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# SCHEDULES

## VALID FROM 31/05/2006

# [F1SCHEDULE ZA1

#### BIRDS WHICH RE-USE THEIR NESTS

#### **Textual Amendments**

F1 Sch. ZA1 inserted (31.5.2006) by Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 (c. 16), ss. 47, 107; S.I. 2006/1382, art. 2

Common nameScientific nameEagle, GoldenAquila chrysaetosEagle, White-tailedHaliaetus albicillaOspreyPandion haliaetus

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## [F2SCHEDULE A1

#### PROTECTED NESTS AND NEST SITES: BIRDS

#### **Textual Amendments**

F2 Sch. A1 inserted (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 50, 59, Sch. 6 para. 24; S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

Common name Scientific name

Eagle, White-tailed Haliaetus albicilla]

Godwit, Black-tailed

Grebe, Black-necked

Goshawk

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## SCHEDULE 1

Sections 1, 2, 4, 6, 19 and 22.

## BIRDS WHICH ARE PROTECTED BY SPECIAL PENALTIES

## PART I

## AT ALL TIMES

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Common name	Scientific name	
Avocet	Recurvirostra avosetta	
Bee-eater	Merops apiaster	
Bittern	Botaurus stellaris	
Bittern, Little	Ixobrychus minutus	
Bluethroat	Luscinia svecica	
Brambling	Fringilla montifringilla	
Bunting, Cirl	Emberiza cirlus	
Bunting, Lapland	Calcarius lapponicus	
Bunting, Snow	Plectrophenax nivalis	
Buzzard, Honey	Pernis apivorus	
[F3Capercaillie]	[F3 Tetracurogallus]	
Chough	Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax	
Corncrake	Crex crex	
Crake, Spotted	Porzana porzana	
Crossbills (all species)	Loxia	
Curlew, Stone	Burhinus oedicnemus	
Divers (all species)	Gavia	
Dotterel	Charadrius morinellus	
Duck, Long-tailed	Clangula hyemalis	
Eagle, Golden	Aquila chrysaetos	
Eagle, White-tailed	Haliaetus albicilla	
Falcon, Gyr	Falco rusticolus	
Fieldfare	Turdus pilaris	
Firecrest	Regulus ignicapillus	
Garganey	Anas querquedula	

Limosa limosa

Accipiter gentilis

Podiceps nigricollis

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Grebe, Slavonian Podiceps auritus
Greenshank Tringa nebularia
Gull, Little Larus minutus

Gull, Mediterranean Larus melanocephalus

Harriers (all species) Circus

Heron, Purple Ardea purpurea Falco subbuteo Hobby Hoopoe Upupa epops Kingfisher Alcedo atthis Kite, Red Milvus milvus Merlin Falco columbarius Oriolus oriolus Oriole, Golden Pandion haliaetus Osprey

Owl, Barn Tyto alba

Owl, Snowy Nyctea scandiaca
Peregrine Falco peregrinus

Petrel, Leach's Oceanodroma leucorhoa

Phalarope, Red-necked Phalaropus lobatus

Plover, Kentish Charadrius alexandrinus

Plover, Little Ringed Charadrius dubius

Quail, Common Coturnix coturnix

Redstart, Black Phoenicurus ochruros

Redwing Turdus iliacus

Rosefinch, Scarlet Carpodacus erythrinus
Ruff Philomachus pugnax

Sandpiper, Green Tringa ochropus
Sandpiper, Purple Calidris maritima
Sandpiper, Wood Tringa glareola
Scaup Aythya marila
Scoter, Common Melanitta nigra
Scoter, Velvet Melanitta fusca
Serin Serinus serinus

Shorelark Eremophila alpestris

Shrike, Red-backed Lanius collurio
Spoonbill Platalea leucorodia

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Stilt, Black-winged Himantopus himantopus

Stint, Temminck's Calidris temminckii Swan, Bewick's Cygnus bewickii Swan, Whooper Cygnus cygnus Tern, Black Chlidonias niger Tern, Little Sterna albifrons Sterna dougallii Tern, Roseate Panurus biarmicus Tit, Bearded Tit, Crested Parus cristatus

Treecreeper, Short-toed Certhia brachydactyla

Warbler, Cetti's Cettia cetti
Warbler, Dartford Sylvia undata

Warbler, Marsh Acrocephalus palustris
Warbler, Savi's Locustella luscinioides
Whimbrel Numenius phaeopus
Woodlark Lullula arborea
Wryneck Jynx torquilla

#### **Textual Amendments**

F3 Sch. 1 Pt. I: Words inserted (S.) (4.11.2001) by S.S.I. 2001/337, reg. 2(3)

#### PART II

## DURING THE CLOSE SEASON

Common nameScientific nameGoldeneyeBucephala clangulaGoose, Greylag (in Outer Hebrides,<br/>Caithness, Sutherland and Wester Ross only)Anser anserPintailAnas acuta

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# [F4SCHEDULE 1A

## BIRDS WHICH ARE PROTECTED FROM HARASSMENT

#### **Textual Amendments**

F4 Sch. 1A inserted (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 50, 59, Sch. 6 para. 25; S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

Common name Scientific name
Eagle, White-tailed Haliaetus albicilla]

## SCHEDULE 2

Sections 2, 3, and 22.

## BIRDS WHICH MAY BE KILLED OR TAKEN

## PART I

## OUTSIDE THE CLOSE SEASON

Common name	Scientific name
[F5Capercaillie]	[ <sup>F5</sup> Tetrao urogallus]
Coot	Fulica atra
Duck, Tufted	Aythya fuligula
Gadwall	Anas strepera
Goldeneye	Bucephala clangula
Goose, Canada	Branta canadensis
Goose, Greylag	Anser anser
Goose, Pink-footed	Anser brachyrhynchus
Goose, White-fronted (in England and Wales only)	Anser albifrons
Mallard	Anas platyrhynchos
Moorhen	Gallinula chloropus
Pintail	Anas acuta
Plover, Golden	Pluvialis apricaria
Pochard	Aythya ferina
Shoveler	Anas clypeata
Snipe, Common	Gallinago gallinago
Teal	Anas crecca

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Wigeon Anas penelope Woodcock Scolopax rusticola

## **Textual Amendments**

F5 Sch. 2 Pt. 1 words omitted (S.) (4.11.2001) by S.S.I. 2001/337, reg. 2(4)

# PART II BY AUTHORISED PERSONS AT ALL TIMES

Common name	Scientific name	
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#### **Textual Amendments**

**F6** Words in Sch.2 Pt. II removed (01.01.1993) by S.I. 1992/3010, art.2.

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## SCHEDULE 3

Sections 6 and 22.

## BIRDS WHICH MAY BE SOLD

## PART I

## ALIVE AT ALL TIMES IF RINGED AND BRED IN CAPTIVITY

Common name	Scientific name
Blackbird	Turdus merula
Brambling	Fringilla montifringilla
Bullfinch	Pyrrhula pyrrhula
Bunting, Reed	Emberiza schoeniclus
Chaffinch	Fringilla coelebs
Dunnock	Prunella modularis
Goldfinch	Carduelis carduelis
Greenfinch	Carduelis chloris
Jackdaw	Corvus monedula
Jay	Garrulus glandarius
Linnet	Carduelis cannabina
Magpie	Pica pica
Owl, Barn	Tyto alba
Redpoll	Carduelis flammea
Siskin	Carduelis spinus
Starling	Sturnus vulgaris
Thrush, Song	Turdus philomelos
Twite	Carduelis flavirostris
Yellowhammer	Emberiza citrinella

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#### PART II

## DEAD AT ALL TIMES

Common name	Scientific name
F7	F7
Woodpigeon	Columba palumbus

#### **Textual Amendments**

F7 Words in Sch. 3 Pt. II removed (01.01.1993) by S.I. 1992/3010, art.3.

#### PART III

#### DEAD FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER TO 28TH FEBRUARY

Common name	Scientific name
[F8 Capercaillie]	[F8Tetrao urogallus]
Coot	Fulica atra
Duck, Tufted	Aythya fuligula
Mallard	Anas platyrhynchos
Pintail	Anas acuta
Plover, Golden	Pluvialis apricaria
Pochard	Aythya ferina
Shoveler	Anas clypeata
Snipe, Common	Gallinago gallinago
Teal	Anas crecca
Wigeon	Anas penelope
Woodcock	Scolopax rusticola

## **Textual Amendments**

F8 Sch. 3 Pt. III: Words omitted (S.) (4.11.2001) by S.S.I. 2001/337, reg. 2(5)

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## SCHEDULE 4

Sections 7 and 22.

## BIRDS WHICH MUST BE REGISTERED AND RINGED IF KEPT IN CAPTIVITY

Common name	Scientific name
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Bunting, Cirl	Emberiza cirlus
Bunting, Lapland	Calcarius lapponicus
Bunting, Snow	Plectrophenax nivalis
Chough	Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax
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Crossbills (all species)	Loxia
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[F10Falcons (all species)]	[F10Falconidae]
Fieldfare	Turdus pilaris
Firecrest	Regulus ignicapillus
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[F10] Hawks, True (except Old world vultures) that is to say, Buzzards, Eagles, Harriers, Hawks and Kites (all species in each case)]	[F10] Accipitridae (except the genera Aegypius, Gypaetus, Gypohierax, Gyps, Neophron, Sarcogyps and Trigonoceps)]
F9	F9
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Oriole, Golden	Oriolus oriolus
Osprey	Pandion haliaetus
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Redstart, Black	Phoenicurus ochruros
Redwing	Turdus iliacus
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Serin Serinus serinus Shorelark Eremophila alpestris Shrike, Red-backed Lanius collurio F9 . . . . . . F9 F9 F9 F9 F9 F9 F9 F9 Tit, Bearded Panurus biarmicus Tit, Crested Parus cristatus . . . Warbler, Cetti's Cettia cetti Warbler, Dartford Sylvia undata Warbler, Marsh Acrocephalus palustris Locustella Liscinioides Warbler, Savi's F9 F9 Woodlark Lullula arborea Wryneck Jynx torquilla [F11] Any bird one of whose parents or other lineal ancestor was a bird of a kind specified in the foregoing provisions of this Schedule.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

**F9** Entries in Sch. 4 removed (24.5.1994) by S.I. 1994/1151, art. 2

F10 Entries in Sch. 4 removed (24.5.1994) subject to specified exceptions by S.I. 1994/1151, art. 2

F11 Words in Sch. 4 inserted (24.5.1994) by S.I. 1994/1151, art. 3

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## SCHEDULE 5

Sections 9, 10, 22 and 24.

#### ANIMALS WHICH ARE PROTECTED

## **Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

C1 By S.I. 1988/288, art. 2(2) it is provided that all Dolphins (Cetacea) and all Porpoises (Cetacea) not already listed in Schedule 5 are added to that Schedule and by S.S.I. 2007/80, reg. 28 it is provided that said Dolphins (all species) and Porpoises (all species) are removed (S.) (15.2.2007)

Common name	Scientific name
[F12Adder (in respect of section 9(5) only)]	[F12Vipera berus]
[F13 Allis Shad (in respect of section 9(1) and (4)(a) only)]	[F13Alosa alosa]
[F14Anemone, Ivell's Sea]	[F14Edwardsia ivelli]
[F14Anemone, Startlet Sea]	[F14Nematosella vectensis]
[ <sup>F14</sup> Apus]	[F14Triops cancriformis]
Bats, Horseshoe (all species)	Rhinolophidae
Bats, Typical (all species)	Vespertilionidae
[F15Beetle]	[F15Graphoderus zonatus]
[F15Beetle]	[F15Hypebaeus flavipes]
[F15Beetle]	[F15Paracymus aeneus]
[F15Beetle, Lesser Silver Water]	[F15Hydrochara caraboides]
[F15Beetle, Mire Pill (in respect of section 9(4)(a) only)]	[F15Curimopsis nigrita]
Beetle, Rainbow Leaf	Chrysolina cerealis
[F16Beetle, Stag (in respect of section 9(5) only)]	[F16Lucanus cervus]
[F14Beetle, Violet Click]	[F14Limoniscus violaceus]
Burbot	Lota lota
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[F18Butterfly, Northern Brown Argus]	[F18 Aricia artaxerxes]
[F18Butterfly, Adonis Blue]	[F18Lysandra bellargus]
[F18Butterfly, Chalkhill Blue]	[F18Lysandra coridon]
[F18Butterfly, Silver-studded Blue]	[F18Plebejus argus]
[F18Butterfly, Small Blue]	[F18Cupido minimus]

