

Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2001 laying down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies

CHAPTER I

GENERAL PROVISIONS

*[<sup>F1</sup>Article 4*

**Safeguard measures**

1 The appropriate authority may by regulations make provision for laying down safeguard measures to reduce the risk of spread of transmissible spongiform encephalopathies covered by this Regulation, including but not limited to suspension of trade, isolation of holdings, delineation of buffer zones and quarantining of animals.

2 The appropriate authority that introduced the safeguard measures must notify each affected exporting country of the reasons for introducing such measures.]

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**Textual Amendments**

**F1** Art. 4 substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Animals \(Legislative Functions\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/588), regs. 1, **4(3)** (with reg. 12) (as amended by S.I. 2020/1463, regs. 1(2)(a), **6(3)(a)**); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council, Article 4.