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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2012 No. 40**

**ANIMALS**

**The Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals  
(Exemptions) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2012**

*Made - - - - 8th February 2012*

*Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 20(5)(b) of the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006<sup>(1)</sup> and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 20(6) of that Act, they have consulted such persons appearing to them to represent relevant interests and such other persons as they consider appropriate.

In accordance with section 51(3) of that Act, a draft of these Regulations has been laid before and approved by resolution of the Scottish Parliament.

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<sup>(1)</sup> 2006 asp 11.