[F13Butterfly, Large Copper]	[F13Lycaena dispar]
[F18Butterfly, Purple Emperor]	[F18 Apatura iris]
[F18Butterfly, Duke of Burgandy Fritillary]	[F18Hamearis lucina]
[F18Butterfly, Glanville Fritillary]	[F18Melitaea cinxia]
Butterfly, Heath Fritillary	Mellicta athalia (otherwise known as Melitaea athalia)
[F19Butterfly, High Brown Fritillary]	[F19Argynnis adippe]
[F13Butterfly, Marsh Fritillary]	[ <sup>F13</sup> Eurodryas aurinia]
[F18Butterfly, Pearl-bordered Fritillary]	[F18Boloria euphrosyne]
[F18Butterfly, Black Hairstreak]	[F18Strymonidia pruni]
[F18Butterfly, Brown Hairstreak]	[F18Thecla betulae]
[F18Butterfly, White Letter Hairstreak]	[F18Stymonida w-album]
[F18Butterfly, Large Heath]	[F18Coenonympha tullia]
Butterfly, Large Blue	Maculinea arion
[F18Butterfly, Mountain Ringlet]	[F18 Erebia epiphron]
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[F18Butterfly, Chequered Skipper]	[F18Carterocephalus palaemon]
[F18Butterfly, Chequered Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper]	[F18 Carterocephalus palaemon] [F18 Thymelicus acteon]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper]	[F18Thymelicus acteon]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper]	[F18Thymelicus acteon] [F18Hesperia comma]
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[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell]	[F18Thymelicus acteon] [F18Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18Nymphalis polychloros]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell] [F18Butterfly, Wood White]	[F18Thymelicus acteon] [F18Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18Nymphalis polychloros] [F18Leptidea sinapis]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell] [F18Butterfly, Wood White] [F14Cat, Wild]	[F18Thymelicus acteon] [F18Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18Nymphalis polychloros] [F18Leptidea sinapis] [F14Felis silverstris]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell] [F18Butterfly, Wood White] [F14Cat, Wild] [F14Cicada, New Forest]	[F18Thymelicus acteon] [F18Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18Nymphalis polychloros] [F18Leptidea sinapis] [F14Felis silverstris] [F14Cicadetta montana]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper]  [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper]  Butterfly, Swallowtail  [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell]  [F18Butterfly, Wood White]  [F14Cat, Wild]  [F14Cicada, New Forest]  [F20Crayfish, Atlantic Stream]	[F18Thymelicus acteon] [F18Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18Nymphalis polychloros] [F18Leptidea sinapis] [F14Felis silverstris] [F14Cicadetta montana] [F20Austropotamobius pallipes]
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper]  [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper]  Butterfly, Swallowtail  [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell]  [F18Butterfly, Wood White]  [F14Cat, Wild]  [F14Cicada, New Forest]  [F20Crayfish, Atlantic Stream]  Cricket, Field	[F18 Thymelicus acteon] [F18 Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18 Nymphalis polychloros] [F18 Leptidea sinapis] [F14 Felis silverstris] [F14 Cicadetta montana] [F20 Austropotamobius pallipes] Gryllus campestris
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell] [F18Butterfly, Wood White] [F14Cat, Wild] [F14Cicada, New Forest] [F20Crayfish, Atlantic Stream] Cricket, Field Cricket, Mole	[F18 Thymelicus acteon] [F18 Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18 Nymphalis polychloros] [F18 Leptidea sinapis] [F14 Felis silverstris] [F14 Cicadetta montana] [F20 Austropotamobius pallipes] Gryllus campestris Gryllotalpa gryllotalpa
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell] [F18Butterfly, Wood White] [F14Cat, Wild] [F14Cicada, New Forest] [F20Crayfish, Atlantic Stream] Cricket, Field Cricket, Mole [F16Dameselfly, Southern]	[F18 Thymelicus acteon] [F18 Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18 Nymphalis polychloros] [F18 Leptidea sinapis] [F14 Felis silverstris] [F14 Cicadetta montana] [F20 Austropotamobius pallipes] Gryllus campestris Gryllotalpa gryllotalpa [F16 Coenagrion mercuriale] Tursiops truncatus (otherwise known as
[F18Butterfly, Lulworth Skipper] [F18Butterfly, Silver Spotted Skipper] Butterfly, Swallowtail [F18Butterfly, Large tortoiseshell] [F18Butterfly, Wood White] [F14Cat, Wild] [F14Cicada, New Forest] [F20Crayfish, Atlantic Stream] Cricket, Field Cricket, Field Cricket, Mole [F16Dameselfly, Southern] Dolphin, Bottle-nosed	[F18 Thymelicus acteon] [F18 Hesperia comma] Papilio machaon [F18 Nymphalis polychloros] [F18 Leptidea sinapis] [F14 Felis silverstris] [F14 Cicadetta montana] [F20 Austropotamobius pallipes] Gryllus campestris Gryllotalpa gryllotalpa [F16 Coenagrion mercuriale] Tursiops truncatus (otherwise known as Tursiops tursio)

Frog, Common (in respect of section 9(5) only)	Rana temporaria
[F16Goby, Couch's]	[ <sup>F16</sup> Gobius couchii]
[F16Goby, Giant]	[F16Gobius cobitis]
Grasshopper, Wart-biter	Decticus verrucivorus
[F15Hatchet Shell, Northern]	[F15Thyasira gouldi]
[F16Hydroid, Marine]	[F16Clavopsella navis]
[F15Lagoon Snail]	[F15Paludinella littorina]
[F15Lagoon Snail, De Folin's]	[F15Caecum armoricum]
[F15Lagoon Worm, Tentacled]	[ <sup>F15</sup> Alkmaria romijni]
[F14Leech, Medicinal]	[F14Hirudo medicinalis]
Lizard, Sand	Lacerta agilis
[F21Lizard, Viviparous (in respect of section 9(5) only)]	[F21Lacerta vivipara]
[F14Marten, Pine]	[F14Martes martes]
[F14Mat. Trembling Sea]	[F14Victorella pavida]
Moth, Barberry Carpet	Pareulype berberata
Moth, Black-veined	Siona lineata (otherwise known as Idaea lineata)
Moth, Essex Emerald	Thetidia smaragdaria
[F16Moth, Fiery Clearwing]	[F16Bembecia chrysidiformis]
[F16Moth, Fisher's Estuarine]	[F16Gortyna borelii]
Moth, New Forest Burnet	Zygaena viciae
Moth, Reddish Buff	Acosmetia caliginosa
[F15Moth, Sussex Emerald]	[ <sup>F15</sup> Thalera fimbrialis]
F22	F22
[F16Mussel, Fan (in respect of section 9(1), (2) and (5) only)]	[F16Atrina fragilis]
[F23Mussel, Freshwater Pearl]	[F23Margaritifera margaritifera]
Newt, Great Crested (otherwise known as Warty newt)	Triturus cristatus
Newt, Palmate (in respect of section 9(5) only)	Triturus helveticus
Newt, Smooth (in respect of section 9(5) only)	Triturus vulgaris

[F14Whitefish]

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Otter, Common Lutra lutra Porpoise, Harbour (otherwise known as Phocaena phocaena Common porpoise) [F14Sandworm, Lagoon] [F14Armandia cirrhosa] [F15Eunicella verrucosa] [F15]Sea Fan, Pink (in respect of section 9(1), 9(2) and 9(5) only] [F15Sea Slug, Lagoon] [F15Tenellia adspersa] I<sup>F16</sup>Shad, Twaite (in respect of section 9(4)(a) [F16 Alosa fallax] only)] [F16Shark, Basking] [F16Cetorhinus maximus] [F14Shrimp, Fairy] [F14Chirocephalus diaphanus] [F14Shrimp, Lagoon Sand] [F14Gammarus insensiblis] [F21 Slow-worm (in respect of section 9(5) [F21 Anguis fragilis] only)] . . . F17 F17 Snail, Glutinous Myxas glutinosa Catinella arenaria Snail, Sandbowl I<sup>F21</sup>Natrix helvetica (also known as Natrix [F21Snake, Grass (in respect of section 9(5) natrix)] only) Snake, Smooth Coronella austriaca Spider, Fen Raft Dolomedes plantarius Spider, Ladybird Eresus niger Squirrel, Red Sciurus vulgaris [F15Sturgeon] [F15Acipenser sturio] Bufo bufo Toad, Common (in respect of section 9(5) only) Toad, Natterjack Bufo calamita [F14Dermochelyidae and Cheloniidae] [F14Turtles, Marine (all species)] [F14Vendace] [F14Coregonus albula] [F16Vole, Water (in respect of section 9(4) [F16 Arvicola terrestris] only) [F14Odebenus rosmarus] [F14Walrus] [F14Whale (all species)] [F14Cetacea]

[F14Coregonus lavaretus]

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F12 By virtue of S.I. 1991/367, art. 2(1) entry is further listed in respect of section 9(1) so far as it relates to killing and injuring
- F13 By virtue of S.I. 1998/878, art. 2(2) entries in Sch. 5 added (16.4.1998) in substitution for the existing entries
- F14 Entry added as provided by S.I. 1988/288, art. 2(1)
- F15 Entries in Sch. 5 added (29.10.1992) by S.I. 1992/2350, art. 2(1)
- F16 Entries in Sch. 5 added (16.4.1998) by S.I. 1998/878, art. 2(1)
- F17 Entry removed from Schedule as provided by S.I. 1988/288, art. 2(5)
- **F18** Entry added (in respect of s. 9(5) only) by S.I. 1989/906, art. 2
- **F19** Entries in Sch. 5 substituted (29.10.1992) by S.I. 1992/2350, art. 2(2)
- F20 Entry added (only in respect of s. 9(1) so far as it relates to taking and in respect of s. 9(5)) by S.I. 1988/288, art. 2(3)
- F21 By S. I. 1988/288, art. 2(4) entry (which is already listed in respect of section 9(5) only) is further listed in respect of s. 9(1) so far as it relates to killing and injuring
- **F22** Entry in Sch. 5 (which was added as provided by S.I. 1988/288, **art. 2(1)**) removed (16.4.1998) by S.I. 1998/878, **art. 2(3)**
- F23 By virtue of S.I. 1998/878, art. 2(2) entry in Sch. 5 added (27.3.1998) in substitution for the existing entry

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#### SCHEDULE 6

Sections 11 and 22.

#### ANIMALS WHICH MAY NOT BE KILLED OR TAKEN BY CERTAIN METHODS

Common name	Scientific name
Badger	Meles meles
Bats, Horseshoe (all species)	Rinolophidae
Bats, Typical (all species)	Vespertilionidae
Cat, Wild	Felis silvestris
Dolphin, Bottle-nosed	Tursiops truncatus (otherwise known as Tursiops tursio)
Dolphin, Common	Delphinis delphis
Dormice (all species)	Gliridae
Hedgehog	Erinaceus europaeus
Marten, Pine	Martes martes
Otter, Common	Lutra lutra
Polecat	Mustela putorius
Porpoise, Harbour (otherwise known as Common porpoise)	Phocaena phocaena

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Shrews (all species) Soricidae

Squirrel, Red Sciurus vulgaris

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#### SCHEDULE 7

## PROTECTION OF CERTAIN MAMMALS

#### The Ground Game Act 1880

- 1 (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 6 of the MIGround Game Act 1880, it shall not be unlawful for the occupier of any land himself, or one other person authorised by him under section 1 of that Act, to use firearms for the purpose of killing ground game thereon between the expiration of the first hour after sunset and the commencement of the last hour before sunrise if (except where he has the exclusive right) the occupier has the written authority of the other person or one of the other persons entitled to kill and take the ground game on the land.
  - (2) In this paragraph "ground game" means hares and rabbits.

#### **Marginal Citations**

**M1** 1880 c. 47.

## The Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948

- 2 (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 50(1)(a) of the M2 Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948, it shall not be unlawful for the owner of the shooting rights on any land or any person holding those rights from him, or subject to sub-paragraph (2) below the occupier of any land, to use a firearm for the purpose of killing ground game thereon between the expiration of the first hour after sunset and the commencement of the last hour before sunrise.
  - (2) The occupier of any land shall not use a firearm as mentioned in sub-paragraph (1) above unless (except where he has the exclusive right) he has first obtained the written authority of the other person or one of the other persons entitled to kill and take the ground game on the land.
  - (3) An occupier who is entitled, in terms of this paragraph, to use a firearm for the purpose of killing ground game may, subject to the provisions of section 1 of the Ground Game Act 1880, authorise one other person so to use a firearm.
  - (4) In this paragraph "ground game" means hares and rabbits.

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#### **Marginal Citations**

M2 1948 c. 45.

## The Dogs (Protection of Livestock) Act 1953

- <sup>X1</sup>3 (1) At the end of subsection (2) of section 1 of the <sup>M3</sup> Dogs (Protection of Livestock) Act 1953 (penalty where dog worries livestock on agricultural land) there shall be inserted the words "or
  - (c) being at large (that is to say not on a lead or otherwise under close control) in a field or enclosure in which there are sheep".
  - (2) After that subsection there shall be inserted the following subsection—
    - "(2A) Subsection (2)(c) of this section shall not apply in relation to—
      - (a) a dog owned by, or in charge of, the occupier of the field or enclosure or the owner of the sheep or a person authorised by either of those persons; or
      - (b) a police dog, a guide dog, a trained sheep dog, a working gun dog or a pack of hounds."

#### **Editorial Information**

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#### **Marginal Citations**

**M3** 1953 c. 28.

## The Deer Act 1963

- [F24X24] For subsection (3) of section 10 of the M4 Deer Act 1963 (general exceptions) there shall be substituted the following subsections—
  - "(3) A person shall not be guilty of an offence under section 3(1)(c)(i) of this Act by reason of any smooth-bore gun for the purpose of killing any deer if he shows that the deer had been so seriously injured otherwise than by his unlawful act or was in such a condition that to kill it was an act of mercy.
  - (4) A person shall not be guilty of an offence under section 3(1)(c)(i) of this Act by reason of the use as a slaughtering instrument, for the purpose of killing any deer, of a smooth-bore gun which—
    - (a) is of not less gauge than 12 bore;
    - (b) has a barrel less than 24 inches (609.6 millimetres) in length; and
    - (c) is loaded with a cartridge purporting to contain shot none of which is less than .203 inches (5.16 millimetres) in diameter (that is to say, size AAA or any larger size)."]

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#### **Textual Amendments**

F24 Sch. 7 para. 4 repealed (E.W.) (25.10.1991) by Deer Act 1991 (c. 54, SIF 4:3), ss. 17(6), 18(3), Sch.4.

#### **Marginal Citations**

M4 1963 c. 36.

[F25X35(1)] After section 10 of that Act there shall be inserted the following section—

## " Exceptions for authorised persons.

- (1) Subject to subsection (3) of this section an authorised person shall not be guilty of an offence under section 1 of this Act by reason of—
  - (a) the taking of killing of any deer by means of shooting; or
  - (b) the injuring of any deer by means of shooting in an attempt to take or kill it,

on any cultivated land, pasture or enclosed woodland.

- (2) Subject to subsection (3) of this section an authorised person shall not be guilty of an offence under section 1 of this Act by reason of—
  - (a) the taking or killing of any deer by means of shooting; or
  - (b) the injuring of any deer by means of shooting in an attempt to take or kill it,

on any cultivated land, pasture or enclosed woodland.

