**

**The Trade in Animals and Related Products
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2011**

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**THE TRADE IN ANIMALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS
REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2011**

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