## DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2009 No.

## The Licensing of Animal Dealers (Young Cats and Young Dogs) (Scotland) Regulations 2009

## Applications for animal dealing licences

- **4.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), the licensing authority must consider an application for an animal dealing licence where-
  - (a) the application is made to the authority in writing; and
  - (b) the required fee has been paid.
- (2) The licensing authority must not grant an application from an applicant who is for the time being subject to an order for disqualification under-
  - (a) section 5(3) of the Pet Animals Act 1951 (offences and disqualifications)(1);
  - (b) section 1(1) of the Protection of Animals (Amendment) Act 1954 (power to disqualify persons convicted of cruelty to animals)(2);
  - (c) section 3(3) of the Animal Boarding Establishments Act 1963 (offences and disqualifications)(3);
  - (d) section 3(3)(b) or (c) of the Breeding of Dogs Act 1973 (offences and disqualifications)(4);
  - (e) section 28F(1) and (2) of the Animal Health Act 1981 (deliberate infection: disqualification orders)(5);
  - (f) section 34(1) and (2), (3) or (4) of the Animal Welfare Act 2006 (disqualification)(6);
  - (g) section 40(1) and (2) of the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006 (disqualification orders); or
  - (h) regulation 21(2).

 <sup>(2) 1954</sup> c. 40; amended by the Animal Welfare Act 2006 (c. 45), Schedule 4.
(3) 1963 c. 43; amended by the Criminal Justice Act 2003 (c. 44), Schedule 37, Part 9, the Animal Welfare Act 2006 (c. 45), Schedule 3, paragraph 5 and S.S.I. 2006/536.

<sup>(4) 1973</sup> c. 60; amended by the Breeding and Sale of Dogs (Welfare) Act 1999 (c. 11), section 5.

<sup>(5) 1981</sup> c. 22. Section 28F was inserted by the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006 (asp 11), section 10.

<sup>(6) 2006</sup> c. 45; section 40 of that Act extends its provisions to Scotland.