- (2) Subject to subsection (3) of this section an authorised person shall not be guilty of an offence under section 3(1)(c)(i) of this Act by reason of the use, for the purpose of taking or killing any deer on any land, of any smooth-bore gun of not less guage than 12 bore which is loaded with—
  - (a) a cartridge containing a single non-spherical projectile weighing not less than 350 grains (22.68 grammes); or
  - (b) a cartridge purporting to contain shot each of which is .203 inches (5.16 millimetres) in diameter (that is to say, size AAA).
- (3) An authorised person shall not be entitled to rely on the defence provided by subsection (1) or (2) of this section as respects anything done in relation to any deer on any land unless he shows that—
  - (a) he had reasonable grounds for believing that caused, damage to crops, vegetables, fruit, growing timber or any other form of property on the land;
  - (b) it was likely that further damage would be so caused and any such damage was likely to be serious; and
  - (c) his action was necessary for the purpose of preventing any such damage.

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- (4) The Secretary of State and the agriculture Minister acting jointly may by order, either generally or in relation to any area or any species and description of deer specified in the order, repeal subsection (2) of this section or amend it by adding any firearm or ammunition or by altering the description of, or deleting, any firearm or ammunition mentioned in it, or by adding any further conditions which must be satisfied.
- (5) Before making an order under subsection (4) of this section, the Secretary of State and the agriculture Minister shall consult organisations that appear to them to represent persons likely to be interested in or affected by the order.
- (6) In this section—

"agriculture Minister" means the Minister of Agriculture Fisheries and Food in relation to England and the Secretary of State for Wales in relation to Wales:

"authorised person" means—

- (a) the occupier of the land on which the action is taken;
- (b) any member of the occupier's household normally resident on the occupier's land, acting with the written authority of the occupier;
- (c) any person in the ordinary service of the occupier on the occupier's land, acting with the written authority of the occupier; or
- (d) any person having the right to take or kill deer on the land on which the action is taken or any person acting with the written authority of a person having that right."
- (2) In sections 1(1) and 3(1) of that Act for the words "sections 10 and 11" there shall be substituted the words "sections 10, 10A and 11".
- (3) For subsection (1) of section 12 of that Act (orders) there shall be substituted the following subsections—
  - "(1) Any power to make orders under this Act shall be exercisable by statutory instrument.
  - (1A) A statutory instrument containing an order under section 1(2) or 3(4) of this Act shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.
  - (1B) No order under section 10A(4) of this Act shall be made unless a draft of the order has been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament."

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## **Textual Amendments**

**F25** Sch. 7 para. 5 repealed (E.W.) (25.10.1991) by Deer Act 1991 (c. 54, SIF 4:3), ss. 17(6), 18(3), Sch.4.

[F26X46(1) In paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 to that Act (prohibited firearms and ammunition) the words "of less guage than 12 bore" shall be omitted.

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(2) In paragraph 4 of that Schedule the words from "other than" onwards shall be omitted.]

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#### **Textual Amendments**

**F26** Sch. 7 para. 6 repealed (E.W.) (25.10.1991) by Deer Act 1991 (c. 54, SIF 4:3), ss. 17(6), 18(3), Sch.4.

## The Conservation of Seals Act 1970

- X57 (1) In subsection (1)(c) of section 10 of the M5Conservation of Seals Act 1970 (power to grant licences), the word "or" immediately following sub-paragraph (ii) shall be omitted and after sub-paragraph (iii) there shall be inserted the words "or"
  - (iv) the protection of flora or fauna in an area to which subsection (4) of this section applies,".
  - (2) In subsection (3)(b) of that section for the words from "a nature reserve" onwards there shall substituted the words "an area to which subsection (4) of this section applies".
  - (3) After subsection (3) of that section there shall be inserted the following subsection—
    - "(4) This subsection applies to any area which—
      - (a) is a nature reserve within the meaning of section 15 of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949;
      - (b) has been notified under section 28(1) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (areas of special scientific interest);
      - (c) is an area to which section 29(3) of that Act (special protection for certain areas of special scientific interest) applies; or
      - (d) has been designated as a marine nature reserve under section 36 of that Act."

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## **Marginal Citations**

**M5** 1970 c. 30.

	The Badgers Act 19/3
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Textu F27	al Amendments Sch. 7 para. 8 repealed (16.10.1992) by Protection of Badgers Act 1992 (c. 51), s. 15(2)(3),Sch.
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F28	Sch. 7 para. 9 repealed (16.10.1992) by Protection of Badgers Act 1992 (c. 51), s. 15(2)(3), Sch.
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	al Amendments
F29	Sch. 7 para. 10 repealed (16.10.1992) by Protection of Badgers Act 1992 (c. 51), s. 15(2)(3), Sch.
<sup>F30</sup> 11	
Textu	al Amendments
F30	Sch. 7 para. 11 repealed (16.10.1992) by Protection of Badgers Act 1992 (c. 51), s. 15(2)(3), Sch.
<sup>F31</sup> 12	
Toytu	al Amendments
F31	Sch. 7 para. 12 repealed (16.10.1992) by Protection of Badgers Act 1992 (c. 51), s. 15(2)(3), Sch

## SCHEDULE 8

Sections 13, 22 and 24.

# PLANTS WHICH ARE PROTECTED

Common name	Scientific name
[F32Adder's-tongue, Least]	[F32Ophioglossum lusitanicum]
Alison, Small	Alyssum alyssoides
Broomrape, Bedstraw	Orobanche caryophyllacea
Broomrape, Oxtongue	Orobanche loricata
Broomrape, Thistle	Orobanche reticulata
[F32Cabbage, Lundy]	[F32Rhynchosinapis wrightii]
Calamint, Wood	Calamintha sylvatica
Catchfly, Alpine	Lychnis alpina
Cinquefoil, Rock	Potentilla rupestris

Knotgrass, Sea

Lady's-slipper

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Club-rush, Triangular Scirpus triquetrus I<sup>F32</sup>Colt's-foot, Purple] [F32Homogyne alpina] Cotoneaster, Wild Cotoneaster integerrimus [F32Cottongrass, Slender] [F32Eriophorum gracile] Cow-wheat, Field Melampyrum arvense [F32Crocus, Sand] [F32Romulea columnae] Cudweed, Jersey Gnaphalium luteoalbum [F32Cudweed, Red-tipped] [F32Filago lutescens] Diapensia Diapensia lapponica Eryngo, Field Eryngium campestre Fern, Dickie's Bladder Cystopteris dickieana Fern, Killarney Trichomanes speciosum [F32Fleabane, Alpine] [F32 Erigeron borealis] [F32Fleabane, Small] [F32Pulicaria vulgaris] Galingale, Brown Cyperus fuscus Gentian, Alpine Gentiana nivalis [F32Gentian, Fringed] [F32Gentianella ciliata] Gentian, Spring Gentiana verna [F32Germander, Cut-leaved] [F32 Teucrium botrys] Germander, Water Teucrium scordium Gladiolus, Wild Gladiolus illyricus [F32Goosefoot, Stinking] [F32Chenopodium vulvaria] [F32Grass-poly] [F32Lythrum hyssopifolia] Hare's-ear, Sickle-leaved Bupleurum falcatum Hare's-ear, Small Bupleurum baldense [F32Hawk's-beard, Stinking] [F32Crepis foetida] Heath, Blue Phyllodoce caerulea Helleborine, Red Cephalanthera rubra [F32Helleborine, Young's] [F32 Epipactis youngiana] [F32Horsetail, Branched] [F32 Equisetum ramosissimum] [F32Cynoglossum germanicum] [F32Hound's-tongue, Green] Knawel, Perennial Scleranthus perennis

Polygonum maritimum

Cypripedium calceolus

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Leek, Round-headed Allium sphaerocephalon

Lettuce, Least

Lily, Snowdon

Lloydia serotina

Marsh-mallow, Rough

Althaea hirsuta

[F32]

[F32]

Apium repens]

[F32Milk-parsley, Cambridge] [F32Selinum carvifolia]

[F32]Naiad, Holly-leaved] [F32]Najas marina]
Orchid, Early Spider Ophryas sphegodes
Orchid, Fen Liparis loeselii

Orchid, Ghost Epipogium aphyllum
Orchid, Late Spider Ophrys fuciflora

Orchid, Lizard Himantoglossum hircinum

Orchid, Military
Orchis militaris
Orchid, Monkey
Orchis simia
Pear, Plymouth
Pyrus cordata

[F32Pennyroyal] [F32Mentha pulegium] [F32Pigmyweed] [F32Crassula aquatica]

Pink, Cheddar Dianthus gratianopolitanus

Pink, Childling

[F32]Ragwort, Fen]

[F32]Ramping-fumitory, Martin's]

[F32]Restharrow Small

[F32]Ononis reclinatal

[F32]Restharrow, Small][F32]Ononis reclinata][F32]Rock-cress, Alpine][F32]Arabis alpina][F32]Rock-cress, Bristol][F32]Arabis stricta]Sandwort, NorwegianArenaria norvegicaSandwort, TeesdaleMinuartia strictaSaxifrage, DroopingSaxifraga cernuaSaxifrage, TuftedSaxifraga cespitosa

Solomon's-seal, Whorled Polygonatum verticillatum

Sow-thistle, Alpine Cicerbita alpina

Spearwort, Adder's-tongue Ranunculus ophioglossifolius

[F32Speedwell, Fingered]	[F32Veronica triphyllos]
Speedwell, Spiked	Veronica spicata
F33	F33
[F32Star-of-Bethlehem, Early]	[F32Gagea bohemica]
Starfruit	Damasonium alisma
[F32Stonewort, Foxtail]	[F32Lamprothamnium papulosum]
[F32Strapwort]	[F32Corrigiola litoralis]
Violet, Fen	Viola persicifolia
[F32Viper's-grass]	[F32Scorzonera humilis]
Water-plantain, Ribbon leaved	Alisma gramineum
Wood-sedge, Starved	Carex depauperata
Woodsia, Alpine	Woodsia alpina
Woodsia, Oblong	Woodsia ilvensis
Wormwood, Field	Artemisia campestris
Woundwort, Downy	Stachys germanica
Woundwort, Limestone	Stachys alpina
Yellow-rattle, Greater	Rhinanthus serotinus
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Blackwort]	Southbya nigrella]
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Cladonia, Upright Mountain]	Cladonia stricta]
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Clary, Meadow]	Salvia pratensis]

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Crystalwort, Lizard]	Riccia bifurca]
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Cudweed, Broad-leaved]	Filago pryamidata]
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Dock, Shore]	Rumex rupestris]
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Moss, Glaucous Beard]	Barbula glauca]
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Moss, Green Shield]	Buxbaumia viridis]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Hair Silk]	Plagiothecium piliferum]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Knothole]	Zygodon forsteri]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss Large Yellow Feather]	Scorpidium turgescens]

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[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Millimetre]	Micromitrium tenerum]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Multifruited River]	Cryphaea lamyana]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Nowell's Limestone]	Zygodon gracilis]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Rigid Apple]	Bartramia stricta]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Round-leaved Feather]	Rhynocostegium rotundifolium]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Schleicher's Thread]	Bryum schleicheri]
[ F34	{ F34
Moss, Triangular Pygmy]	Acaulon triquetrum]
[ F34	[ F34
Moss, Vaucher's Feather]	Hypnum vaucheri]
[ F34	[ F34
Mudwort, Welsh]	Limosella australis]
[ F34	[ F34
Naiad, Slender]	Najas flexilis]
[ F34	[ F34
Orache, Stalked]	Halimione pedunculata]
[ F34	[ F34
Orchid, Lapland Marsh]	Dactylorhiza lapponica]
[ F34	[ F34
Pannaria, Caledonia]	Pannaria ignobilis]
[ F34	[ F34
Parmelia, New Forest]	Parmelia minarum]
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F34	F34
Parmentaria, Oil Stain]	Parmentaria chilensis]
[ F34	[ F34
Penny-cress, Perfoliate]	Thlaspi perfoliatum]
[ F34	[ F34
Pertusaria, Alpine Moss]	Pertusaria bryontha]
[ F34	[ F34
Physcia, Southern Grey]	Physcia tribacioides]
[ F34	[ F34
Pine, Ground]	Ajuga chamaepitys]
[ F34	[ F34
Plantain, Floating Water]	Luronium natans]
[ F34	[ F34
Pseudocyphellaria, Ragged]	Pseudocyphellaria lacerata]
[ F34	[ F34
Psora, Rusty Alpine]	Psora rubiformis]
[ F34	[ F34
Rampion, Spiked]	Phyteuma spicatum]
[ F34	[ F34
Rustworth, Western]	Marsupella profunda]
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Saxifrage, Marsh]	F34 Saxifrage hirulus
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Solenopsora, Serpentine]	Solenopsora liparina]
F34	[ F34
Stonewort, Bearded]	Chara canescens]
[ F34	[ F34
Turpswort]	Geocalyx graveolens]
[F35]Anomodon, Long-leaved]	[F35] Anomodon longifolius]
[F35Beech-lichen, New Forest]	[F35Enterographa elaborata]

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[F35Bluebell (in respect of section 13(2) only)]	[F35Hyacinthoides non-scripta]
[F35Bolete, Royal]	[F35Boletus regius]
[F35Cladonia, Convoluted]	[F35Cladonia convoluta]
[F35Cut-grass]	[F35Leersia oryzoides]
[F35Deptford Pink ( in respect of England and Wales only)]	[F35Dianthus armeria]
[F35Feather-moss, Polar]	[F35Hygrohypnum polare]
[F35Stack Fleawort, South]	[F35Tephroseris integrifolia (ssp maritima)]
[F35Fungus, Hedgehog]	[F35Hericium erinaceum]
[F35Goblin Lights]	[F35Catolechia wahlenbergii]
[F35Spike-rush, Dwarf]	[F35Eleocharis parvula]
[F35Moss, Flamingo]	[F35Desmatodon cernuus]
[F35Polypore, Oak]	[F35Buglossoporus pulvinus]
[F35Puffball, Sandy Stilt]	[F35Battarraea phalloides]
[F35Sulphur-tresses, Alpine]	[F35Alectoria ochroleuca]
[F35Threadmoss, Long-leaved]	[F35Bryum neodamense]

## **Textual Amendments**

- **F32** Entry in Sch. 8 added by S.I. 1988/288, art. 3
- **F33** Entries in Sch. 8 removed (29.10.1992) by S.I. 1992/2350, art. 3(2)
- **F34** Entries in Sch. 8 added (29.10.1992) by S.I. 1992/2350, art. **3(1)**
- **F35** Entries in Sch. 8 added (16.4.1998) by S.I. 1998/878, art. 3

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## SCHEDULE 9

Sections 14 and 22.

ANIMALS AND PLANTS TO WHICH SECTION 14 APPLIES

## PART I

ANIMALS WHICH ARE ESTABLISHED IN THE WILD

Common name

Scientific name

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Bass, Large-mouthed Black Micropterus salmoides Bass, Rock Ambloplites rupestris Bitterling Rhodeus sericeus

Budgerigar Melopsittacus undulatus

Capercaillie Tetrao urogallus Coypu Myocastor coypus [F36Crayfish, Noble] [F36 Astacus astacus]

IF36Pacifastacus leniusculus] [F36Crayfish, Signal] [F36Crayfish, Turkish] [F36 Astacus leptodactylus] [F37Deer, Muntjac] [F37Muntiacus reevesi]

[F36Deer, Sika] [F36 Cervus nippon]

[F38 Deer, any hybrid one of whose parents or [F38 Any hybrid of Cervus nippon] other lineal ancestor was a Sika Deerl

[F38] With respect to the Outer Hebrides and the isalnds of Aaran, Islay, Jura and Rum -(a)Deer, Cervus(allspecies)]

[F38 Cervus]

Cynomys

[F38 (b)Deer, any hybrid one of whose parents [F38 Any hybrid of the genus Cervus] or other lineal ancestor was a species of

Cervus Deerl

Dormouse, Fat Glis glis Duck, Carolina Wood Aix sponsa Aix galericulata Duck, Mandarin Duck, Ruddy Oxyura jamaicensis Eagle, White-tailed Haliaetus albicilla

[F36Flatworm, New Zealand] [F36 Artiposthia triangulata]

Frog, Edible Rana esculenta Frog, European Tree (otherwise known as Hyla arborea

Common tree frog)

Frog, Marsh Rana ridibunda

Gerbil, Mongolian Meriones unguiculatus Goose, Canada Branta canadensis

Goose, Egyptian Alopochen aegyptiacus Heron, Night Nycticorax nycticorax

Lizard, Common Wall Podarcis muralis

Marmot, Prairie (otherwise known as Prairie

dog)

Mink, American Mustela vison

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Newt, Alpine Triturus alpestris

[F36Newt, Italian Crested] [F36Triturus carnifex]

[F39Owl, Barn] [F39Tyto alba]

Parakeet, Ring-necked Psittacula krameri
Partridge, Chukar Alectoris chukar
Partridge, Rock Alectoris graeca
Pheasant, Golden Chrysolophus pictus

Pheasant, Lady Amherst's Chrysolophus amherstiae

Pheasant, Reeves' Syrmaticus reevesii
Pheasant, Silver Lophura nycthemera

Porcupine, Crested Hystrix cristata

Porcupine, Himalayan Hystrix hodgsonii

Pumpkinseed (otherwise known as Sun-fish Lepomis gibbosus

or Pond-perch)

Quail, Bobwhite Colinus virginianus

Rat, Black Rattus rattus

[F36] Snake, Aesculapian][F36] Elaphe longissima]Squirrel, GreySciurus carolinensisTerrapin, European PondEmys orbicularisToad, African ClawedXenopus laevisToad, MidwifeAlytes obstetricansToad, Yellow-belliedBombina variegataWallaby, Red-neckedMacropus rufogriseus

Wels (otherwise known as European catfish) Silurus glanis

Zander Stizostedion lucioperca

#### **Textual Amendments**

**F36** Entries in Sch. 9 Pt. I added (17.3.1992) by S.I. 1992/320, art. 2.

**F37** Entry in Sch. 9 Pt. I added (5.3.1997) by S.I. 1997/226, art. 2

**F38** Entries in Sch. 9 Pt. I added (28.4.1999) by S.I. 1999/1002, art. 2

**F39** Entry in Sch. 9 Pt. I added (25.11.1992) by S.I. 1992/2674, art. 2.

## PART II

#### **PLANTS**

[F40Waterweed, Curly

## Status: Point in time view as at 02/05/2006.

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[F40False-acacia Robinia pseudoacacia] [F40Fanwort Cabomba caroliniana] [F40Fern, Water Azolla filiculoides] [F40Fig, Hottentot Carpobrotus edulis] Hogweed, Giant Heracleum mantegazzianum Eichhornia crassipes] [F40Hyacinth, water [F41Kelp, Giant] [F41Macrocystis angustifolia] [F41Kelp, Giant] [F41Macrocystis integrifolia] [F41Kelp, Giant] [F41 Macrocystis laevis] Kelp, Giant Macrocystis pyrifera [F41Kelp, Japanese] [F41Laminaria japonica] Knotweed, Japanese Polygonum cuspidatum [F40Leek, Few-flowered Allium paradoxum] [F40]Lettuce, water Pistia stratiotes1 [F40Parrot's-feather Myriophyllum aquaticum] [F40Pennywort, Floating Hydrocotyle ranunculoides] [F40Salvinia, Giant Salvinia molesta] [F41Seafingers, Green] [F41Codium fragile tomentosoides] [F41Seaweed, Californian Red] [F41Pikea californica] [F41Seaweed, Hooked Asparagus] [F41Asparagopsis armata] Seaweed, Japanese Sargassum muticum [F41Seaweeds, Laver (except native species)] [F41Porphyra spp except -] [F41p. amethystea] [F41p. leucosticta] [F41p. linearis] [F41p. miniata] [F41p. purpurea] [F41p. umbilicalis] Gaultheria shallon] [F40Shallon [F40Stonecrop, Australian swamp Crassula helmsii] [F41Wakame] [F41 Undaria pinnatifida]

Lagarosiphon major

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F40 Sch. 9 Pt. II: entries in table added (S.) (30.6.2005) by The Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (Variation of Schedule) (Scotland) Order 2005 (S.S.I. 2005/308), art. 2
- **F41** Words in Sch. 9 Pt. II added (17.3.1992) by S.I. 1992/320, art. 3

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## X6SCHEDULE 10

Section 15

AMENDMENT OF THE ENDANGERED SPECIES (IMPORT AND EXPORT) ACT 1976

## **Editorial Information**

**X6** The text of Sch. 7 paras. 3-12 and Sch. 10 is in the form in which it was originally enacted: it was not reproduced in Statutes in Force and does not reflect any amendments or repeals which may have been made prior to 1.2.1991.

## PART I

#### THE AMENDMENTS

#### Licences

- (1) After subsection (3) of section 1 of the 1976 Act (restriction on importation and exportation of certain animals and plants) there shall be inserted the following subsections—
  - "(3A) Subsection (3) above shall not apply in relation to an application of any description if the scientific authority concerned has advised the Secretary of State as to whether licences should be issued in pursuance of applications of that description and, if so, their terms.
  - (3B) Where the Secretary of State is satisfied that the issue of a licence authorising the importation or exportation of any item which—
    - (a) is part of or derives from or is made wholly or partly from an animal of any of the kinds to which Schedule 1 or a plant of any of the kinds to which Schedule 2 to this Act for the time being applies; but
    - (b) is not an item to which Schedule 3 to this Act for the time being applies.

would facilitate the importation or exportation of that item, he may, if he considers it expedient to do so, issue such a licence."

(2) In subsections (4), (5), (6) and (7) of that section after the words "subsection (2)" there shall be inserted the words "or (3B)".

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- (3) In subsection (4) of that section after paragraph (a) there shall be inserted the following paragraphs—
  - "(aa) may be issued either to all persons, to persons of a class or to a particular person;
  - (ab) may be subject to compliance with any specified conditions,"; and in paragraph (c) of that subsection for the words from "a period" to "shorter" there shall be substituted the word "such".

Expenses of returning animals and plants to the wild

- After subsection (8) of section 1 of the 1976 Act there shall be inserted the following subsection—
  - "(9) Where, in the case of a live animal or a plant of any kind which is condemned or deemed to be condemned as forfeited, the Commissioners of Customs and Excise incur any expenses in connection with, or with a view to—
    - (a) its return to the wild; or
    - (b) its being kept at premises (whether within or outside the United Kingdom) which are suitable for the keeping of animals or plants of that kind,

those expenses may be recovered, as a debt due to the Crown, from the importer or intending exporter of the animal or plant or any person possessing or having control of it at the time of its seizure.

In this subsection expressions which are also used in the Customs and Excise Management Act 1979 have the same meanings as in that Act."

## Powers of entry

- After the subsection inserted by paragraph 2 as subsection (9) of section 1 of the 1976 Act there shall be inserted the following subsections—
  - "(10) Any person duly authorised in writing by the Secretary of State may, at any reasonable time and (if required to do so) upon producing evidence that he is so authorised, enter any premises where animals of any of the kinds to which Schedule 1 or plants of any of the kinds to which Schedule 2 to this Act for the time being applies are kept (whether temporarily or permanently) in order to ascertain whether any of the animals or plants kept there have been imported contrary to this section.
    - (11) Any person who wilfully obstructs a person acting under subsection (10) above shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £200."

## Power to modify Schedules

- 4 (1) In paragraph (c) of section 3 of the 1976 Act (power to modify Schedules) after the word "conservation" there shall be inserted the word "in any area" and after the word "endangered" there shall be inserted the word "there".
  - (2) After paragraph (d) of that section there shall be inserted the following paragraph—

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"(dd) to restrict the importation of animals or plants of any kind which appear to the Secretary of State to be unlikely to survive for any appreciable time if they are kept in the United Kingdom;".

# Sale of certain animals or plants or their derivatives

- (1) In subsection (1) of section 4 of the 1976 Act (offences to sell etc. things imported contrary to section 1 or their derivatives) for the words "Subject to subsection (2)" there shall be substituted the words "Subject to subsections (1B) and (2)", after the words "has in his possession" there shall be inserted the words "or transports" and the words "and in the following provisions" onwards shall be omitted.
  - (2) After that subsection there shall be inserted the following subsections—
    - "(1A) Subject to subsections (1B) and (2) below, a person who sells, offers or exposes for sale, or has in his possession or transports for the purpose of sale—
      - (a) a live or dead animal of any of the kinds to which Schedule 4 to this Act for the time being applies or an egg or other immature stage of such an animal;
      - (b) a live or dead plant of any of the kinds to which Schedule 5 to this Act for the time being applies; or
      - (c) any part of or anything which derives from or is made wholly or partly from anything referred to in paragraph (a) or (b) above,

shall be guilty of an offence; but nothing in this subsection shall apply in relation to anything falling within subsection (1) above or anything which has been imported, or is a part of or derives from or is made wholly or partly from anything which has been imported, before the passing of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

- (1B) Subsections (1) and (1A) above do not apply to anything done under and in accordance with the terms of a licence issued by the Secretary of State; and subsections (4) to (7) of section 1 above shall apply in relation to a licence issued under this subsection as they apply in relation to a licence issued under subsection (2) of that section.
- (1C) In the following provisions of this section "restricted article" means anything falling within subsection (1) or (1A) above."
- (3) In subsection (2) of that section after the words "subsection (1)" there shall be inserted the words "or (1A)".
- (4) In subsection (5) of that section after the words "subsection (1)" there shall be inserted the words ", (1A)".
- (5) In subsection (6) of that section after the words "references to" there shall be inserted the word "hire".
- (6) After Schedule 3 to the 1976 Act there shall be inserted as Schedule 4 the Schedule set out in Part II of this Schedule.
- (7) After the Schedule inserted in the 1976 Act by sub-paragraph (6) there shall be inserted as Schedule 5 the Schedule set out in Part III of this Schedule.

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### PART II

# SCHEDULE INSERTED AS SCHEDULE 4

# **SCHEDULE 4**

# ANIMALS THE SALE ETC. OF WHICH IS RESTRICTED

This Schedule applies to the following kinds of animals, namely—

# **MAMMALS**

1 The kinds of mammal specified in the first column below—

# Marsupials

Kind	Common name
Bettongia	Rat kangaroo
Caloprymnus campestris	Desert rat-kangaroo
Lagorchestes hirsutus	Western hare-wallaby
Lagostrophus fasciatus	Banded hare-wallaby
Onychogalea fraenata	Bridle nail-tailed wallaby
Onychogalea lunata	Crescent nail-tailed wallaby
Lasiorhinus krefftii	Queensland hairy-nosed wombat
Chaeropus ecaudatus	Pig-footed bandicoot
Macrotis lagotis	Rabbit-bandicoot
Macrotis leucara	Lesser rabbit-bandicoot
Perameles bougainville	Western barred bandicoot
Sminthopsis longicaudata	Long-tailed dunnart
Sminthopsis psammophila	Sandhill dunnart
Thylacinus cynocephalus	Tasmanian wolf

# Primates

Allocebus	Hairy-eared dwarf lemur
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Cheirogaleus Dwarf lemurs Hapalemur Gentle lemurs

Lemur Lemurs

Lepilemur Sportive and weasel lemurs

Microcebus Mouse lemurs

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Phaner Fork-marked mouse lemurs

Avahi Avahis (otherwise known as Woolly indris)

Indri Indris **Propithecus** Sifakas Daubentonia madagascariensis Aye-aye

Goeldi's marmoset (otherwise known as Callimico goeldii

Goeldi's tamarin)

Callithrix aurita White eared marmoset **Buff-headed** marmoset Callithrix flaviceps

Leontopithecus Maned tamarin (otherwise known as Golden

tamarin)

Pied tamarin Saguinus bicolor

Geoffroy's tamarin Saguinus geoffroyi Saguinus leucopus White-footed tamarin Cotton-headed tamarin Saguinus oedipus

Alouatta palliata (otherwise known as

Alouatta villosa)

Mantled howler

Ateles geoffroyi frontatus Black-browed spider monkey

Ateles geoffroyi panamensis Red spider monkey Brachyteles arachnoides Woolly spider monkey

Cacajao **Uakaris** 

White-nosed saki Chiropotes albinasus

Saimiri oerstedii Red-backed squirrel monkey

Cercocebus galeritus galeritus Tana River mangabey

Cercopithecus diana Diana monkey

Colobus badius kirkii Kirk's red colobus (otherwise known as

Zanzibar red colobus)

Colobus badius rufomitratus Tana River red colobus Macaca silenus Lion-tailed macaque Nasalis larvatus Proboscis monkey

Papio leucophaeus (otherwise known as

Mandrillus leucophaeus)

Drill

Papio sphinx (otherwise known as

Mandrillus sphinx)

Mandrill

Presbytis entellus Langur (otherwise known as Entellus langur

or True langur)

Presbytis geei Golden langur

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Presbytis pileatus	Caped langur
Presbytis potenziani	Mentawi leaf monkey

Douc langur Pygathrix nemaeus

Rhinopithecus roxellanae Snub-nosed langur

Simias concolor Mentawi snub-nosed langur

Hybolates Gibbons Symphalangus syndactylus Siamang Pongidae Great apes

### Edentates

Pridontes giganteus (otherwise known as

Priodontes maximus)

Giant armadillo

# **Pangolins**

Manis temmincki South African pangolin

# Rabbits and hares

Caprolagus hispidus Assam rabbit (otherwise known as Hispid

hare)

Romerolagus diazi Volcano rabbit

# Rodents

Cynomys mexicanus Mexican prairie marmot Australian sticknest rat Leporillus conditor

Pseudomys fumeus Smoky mouse Pseudomys praeconis Shark Bay mouse False water rat Xeromys myoides

Central thick-tailed rat Zyzomys pendunculatus

Chinchilla (except any domestic form of

Chinchilla laniger)

Chinchilla

# Cetaceans

Lipotes vexillifer

Chinese river dolphin

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Physter catodon (otherwise known as Sperm whale

Physeter macrocephalus)

Platanista gangetica Ganges dolphin
Platanista minor Indus river dolpin

Sotalia Humpbacked dolphins
Sousa Humpacked dolphins

Neophocaena phocaenoides Finless porpoise

Phocoena sinus Cochito

Balaena mysticetus Greenland right whale (otherwise known as

Bowhead whale)

Balaenoptera borealis Sei whale
Balaenoptera musculus Blue whale

Balaenoptera physalus Common rorqual
Eschrichtius Grey whales
Eubalaena Right whales

Megaptera novaeangliae Humpback whale

# Carnivores

Spethos venaticus Bush dog

Vulpes velox hebes Northern kit fox

Helarctos malayanus Sun bear

Selenarctos thibetanus Asiatic black bear
Tremarctos ornatus Spectacled bear
Ursus arctos isabellinus Brown bear

Ursus arctos nelsoni Mexican brown bear
Ursus arctos pruinosus Tibetan brown bear

Aonyx microdon Cameroon clawless otter

Enhydra lutris nereis Southern sea otter

Lutra felina Marine otter

Lutra longicaudis South American otter

Lutra lutra Eurasian otter

Lutra provocax Southern river otter
Mustela nigripes Black-footed ferret

Pteronura brasiliensis Giant otter

Prionodon pardicolor Spotted linsang

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Hyaena brunnea Brown hyaena

Acinonyx jubatus Cheetah

Felis bengalensis bengalensis Leopard cat Felis concolor coryi Florida puma

Felis concolor costaricensis Costa Rica puma

Felis concolor cougar Eastern puma

Felis jacobita Andean cat

Felis rufa escuinapae Mexican bobcat

Felis marmorata Marbled cat

Felis nigripes Black-footed cat

Felis pardalis mearnsi Costa Rica ocelot

Felis pardalis mitis Brazilian ocelot

Felis planiceps Flat-headed cat

Felis rubiginosa Rusty spotted cat

Felis temmincki Asiatic golden cat

Felis tigrina oncilla Little spotted cat

Felis wiedii nicaraguae Nicaraguan margay

Felis wiedii salvinia Guatemalan margay

Felis yagouaroundi cacomitli Jaguarundi

Felis yagouaroundi fossata Jaguarundi

Felis yagouaroundi panamensis Jaguarundi

Felis yagouaroundi tolteca Jaguarundi

Neofelis nebulosa Clouded leopard

Panthera leo persica Asiatic lion

Panthera onca Jaguar

Panthera pardus Leopard

Panthera tigris Tiger

Panthera uncia Snow leopard

Seals

Arcocephalus townsendi Guadelupe fur seal

Monachus Monk seals

Elephants

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# Elephas maximus Asian elephant

### Sea-cows

Dugong dugon Dugong (otherwise known as Sea-cow)

Trichechus inunguis Amazonian manatee
Trichechus manatus West Indian manatee

# Odd-toed ungulates

Equus grevyi Grevy's zebra

Equus hemionus Mongolian wild ass
Equus hemionus khur Indian wild ass
Equus przewalskii Przewalski's horse
Equus zebra zebra Cape mountain zebra
Tapirus bairdii Central American tapir

Tapirus indicus Malayan tapir (otherwise known as Indian

tapir)

Tapirus pinchaque Mountain tapir (otherwise known as Woolly

tapir)

Rhinocerotidae Rhinoceroses

# Even-toed ungulates

Babyrousa babyrussa
Sus salvanius
Pygmy hog
Vicugna vicugna
Calamian deer
Axis kuhli
Bawean deer
Axis porcinus annamiticus
Thai hog deer
Blastocerus dichotomus
Marsh deer
Cervus duvauceli
Swamp deer

Cervus elaphus hanglu Kashmir stag (otherwise known as Hanglu)

Cervus eldi Brow-antlered deer
Dama mesopotamica Persian fallow deer
Hippocamelus antisiensis Peruvian huemal
Hippocamelus bisulcus Chilean huemal

Moschus moschiferus moschiferus Himalayan musk deer

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Ozotoceros bezoarticus Pampas deer Pudu pudu Chilean pudu

Antilocapra americana peninsularis Lower California pronghorn

Antilocapra americana sonoriensis Sonoran pronghorn

Bison bison athabascae Wood bison

Bos gaurus Gaur Bos mutus Wild yak

Bubulas depressicornis Lowland anoa

Bubalus mindorensis Tamaraw

Bubalus quarlesi Mountain anoa

Capra falconeri chiltanensis Markhor
Capra falconeri jerdoni Markhor
Capra falconeri megaceros Markhor
Capricornis sumatraensis Serow

Hippotragus niger variani Giant sable antelope

Nemorhaedua goral Goral Novibos sauveli Koupray

Oryx leucoryx Arabian oryx

Ovis ammon hodgsoni Great Tibetan sheep
Ovis orientalis ophion Cyprian mouflon

Ovis vignei Urial

Pantholops hodgsoni Tibetan antelope Rupicapra rupicapra ornata Abrussi chamois

### **BIRDS**

2 The kinds of bird specified in the first column below—

Rheas

Pterocnemia pennata Lesser rhea

**Tinamous** 

Tinamus solitarius Solitary tinamou

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	Penguins	
Spheniscus humboldti	Humboldt penguin	
	Grebes	
Podilymbus gigas	Atitlan grebe	
	Albatrosses	
Diomedea albatrus	Short-tailed albatross	
Pelican-like birds		
Sula abbotti	Abbot's booby	
Fregata andrewsi	Christmas Island frigatebird	
Storks		
Ciconia ciconia boyciana	Japanese white stork	
Geronticus eremita	Bald ibis	
Nipponia nippon	Japanese crested ibis	
Waterfowl		
Anas aucklandica nesiotis	Campbell Island Flightless teal	
Anas laysanensis	Laysan duck	
Anas oustaleti	Marianas Island duck (otherwise known as Marianas Mallard)	
Branta canadensis leucopareia	Aleutian Canada goose	
Branta sandvicensis	Hawaiian goose (otherwise known as Nene)	
Cairina scutulata	White winged wood duck	
Rhodonessa caryophyllacea	Pink-headed duck	
Diurnal Birds of Prey		

Cathartidae New world vultures

Pandion haliaetus Osprey

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Accipitridae True hawks
Sagittarius serpentarius Secretary bird

Falconidae Falcons

### Gamebirds

Aburria jacutinga Black-fronted curassow (otherwise known as

Black-fronted guan)

Aburria pipile White-headed curassow (otherwise known as

Piping guan)

Catreus wallichii Cheer pheasant
Colinus virginianus ridgwayi Masked bobwhite
Crax blumenbachii Red-billed curassow
Crax mitu Razor-billed curassow
Crossoptilon crossoptilon White Eared-pheasant
Crossoptilon mantchuricum Brown Eared-pheasant

Lophophorus impejanus Himalayan monal
Lophophorus lhuysii Chinese monal
Lophophorus sclateri Sclater's monal
Lophura edwardsi Edward's pheasant
Lophura imperialis Imperial pheasant
Lophura swinhoei Swinhoe's pheasant

Macrocephalon maleo Maleo Fowl
Oreophasis derbianus Horned guan

Penelope albipennis White-winged guan

Polyplectron emphanum Palawan peacock pheasant

Syrmaticus ellioti Elliot's pheasant

Syrmaticus humiae Hume's pheasant (otherwise known as Bar-

tailed pheasant)

Syrmaticus mikado Mikado pheasant
Tetraogallus caspius Caspian snowcock
Tetraogallus tibetanus Tibetan snowcock
Tragopan blythii Blyth's tragopan
Tragopan caboti Cabot's tragopan
Tragopan melanocephalus Western tragopan

Tympanuchus cupido attwateri Attwater's prairie chicken

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# Cranes and rails

Cranes and raits	
Grus americana	Whooping crane
Grus canadensis nesiotes	Cuban sandhill crane
Grus canadensis pulla	Mississippi sandhill crane
Grus japonensis	Manchurian crane (otherwise known as Japanese crane)
Grus leucogeranus	Siberian White crane
Grus monacha	Hooded crane
Grus nigricollis	Black-necked crane
Grus vipio	White-necked crane (otherwise known as White-naped crane)
Tricholimnas sylvestris	Lord Howe wood-rail
Rhynochetos jubatus	Kagu
Chlamydotis undulata	Houbara bustard
Choriotis nigriceps (otherwise known as Ardeotis nigriceps)	Great Indian bustard
Eupodotis bengalensis	Bengal florican
Waders and Gulls	

Numenius borealis	Eskimo curlew
Tringa guttifer	Spotted greenshank (otherwise known as Nordmann's greenshank)
Larus relictus	Relict gull

# Pigeons and doves

Caloenas nicobarica	Nicobar pigeon	
Ducula mindorensis	Mindoro imperial pigeon	
	Parrots	

Amazona arausiaca	Red-necked parrot (otherwise known as Red-necked amazon)
Amazona barbadensis	Yellow-shouldered parrot (otherwise known as Yellow-shouldered amazon)
Amazona brasiliensis	Red-tailed parrot (otherwise known as Red-tailed amazon)

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Amazona guildingii St. Vincent parrot (otherwise known as St.

Vincent amazon)

Amazona imperialis Imperial parrot (otherwise known as Imperial

amazon)

Amazona leucocephala Cuban parrot (otherwise known as Cuban

amazon)

Amazona pretrei Red-spectacled parrot (otherwise known as

Red-spectacled amazon)

Amazona rhodocorytha(otherwise known as

Amazona dufresniana rhodocorytha)

Red-crowned parrot (otherwise known as

Red-crowned amazon)

Amazona versicolor St Lucia parrot (otherwise known as St Lucia

amazon)

Amazona vinacea Vinaceous parrot (otherwise known as

Vinaceous amazon)

Amazona vittata Puerto Rico parrot (otherwise known as

Puerto Rican amazon)

Anodorhynchus glaucus Glaucous macaw Anodorhynchus leari Lear's macaw

Aratinga guaruba Golden parakeet (otherwise known as Golden

conure)

Cyanopsitta spixii Spix's macaw
Cyanoramphus auriceps forbesi Forbes' parakeet

Cyanoramphus novaezelandiae Red-fronted parakeet

Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni (otherwise known as Opopsitta diophthalma coxeni)

Coxen's fig parrot

Geopsittacus occidentalis Australian night parrot

Neophema chrysogaster Orange-bellied parakeet (otherwise known as

Orange-bellied parrot)

Pezoporus wallicus Ground parrot

Pionopsitta pileata Red-capped parrot (otherwise known as

Pileated parrot)

Psephotus chrysopterygius Golden-shouldered parakeet (otherwise

known as Golden-shouldered parrot or

Hooded parakeet)

Psephotus pulcherrimus Paradise parrot

Psittacula echo (otherwise known as Mauritius parakeet (otherwise known as

Psittacula krameri echo) Mauritius ring-necked parakeet)

Psittacus erithacus princeps Fernando Po grey parrot

Pyrrhura cruentata Blue-throated conure

Rhynchopsitta pachyrhyncha Thick-billed parrot

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Rhynchopsitta terrisi	Maroon-fronted parrot	
Strigops habroptilus	Kakapo (otherwise known as Owl parrot)	
Hummingbirds		
Ramphodon dohrnii	Hook-billed hermit	
Tr	ogons	
Pharomachrus mocinno costaricensis	Costa Rican quetzal (otherwise known as Resplendent quetzal)	
Pharomachrus mocinno mocinno	Magnificent quetzal (otherwise known as Resplendent quetzal)	
Owls		
Tytonidae	Barn owls	
Strigidae	Typical owls	
Но	rnbills	
Buceros bicornis (otherwise known as Buceros homrai	Great pied hornbill	
Rhinoplax vigil	Helmeted hornbill	
Woodpeckers		
Campephilus imperialis	Imperial woodpecker	
Dryocopus javensis richardsi	Tristram's woodpecker (otherwise known as White-bellied black woodpecker)	
Songbirds		
Cotinga maculata	Banded cotinga	
Xipholena atropurpurea	White-winged cotinga	
Pitta kochi	Koch's pitta	
Atrichornis clamosa	Noisy scrub-bird	
Leucopsar rothschildi	Rothschild's mynah	

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Dasyornis brachypterus longirostris Western bristlebird

Dasyornis broadbenti littoralis Western rufous bristlebird

Picathartes gymnocephalus White-necked rockfowl (otherwise known

as Yellow-headed rockfowl or Guinea bear-

headed rockfowl)

Picathartes oreas Grev-necked rockfowl (otherwise known

as Cameroon bare-headed rockfowl or Red-

headed rockfowl)

Zosterops albogularis White-breasted silver-eye

Meliphaga cassidix Helmeted honeyeater

Spinus cucullatus (otherwise known as

Carduelis cucullatus)

Red siskin

### **REPTILES**

# The kinds of reptile specified in the first column below—

### Crocodilians

Alligator sinensis Chinese alligator

Caiman crocodilus apaporiensis Rio Apaporis caiman (otherwise known as

Spectacled caiman)

Caiman latirostris Broad-nosed caiman

Melanosuchus niger Black caiman

Crocodylus acutus American crocodile

Crocodylus cataphractus African slender-snouted crocodile (otherwise

known as African sharp-nosed crocodile)

Crocodylus intermedius Orinoco crocodile
Crocodylus moreletii Morelet's crocodile

Crocodylus niloticus Nile crocodile

Crocodylus novaeguineae mindorensis Philippine crocodile

Crocodylus palustris Mugger (otherwise known as Marsh

crocodile or Broad-snouted crocodile)

Crocodylus porosus Estuarine crocodile (otherwise known as

Salt-water crocodile)

Crocodylus rhombifer Cuban crocodile
Crocodylus siamensis Siamese crocodile

Osteolaemus tetraspis West African dwarf crocodile

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Tomistoma schlegelii	False gharial (otherwise known as False gavial)	
Gavialis gangeticus	Indian gharial (otherwise known as Indian gavial)	
	Iguanas	
Brachylophus	Fijian iguanas	
Cyclura	Caribbean rock iguanas	
Sauromalus varius	San Esteban Island chuck-walla	
Lizards		
Varanus bengalensis	Bengal monitor (otherwise known as Indian monitor or Common monitor)	
Varanus flavescens	Yellow monitor	
Varanus griseus	Desert monitor (otherwise known as Agra monitor or Grey monitor)	
Varanus komodoensis	Komodo dragon	
	Snakes	
Acrantophis	Madagascar boas	
Bolyeria	Round island boas	
Casarea	Round island boas	
Epicrates inornatus	Yellow tree boa	
Epicrates subflavus	Jamaican boa	
Python molurus molurus	Indian python (otherwise known as Indian rock python)	
Sanzinia madagascariensis	Madagascar boa	
Tuatara		
Sphenodon punctatus	Tuatara	
Chelonians		
Batagur baska	River terrapin (otherwise known as Tuntong)	

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Geoclemys hamiltonii (otherwise known as

Damonia hamiltonii)

Black pond turtle (otherwise known as

Spotted pond turtle)

Melanochelys tricarinata (otherwise known as Geoemyda tricarinata or Nicoria

tricarinata)

Three-keeled turtle (otherwise known as

Three-keeled land tortoise)

Kachuga tecta tecta

Indian tent turtle (otherwise known as Indian sawback turtle or Roofed turtle or Dura

turtle)

Morenia ocellata

Terrapene coahuila

Burmese swamp turtle

Aquatic box turtle (otherwise known as

Water box turtle)

Geochelone elephantopus (otherwise known

as Testudo elephantopus)

Galapagos giant tortoise

Geochelone radiata (otherwise known as

Testudo radiata)

Radiated tortoise (otherwise known as Rayed

tortoise)

Geochelone yniphora (otherwise known as

Testudo yniphora)

Madagascar tortoise (otherwise known as

Rayed tortoise or Angonoka)

Mexican gopher tortoise

Gopherus flavomarginatus (otherwise known

as Crophemus polyphemus flavomarginatus)

Psammobates geometricus (otherwise known Geometric tortoise

as Testudo geometricus)

Cheloniidae Sea turtles

Dermochelys coriacea Leatherback turtle (otherwise known as

Leathery turtle or Luth)

Indian flap-shelled turtle Lissemys punctata punctata

Cuatro Cienegas soft-shell turtle (otherwise Trionyx ater

known as Black soft-shelled turtle)

Trionyx gangeticus Ganges soft-shelled turtle (otherwise known

as Indian soft-shelled turtle)

Peacock-marked soft-shelled turtle Trionyx hurum Dark-coloured soft-shelled turtle Trionyx nigricans

Pseudemydura umbrina Short-necked turtle (otherwise known as

Western swamp turtle)

# **AMPHIBIANS**

The kinds of amphibian specified in the first column below—

Andrias davidianus (otherwise known as Megalo batrachus davidianus)

Chinese giant salamander

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Megalobatrachus japonicus)

Atelopus varius zeteki Golden frog (otherwise known as Zetek's

frog)

Bufo periglenes Golden toad (otherwise known as Orange

toad)

Bufo superciliaris Cameroon toad
Nectophrynoides Viviparous toads

### **FISH**

# 5 The kinds of fish specified in the first column below—

Kind	Common name
Acipenser brevirostrum	Shortnose sturgeon
Scleropages formosus	Asiatic bonytongue
Coregonus alpenae	Longjaw cisco
Chasmistes cujus	Cui-ui
Probarbus jullieni	lkan temolek
Pangasianodon gigas	Giant catfish
Stizostedion vitreum glaucum	Blue walleye
Cynoscion macdonaldi	Drum fish

# **MOLLUSCS**

6 The kinds of mollusc specified below—

Conradilla caelata

Dromus dromas

Epioblasma florentina curtisi (otherwise known as Dysnomia florentina curtisi)

Epioblasma florentina florentina (otherwise known as Dysnomia florentina florentina)

Epioblasma sampsoni (otherwise known as Dysnomia sampsoni)

Epioblasma sulcata perobliqua (otherwise known as Dysnomia sulcata perobliqua)

Epioblasma torulosa gubernaculum (Otherwise known as Dysnomia torulosa gubernaculum)

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Epioblasma torulosa (otherwise known as Dysnomia torulosa torulosa)

Epioblasma turgidula (otherwise known as Dysnomia turgidula)

Epioblasma walkeri (otherwise known as Dysnomia walkeri)

Fusconaia cuneolus

Fusconaia edgariana

Lampsilis higginsi

Lampsilis orbiculata orbiculata

Lampsilis satura

Lampsilis verescens

Plethobasus cicatricosus

Plethobasus cooperianus

Pleurobema plenum

Potamilus capax (otherwise known as Proptera capax)

Quadrula intermedia

Quadrula sparsa

Toxolasma cylindrella (otherwise known as Carunculina cylindrella)

Unio nickliniana (otherwise known as Megalonaias nickliniana)

Unio tampicoensis tecomatensis (otherwise known as Lampsilis tampicoensis tecomatensis)

Villosa trabalis (otherwise known as Micromya trabalis)

NOTE. The second column of this Schedule gives a common name or names, where available, and is included by way of guidance only; in the event of any dispute or proceedings, only the first column is to be taken into account.

### PART III

SCHEDULE INSERTED AS SCHEDULE 5

### **SCHEDULE 5**

PLANTS THE SALE ETC. OF WHICH IS RESTRICTED

This Schedule applies to the kinds of plant specified in the second column below—

Orchidaceae

# Status: Point in time view as at 02/05/2006.

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Family	Kind
Apocynaceae	Pachypodium namaquanum
Araceae	Alocasia sanderana
Cactaceae	Ariocarpus agavoides
	Ariocarpus scapharostrus
	Aztekium ritteri
	Echinocereus lindsayi
	Obregonia denegrii
	Pelecyphora aselliformis
	Pelecyphora strobiliformis
Caryocaraceae	Caryocar costaricense
Caryophyllaceae	Gymnocarpus przewalskii
	Melandrium mongolicus
	Silene mongolica
	Stellaria pulvinata
Cupressaceae	Fitzroya cupressoides
	Pilgerodendron uviferum
Cycadaceae	Mirocycas calocoma
Gentianaceae	Prepusa hookeriana
Humiriaceae	Vantanea barbourii
Juglandaceae	Engelhardtia pterocarpa
Leguminosae	Ammopiptanthus mongolicum
	Cynometra hemitomophylla
	Platymiscium pleiostachyum
	Tachigalia versicolor
Liliaceae	Aloe albida
	Aloe pillansii
	Aloe polyphylla
	Aloe thorncropftii
	Aloe vossii
Melastomataceae	Lavoisiera itambana
Meliaceae	Guarea longipetiola
Moraceae	Batocarpus costaricensis
Nepenthaceae	Nepenthes rajah

Cattleya skinneri

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Cattleya trianae

Didiciea cunninghamii

Laelia jongheana

Laelia lobata

Lycaste virginalis var alba

Peristeria elata

Renanthera imschootiana

Vanda coerulea

Pinaceae Abies guatemalensis

Abies nebrodensis

Podocarpaceae Podocarpus costalis

Podocarpus parlatorei

Proteaceae Orothamnus zeyheri

Protea odorata

Rubiaceae Balmea stormae

Sarracenia ceae Sarracenia alabamensis alabamensis

Sarracenia jonesii

Sarracenia oreophila

Saxifragaceae (otherwise known as

Grossulariaceae)

Ribes sardoum

Stangeriaceae Stangeria eriopus
Ulmaceae Celtis aetnensis

Welwitschiaceae Welwitschia bainesii

Zamiaceae Encephalartos

Zingiberaceae Hedychium philippinense

# [F42SCHEDULE 10A

# DELEGATION OF APPELLATE FUNCTIONS

# **Textual Amendments**

**F42** Sch. 10A inserted (30.1.2001) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 75(1), 103(2), Sch. 9 para. 7

# Interpretation

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"appointed person" means a person appointed under section 28F(8) or 28L(10); and

"appointment", in the case of any appointed person, means appointment under either of those provisions.

# Appointments

- 2 An appointment under section 28F(8) or 28L(10) must be in writing and—
  - (a) may relate to any particular appeal or matter specified in the appointment or to appeals or matters of a description so specified;
  - (b) may provide for any function to which it relates to be exercisable by the appointed person either unconditionally or subject to the fulfilment of such conditions as may be specified in the appointment; and
  - (c) may, by notice in writing given to the appointed person, be revoked at any time by the Secretary of State in respect of any appeal or matter which has not been determined by the appointed person before that time.

# Powers of appointed person

- Subject to the provisions of this Schedule, an appointed person shall, in relation to any appeal or matter to which his appointment relates, have the same powers and duties as the Secretary of State, other than—
  - (a) any function of making regulations;
  - (b) any function of holding an inquiry or other hearing or of causing an inquiry or other hearing to be held; or
  - (c) any function of appointing a person for the purpose—
    - (i) of enabling persons to appear before and be heard by the person so appointed, or
    - (ii) of referring any question or matter to that person.

# Holding of local inquiries and other hearings by appointed persons

- 4 (1) If either of the parties to an appeal or matter expresses a wish to appear before and be heard by the appointed person, the appointed person shall give both of them an opportunity of appearing and being heard.
  - (2) Whether or not a party to an appeal or matter has asked for an opportunity to appear and be heard, the appointed person—
    - (a) may hold a local inquiry or other hearing in connection with the appeal or matter, and
    - (b) shall, if the Secretary of State so directs, hold a local inquiry in connection with the appeal or matter.
  - (3) Where an appointed person holds a local inquiry or other hearing by virtue of this Schedule, an assessor may be appointed by the Secretary of State to sit with the appointed person at the inquiry or hearing and advise him on any matters arising, notwithstanding that the appointed person is to determine the appeal or matter.
  - (4) Subject to section 28F(10) or 28L(12), the costs of a local inquiry held under this Schedule shall be defrayed by the Secretary of State.

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# Revocation of appointments and making of new appointments

- 5 (1) Where under paragraph 2(c) the appointment of the appointed person is revoked in respect of any appeal or matter, the Secretary of State shall, unless he proposes to determine the appeal or matter himself, appoint another person under section 28F(8) or 28L(10) to determine the appeal or matter instead.
  - (2) Where such a new appointment is made, the consideration of the appeal or matter, or any hearing in connection with it, shall be begun afresh.
  - (3) Nothing in sub-paragraph (2) shall require any person to be given an opportunity of making fresh representations or modifying or withdrawing any representations already made.

# Certain acts and omissions of appointed persons to be treated as those of the Secretary of State

- 6 (1) Anything done or omitted to be done by an appointed person in, or in connection with, the exercise or purported exercise of any function to which the appointment relates shall be treated for all purposes as done or omitted to be done by the Secretary of State.
  - (2) Sub-paragraph (1) shall not apply—
    - (a) for the purposes of so much of any contract made between the Secretary of State and the appointed person as relates to the exercise of the function; or
    - (b) for the purposes of any criminal proceedings brought in respect of anything done or omitted to be done as mentioned in that sub-paragraph.]

### SCHEDULE 11

Sections 29 and 34.

# PROCEDURE IN CONNECTION WITH CERTAIN ORDERS UNDER PART II

# Coming into operation

- [F43(1) An original order or a restrictive amending order shall take effect on its being made.
  - (2) It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to consider every original order or restrictive amending order made by him or a relevant authority, and any such order shall cease to have effect nine months after it is made unless the Secretary of State has previously given notice under paragraph 6 that he has considered it and does not propose to amend or revoke it or he has amended or revoked it or, in the case of an order made by such an authority, the authority has revoked it.
  - (3) An amending or revoking order, other than a restrictive amending order, made by a relevant authority shall be submitted by the authority to the Secretary of State for confirmation and shall not take effect until confirmed by him.
  - (4) Subject to paragraphs 3(1) and 4(4), an amending or revoking order, other than a restrictive amending order, made by the Secretary of State shall not take effect until confirmed by him.

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(5) An amending or revoking order requiring confirmation shall, by virtue of this sub-paragraph, stand revoked if the Secretary of State gives notice under paragraph 6 that the order is not to be confirmed.]

### **Textual Amendments**

F43 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

# Publicity for orders

- <sup>2</sup> [F<sup>44</sup>(1) Where an order takes effect immediately, the authority making the order (whether the relevant authority or the Secretary of State) shall give notice—
  - (a) setting out the order or describing its general effect and in either case stating that it has taken effect:
  - (b) naming a place in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated where a copy of the order may be inspected free of charge at all reasonable hours; and
  - (c) specifying the time (not being less than 28 days from the date of the first publication of the notice) within which, and the manner in which, representations or objections with respect to the order may be made.
  - (2) Where an order requires confirmation, the authority making the order shall give notice—
    - (a) setting out the order or describing its general effect and in either case stating that it has been made and requires confirmation; and
    - (b) stating in relation to it the matters specified in sub-paragraph (1)(b) and (c).
  - (3) Subject to sub-paragraph (4), the notice to be given under sub-paragraph (1) or (2) shall be given—
    - (a) by publication in the Gazette and also at least one local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated;
    - (b) by serving a like notice on every owner and occupier of any of that land; and
    - (c) in the case of a notice given by the Secretary of State, by serving a like notice on the relevant authority in whose area the land to which the order relates is situated.
  - (4) The Secretary of State may, in any particular case, direct that it shall not be necessary to comply with sub-paragraph (3)(b); but if he so directs in the case of any land, then in addition to publication the notice shall be addressed to "The owners and any occupiers" of the land (describing it) and a copy or copies of the notice shall be affixed to some conspicuous object or objects on the land.]

### **Textual Amendments**

F44 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

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# Unopposed orders

- J<sup>F45</sup>(1) Where an order made by a relevant authority takes effect immediately and no representations or objections are duly made in respect of it or any so made are withdrawn.—
  - (a) the Secretary of State shall as soon as practicable after considering it decide either to take no action on the order or to make an order amending or revoking it (subject, however, to paragraph 5); and
  - (b) the amending or revoking order shall take effect immediately, but it shall not require confirmation and no representation or objection with respect to it shall be entertained.
  - (2) Where an order requiring confirmation is made and no representations or objections are duly made in respect of it or any so made are withdrawn, the Secretary of State may confirm the order (with or without modifications).]

#### **Textual Amendments**

F45 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

# Opposed orders

- <sup>4</sup> [F<sup>46</sup>(1) If any representation or objection duly made with respect to an order is not withdrawn, then, as soon as practicable in the case of an order having immediate effect and before confirming an order requiring confirmation, the Secretary of State shall either—
  - (a) cause a local inquiry to be held; or
  - (b) afford any person by whom a representation or objection has been duly made and not withdrawn an opportunity of being heard by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose.
  - (2) On considering any representations or objections duly made and the report of any person appointed to hold the inquiry or to hear representations or objections, the Secretary of State—
    - (a) shall, if the order has already taken effect, decide either to take no action on the order or to make an order (subject, however, to paragraph 5) amending or revoking the order as the Secretary of State thinks appropriate in the light of the report, representations or objections, without consulting the relevant authority where that authority made the order; or
    - (b) if the order requires confirmation, may confirm it (with or without modifications).
  - (3) The provisions of subsections (2) to (5) of section 250 of the M6Local Government Act 1972 or subsections (4) to (8) of section 210 of the M7Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (which relate to the giving of evidence at, and defraying the cost of, local inquiries) shall apply in relation to any inquiry held under this paragraph as they apply in relation to a local inquiry which a Minister causes to be held under subsection (1) of that section.

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(4) An amending or revoking order made by virtue of this paragraph shall take effect immediately, but it shall not require confirmation and no representation or objection with respect to it shall be entertained.]

### **Textual Amendments**

Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495,

### **Marginal Citations**

**M6** 1972 c. 70.

**M**7 1973 c. 65.

Restriction on power to amend orders or confirm them with modifications

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I<sup>F47</sup>The Secretary of State shall not by virtue of paragraph 3(1) or 4(2) amend an order which has taken effect, or confirm any other order with modifications, so as to extend the area to which an original order applies.

### **Textual Amendments**

F47 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

# Notice of final decision on orders

- [F48(1)] The Secretary of State shall as soon as practicable after making an order by virtue of paragraph 3(1) or 4(2) give notice
  - setting out the order or describing its general effect and in either case stating that it has taken effect; and
  - stating the name of the place in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated where a copy of the order may be inspected free of charge at all reasonable hours.
  - (2) The Secretary of State shall give notice of any of the following decisions of his as soon as practicable after making the decision
    - a decision under paragraph 3(1) or 4(2) to take no action on an order which has already taken effect;
    - a decision to confirm or not to confirm an order requiring confirmation under this Schedule.
  - (3) A notice under this paragraph of a decision to confirm an order shall
    - set out the order as confirmed or describe its general effect, and in either case state the day on which the order took effect;
    - state the name of the place in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated where a copy of the order as confirmed may be inspected free of charge at all reasonable hours.

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(4) A notice under this paragraph shall be given by publishing it in accordance with paragraph 2(3) and serving a copy of it on any person on whom a notice was required to be served under paragraph 2(3) or (4).]

### **Textual Amendments**

F48 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

# Proceedings for questioning validity of orders

- [F<sup>49</sup>(1) This paragraph applies to any order which has taken effect and as to which the Secretary of State has given notice under paragraph 6 of a decision of his to take no action or to amend the order in accordance with paragraph 3 or 4; and in this paragraph "the relevant notice" means any such notice.
  - (2) If any person is aggrieved by an order to which this paragraph applies and desires to question its validity on the ground that it is not within the powers of section [F5029 or] 34, as the case may be, or that any of the requirements of this Schedule have not been complied with in relation to it, he may within six weeks from the date of the relevant notice make an application to the Court under this paragraph.
  - (3) On any such application the Court may, if satisfied that the order is not within those powers or that the interests of the applicant have been substantially prejudiced by a failure to comply with any of those requirements—
    - (a) in England and Wales, quash the order, or any provision of the order, either generally or in so far as it affects the interests of the applicant; or
    - (b) in Scotland, make such declarator as seems to the Court to be appropriate.
  - (4) Except as provided by this paragraph, the validity of an order shall not be questioned in any legal proceedings whatsoever.
  - (5) In this paragraph "the Court" means the High Court in relation to England and Wales and the Court of Session in relation to Scotland.]

### **Textual Amendments**

F49 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2

F50 Words in Sch. 11 para. 7(2) repealed (E.W.) (30.1.2001) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 102, 103(2), Sch. 16 Pt. III

# Interpretation

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[F51]In this Schedule—

"amending order" and "revoking order" mean an order which amends or, as the case may be, revokes a previous order;

"the Gazette" means—

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- (a) if the order relates in whole or in part to England and Wales, the London Gazette;
- (b) if the order relates in whole or in part to Scotland, the Edinburgh Gazette;
  - "order" means an order under section [F5229 or] 34;
  - "original order" means an order other than an amending or revoking order;
  - "the relevant authority" has the same meaning as in section 34;
- "restrictive amending order" means an amending order which extends the area to which a previous order applies.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F51 Sch. 11 (paras. 1-8) repealed (S.) (29.11.2004) by Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004 (asp 6), ss. 57, 59, Sch. 7 para. 4 (with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 5 Pt. 2 para. 11); S.S.I. 2004/495, art. 2
- F52 Words in Sch. 11 para. 8 repealed (E.W.) (30.1.2001) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 102, 103(2), Sch. 16 Pt. III

### SCHEDULE 12

Section 36.

### PROCEDURE IN CONNECTION WITH ORDERS UNDER SECTION 36

### Consultation

Before making an order, the Secretary of State shall consult with such person as he may consider appropriate.

### Publicity for draft orders

- 2 (1) Before making an order, the Secretary of State shall prepare a draft of the order and give notice—
  - (a) stating that he proposes to make the order and the general effect of it;
  - (b) naming a place in the area in which the land to which the draft order relates is situated where a copy of the draft order, and of any byelaws made or proposed to be made by a relevant authority for the protection of the area specified in the draft order, may be inspected free of charge, and copies thereof may be obtained at a reasonable charge, at all reasonable hours; and
  - (c) specifying the time (not being less than 28 days from the date of the first publication of the notice) within which, and the manner in which, representations or objections with respect to the draft order may be made.
  - (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), the notice to be given under sub-paragraph (1) shall be given—
    - (a) by publication in the Gazette and also at least one local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land to which the draft order relates is situated;
    - (b) by serving a like notice on—

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- (i) every person in whom is vested an interest in or right over any of that land;
- (ii) every relevant authority whose area includes any of that land; and
- (iii) such other bodies as may be prescribed or as the Secretary of State may consider appropriate; and
- (c) by causing a copy of the notice to be displayed in a prominent position—
  - (i) at council offices in the locality of the land to which the draft order relates; and
  - (ii) at such other places as the Secretary of State may consider appropriate.
- (3) The Secretary of State may, in any particular case, direct that it shall not be necessary to comply with sub-paragraph (2)(b)(i).
- (4) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), sub-paragraph (2)(b) and (c) shall be complied with not less than 28 days before the expiration of the time specified in the notice.

# Unopposed orders

If no representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, the Secretary of State may make the order with or without modifications.

### Opposed orders

- 4 (1) If any representation or objection duly made is not withdrawn the Secretary of State shall, before making the order, either—
  - (a) cause a local inquiry to be held; or
  - (b) afford any person by whom a representation or objection has been duly made and not withdrawn an opportunity of being heard by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose.
  - (2) On considering any representations or objections duly made and the report of the person appointed to hold the inquiry or hear representations or objections, the Secretary of State may make the order with or without modifications.

### Restriction on power to make orders with modifications

- 5 (1) The Secretary of State shall not make an order with modifications so as—
  - (a) to affect land not affected by the draft order; or
  - (b) to authorise the making of any byelaw not authorised by the draft order, except after complying with the requirements of sub-paragraph (2).
  - (2) The said requirements are that the Secretary of State shall—
    - (a) give such notice as appears to him requisite of his proposal so to modify the order, specifying the time (which shall not be less than 28 days from the date of the first publication of the notice) within which, and the manner in which, representations or objections with respect to the proposal may be made;

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- (b) hold a local inquiry or afford any person by whom any representation or objection has been duly made and not withdrawn an opportunity of being heard by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose; and
- (c) consider the report of the person appointed to hold the inquiry or to hear representations or objections.

# Local inquiries

- (1) The provisions of subsections (2) to (5) of section 250 of the MB Local Government Act 1972 or subsections (4) to (8) of section 210 of the MB Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (which relate to the giving of evidence at, and defraying the cost of, local inquiries) shall apply in relation to any inquiry held under paragraph 4 or 5 as they apply in relation to a local inquiry which a Minister causes to be held under subsection (1) of that section.
  - (2) A local inquiry caused to be held under paragraph 4 or 5 before the making of an order may be held concurrently with any local inquiry caused to be held before the confirmation of byelaws made by a relevant authority for the protection of the area specified in the order.

# **Marginal Citations**

**M8** 1972 c. 70. **M9** 1973 c. 65.

### Notice of making of orders

- 7 (1) As soon as practicable after an order is made, the Secretary of State shall give notice—
  - (a) describing the general effect of the order as made and stating the date on which it took effect; and
  - (b) naming a place in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated where a copy of the order as made may be inspected free of charge, and copies thereof may be obtained at a reasonable charge, at all reasonable hours
  - (2) A notice under sub-paragraph (1) shall be given—
    - (a) by publication in the manner required by paragraph 2(2)(a);
    - (b) by serving a like notice on any persons on whom notices were required to be served under paragraph 2(2)(b); and
    - (c) by causing like notices to be displayed in the like manner as the notices required to be displayed under paragraph 2(2)(c).

# Proceedings for questioning validity of orders

8 (1) If any person is aggrieved by an order which has taken effect and desires to question its validity on the ground that it is not within the powers of section 36 or that any

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- of the requirements of this Schedule have not been complied with in relation to it, he may within 42 days from the date of publication of the notice under paragraph 7 make an application to the Court under this paragraph.
- (2) On any such application the Court may, if satisfied that the order is not within those powers or that the interests of the applicant have been substantially prejudiced by a failure to comply with those requirements—
  - (a) in England and Wales, quash the order, or any provision of the order, either generally or in so far as it affects the interests of the applicant; or
  - (b) in Scotland, make such declarator as seems to the Court to be appropriate.
- (3) Except as provided by this paragraph, the validity of an order shall not be questioned in any legal proceedings whatever.
- (4) In this paragraph "the Court" means the High Court in relation to England and Wales and the Court of Session in relation to Scotland.

# Supplemental

9 (1) In this Schedule—

"area" includes district [F53 or Welsh county or county borough];

"council offices" means offices or buildings acquired or provided by a local authority;

"the Gazette" means—

- (a) if the order relates in whole or in part to England and Wales, the London Gazette:
- (b) if the order relates in whole or in part to Scotland, the Edinburgh Gazette:

"order" means an order under section 36;

"prescribed" means prescribed by regulations made by the Secretary of State;

and expressions to which a meaning is assigned by section 36 have the same meanings in this Schedule as in that section.

- (2) References in this Schedule to land include references to any waters covering it; and for the purposes of this Schedule any area in Great Britain which is bounded by tidal waters or parts of the sea shall be taken to include—
  - (a) the waters adjacent to that area up to the seaward limits of territorial waters; and
  - (b) the land covered by the said adjacent waters.
- (3) Regulations under this Schedule shall be made by statutory instrument which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.

### **Textual Amendments**

**F53** Words in Sch. 12 para. 9(1) added (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(6), **Sch. 16 para. 65(10)** (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 para. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2** 

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### SCHEDULE 13

Section 47.

### PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE COUNTRYSIDE COMMISSION

#### Status

- 1 The Commission shall be a body corporate.
- The Commission shall not be regarded as the servant or agent of the Crown, or as enjoying any status, immunity or priviledge of the Crown; and the Commission's property shall not be regarded as property of, or property held on behalf of, the Crown.

#### Members

- 3 (1) The Commission shall consist of a chairman and such number of other members as the Secretary of State may determine, of whom one may be appointed to be deputy chairman.
  - (2) The members of the Commission shall be appointed by the Secretary of State and shall hold and vacate office in accordance with such terms as may be prescribed by or under regulations made by the Secretary of State and, on vacating office, shall be eligible for re-appointment.
  - (3) Regulations under sub-paragraph (2) shall be made by statutory instrument which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.
  - (4) A member may at any time by notice in writing to the Secretary of State resign his office.
- 4 (1) The Commission—
  - (a) shall pay to their members such remuneration and allowances (if any) as the Secretary of State may, with the approval of the Minister, determine; and
  - (b) as regards any member in whose case the Secretary of State may, with the approval of the Minister, so determine, shall pay such pension to or in respect of him, or make such payments towards the provision of such pension as the Secretary of State may, with the Minister's approval, determine.
  - (2) If a person ceases to be a member of the Commission, and it appears to the Secretary of State that there are special circumstances which make it right that he should receive compensation, the Secretary of State may, with the approval of the Minister, require the Commission to pay to that person a sum of such amount as the Secretary of State may, with the Minister's approval, determine.

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# Committee for Wales

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### **Textual Amendments**

**F54** Sch. 13 para. 5 repealed (1.4.1991) by Environmental Protection Act 1990 (c. 43, SIF 46:4) s. 162(2), Sch. 16 Pt. VI; S.I. 1991/685, **art. 3** 

# Procedure

- The procedure (including the quorum) of the Commission shall be such as they may determine.
- The validity of any proceeding of the Commission shall not be affected by any vacancy among the members thereof or by any defect in the appointment of a member thereof.

# Staff

- 8 (1) The Commission shall appoint—
  - (a) with the approval of the Secretary of State, a chief officer and
  - (b) such number of other employees as they may with the approval of the Secretary of State and the Minister determine.
  - (2) The Commission shall pay to their employees such remuneration and allowances as they may with the approval of the Secretary of State and the Minister determine.
  - (3) In the case of any person to be employed by them on and after the appointed day who immediately before that day was a civil servant, the Commission shall ensure that, so long as he is engaged in duties reasonably comparable to those in which he was engaged immediately before the coming into force of this Schedule, the terms and conditions of his employment, taken as a whole, are not less favourable than those which he then enjoyed.
  - (4) In relation to any person who—
    - (a) is a civil servant before the appointed day; and
    - (b) is as from that day employed by the Commission,

[F55 Chapter I of Part XIV of the Employment Rights Act 1996] shall have effect as if his service as a civil servant had been employment under the Commission.

### **Textual Amendments**

F55 Words in Sch. 13 para. 8(4) substituted (22.8.1996) by 1996 c. 18, ss. 240, 243, Sch. 1 para. 16

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- 9 (1) The Commission shall in the case of such of their employees as they may with the approval of the Secretary of State and the Minister determine,—
  - (a) pay such pension to or in respect of them;
  - (b) make such payments towards the provision of such pensions; or
  - (c) provide and maintain such schemes (whether contributory or not) for the payment of such pensions,

as they may with the approval of the Secretary of State and the Minister determine.

- (2) In this paragraph any reference to the payment of pensions to or in respect of the Commission's employees includes a reference to the payment of pensions by way of compensation to or in respect of any of the Commission's employees who suffer loss of office or employment or loss or diminution of emoluments.
- (1) Employment with the Commission shall be included among the kinds of employment to which a superannuation scheme under section 1 of the M10 Superannuation Act 1972 can apply, and accordingly in Schedule 1 to that Act (in which those kinds of employment are listed) the words "Countryside Commission" shall be inserted after the words "Monopolies Commission".
  - (2) The Commission shall pay to the Minister at such times in each financial year as may be determined by the Minister, subject to any directions of the Treasury, sums of such amounts as he may so determine for the purposes of this paragraph as being equivalent to the increase during the year of such liabilities of his under the Principal Civil Service Pension Scheme as are attributable to the provision of pensions to or in respect of persons who are, or have been, in the service of the Commission in so far as that increase results from the service of those persons during that financial year and to the expense to be incurred in administering those pensions.

**Marginal Citations** 

M10 1972 c. 11.

### Accounts and report

- 11 (1) The Commission shall keep proper accounts and other records, and shall prepare for each financial year a statement of account in such form as the Secretary of State with the approval of the Treasury may direct and submit those statements of account to the Secretary of State at such time as he may with the approval of the Treasury direct.
  - (2) The Secretary of State shall, as respects each financial year, send the Commission's statement of accounts to the Comptroller and Auditor General not later than the end of November following the year.
  - (3) The Comptroller and Auditor General shall examine, certify and report on the statement of accounts and lay copies of it, together with his report, before each House of Parliament.

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- The Commission shall furnish the Secretary of State with such returns, accounts and other information with respect to their property and activities or proposed activities as he may from time to time require, and shall afford to the Secretary of State facilities for the verification of information so furnished and for that purpose permit any person authorised in that behalf by the Secretary of State to inspect and make copies of the Commission's accounts, books, documents or papers and give that person such explanation of them as he may reasonably require.
- 13 (1) The Commission shall, as soon as possible after the end of each financial year, make to the Secretary of State a report on the discharge by them of their functions under the 1949 Act, the 1968 Act [F56], the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000]and this Act during that year.
  - (2) Without prejudice to the generality of sub-paragraph (1), but subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (3), the report of the Commission for any year shall include—
    - (a) a statement of the action taken by the Commission to promote the enjoyment of the countryside by members of the public who are disabled; and
    - (b) a record of all questions with which the Commission have been concerned during that year and which appear to the Commission to be of general public interest, indicating the purport of any representations or recommendations made by the Commission with respect thereto, and the conclusions (if any) reached thereon.
  - (3) The report of the Commission for any year shall set out any direction given by the Secretary of State during that year under section 3 of the 1949 Act unless the Secretary of State has notified to the Commission his opinion that it is against the interests of national security so to do.
  - (4) The Secretary of State shall lay a copy of every report of the Commission under this paragraph before each House of Parliament.

### **Textual Amendments**

F56 Words in Sch. 13 para. 13(1) inserted (1.4.2001 for E. and 1.5.2001 for W.) by 2000 c. 37, s. 46(3), Sch. 4 para. 6; S.I. 2001/114, art. 2(2)(j); S.I. 2001/1410, art. 2(j)

### **Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

C2 Sch. 13 para. 13(3): Functions transferred (W.) (1.7.1999) by S.I. 1999/672, art. 2, Sch. 1

### Land

The Commission, for the purpose of providing themselves with office or other accommodation in connection with the exercise of any of their functions, may, with the approval of the Secretary of State, acquire land, erect and maintain buildings or other structures thereon, and when the land is no longer required for such purpose, dispose of it.

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Any land occupied by the Commission shall, for the purpose of any rate on property, be treated as if it were property occupied by or on behalf of the Crown for public purposes.

# Interpretation

#### 16 In this Schedule—

"appointed day" means the day appointed for the coming into force of this Schedule;

"the Commission" means the Countryside Commission;

"financial year" means the period commencing with the appointed day and ending with 31st March following that day, and each successive period of twelve months;

"the Minister" means [F57the Treasury];

"pension" includes allowance or gratuity.

#### **Textual Amendments**

F57 Words substituted by S.I. 1981/1670, art. 2(1)(c)(d)(2)

### SCHEDULE 14

Section 53.

# APPLICATIONS FOR CERTAIN ORDERS UNDER PART III

# Form of applications

- 1 An application shall be made in the prescribed form and shall be accompanied by—
  - (a) a map drawn to the prescribed scale and showing the way or ways to which the application relates; and
  - (b) copies of any documentary evidence (including statements of witnesses) which the applicant wishes to adduce in support of the application.

# Notice of applications

- 2 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the applicant shall serve a notice stating that the application has been made on every owner and occupier of any land to which the application relates.
  - (2) If, after reasonable inquiry has been made, the authority are satsified that it is not practicable to ascertain the name or address of an owner or occupier of any land to which the application relates, the authority may direct that the notice required to be served on him by sub-paragraph (1) may be served by addressing it to him by the description "owner" or "occupier" of the land (describing it) and by affixing it to some conspicuous object or objects on the land.
  - (3) When the requirements of this paragraph have been complied with, the applicant shall certify that fact to the authority.

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(4) Every notice or certificate under this paragraph shall be in the prescribed form.

### Determination by authority

- 3 (1) As soon as reasonably practicable after receiving a certificate under paragraph 2(3), the authority shall—
  - (a) investigate the matters stated in the application; and
  - (b) after consulting with every local authority whose area includes the land to which the application relates, decide whether to make or not to make the order to which the application relates.
  - (2) If the authority have not determined the application within twelve months of their receiving a certificate under paragraph 2(3), then, on the applicant making representations to the Secretary of State, the Secretary of State may, after consulting with the authority, direct the authority to determine the application before the expiration of such period as may be specified in the direction.
  - (3) As soon as practicable after determining the application, the authority shall give notice of their decision by serving a copy of it on the applicant and any person on whom notice of the application was required to be served under paragraph 2(1).

# Appeal against a decision not to make an order

- 4 (1) Where the authority decide not to make an order, the applicant may, at any time within 28 days after service on him of notice of the decision, serve notice of appeal against that decision on the Secretary of State and the authority.
  - (2) If on considering the appeal the Secretary of State considers that an order should be made, he shall give to the authority such directions as appear to him necessary for the purpose [F58] (which may include a direction as to the time within which an order is to be made)].

### **Textual Amendments**

**F58** Words in Sch. 14 para. 4(2) inserted (E.W.) (13.2.2004 for E. and 31.5.2005 for W.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3), Sch. 5 Pt. I para. 10; S.I. 2004/292, art. 2; S.I. 2005/1314, art. 2(a)

### Interpretation

5 (1) In this Schedule—

"application" means an application under section 53(5);

"local authority" means [F59a non-metroplitan district council], a parish F60... council or the parish meeting of a parish not having a separate parish council [F61but, in relation to Wales, means a community council];

"prescribed" means prescribed by regulations made by the Secretary of State.

(2) Regulations under this Schedule shall be made by statutory instrument which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.

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### **Textual Amendments**

- **F59** Words substituted by Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51, SIF 81:1), ss. 1, 2, 7, Sch. 3 para. 7(8)
- **F60** Words in Sch. 14 para. 5(1) repealed (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(6)(8), Sch. 16 para. 65(11), **Sch. 18** (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2**
- **F61** Words in Sch. 14 para. 5(1) added (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(6), **Sch. 16 para. 65(11)** (with ss. 54(5) (7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2**

### SCHEDULE 15

Sections 53 and 54.

### PROCEDURE IN CONNECTION WITH CERTAIN ORDERS UNDER PART III

### Consultation

Before making an order, the authority shall consult with every local authority whose area includes the land to which the order relates.

## Coming into operation

An order shall not take effect until confirmed either by the authority or the Secretary of State under paragraph 6 or by the Secretary of State under paragraph 7.

# Publicity for orders

- 3 (1) On making an order, the authority shall give notice in the prescribed form—
  - (a) describing the general effect of the order and stating that it has been made and requires confirmation;
  - (b) naming a place in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated where a copy of the order may be inspected free of charge, and copies thereof may be obtained at a reasonable charge, at all reasonable hours; and
  - (c) specifying the time (not being less than 42 days from the date of the first publication of the notice) within which, and the manner in which, representations or objections with respect to the order [F62, which must include particulars of the grounds relied on,] may be made.
  - (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (4), the notice to be given under sub-paragraph (1) shall be given—
    - (a) by publication in at least one local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated;
    - (b) by serving a like notice on—
      - (i) every owner and occupier of any of that land;
      - (ii) every local authority whose area includes any of that land;
      - (iii) every person on whom notice is required to be served in pursuance of sub-paragraph (3); and
      - (iv) such other persons as may be prescribed in relation to the area in which that land is situated or as the authority may consider appropriate; and

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- (c) by causing a copy of the notice to be displayed in a prominent position—
  - (i) at the ends of so much of any way as is affected by the order;
  - (ii) at council offices in the locality of the land to which the order relates; and
  - (iii) at such other places as the authority may consider appropriate.
- (3) Any person may, on payment of such reasonable charge as the authority may consider appropriate, require an authority to give him notice of all such orders as are made by the authority during a specified period, are of a specified description and relate to land comprised in a specified area; and in this sub-paragraph "specified" means specified in the requirement.
- (4) The Secretary of State may, in any particular case, direct that it shall not be necessary to comply with sub-paragraph (2)(b)(i); but if he so directs in the case of any land, then in addition to publication the notice shall be addressed to "The owners and any occupiers" of the land (describing it) and a copy or copies of the notice shall be affixed to some conspicuous object or objects on the land.
- (5) Sub-paragraph (2)(b) and (c) and, where applicable, sub-paragraph (4) shall be complied with not less than 42 days before the expiration of the time specified in the notice.
- (6) A notice required to be served by sub-paragraph (2)(b) on the owner or occupier of any land, or on a local authority, shall be accompanied by a copy of so much of the order as relates to that land or, as the case may be, the area of that authority; and a notice required to be served by that sub-paragraph on such other persons as may be prescribed or as the authority may consider appropriate shall be accompanied by a copy of the order.
- (7) A notice required to be displayed by sub-paragraph (2)(c) at the ends of so much of any way as is affected by the order shall be accompanied by a plan showing the general effect of the order so far as it relates to that way.
- (8) At any time after the publication of a notice under this paragraph and before the expiration of the period specified in the notice for the making of representations and objections, any person may require the authority to inform him what documents (if any) were taken into account in preparing the order and—
  - (a) as respects any such documents in the possession of the authority, to permit him to inspect them and take copies; and
  - (b) as respects any such documents not in their possession, to give him any information the authority have as to where the documents can be inspected; and on any requirement being made under this sub-paragraph the authority shall comply therewith within 14 days of the making of the requirement.
- (9) Nothing in sub-paragraph [F63(1)(c) or] (8) shall be construed as limiting [F64the grounds which may be relied on or] the documentary or other evidence which may be adduced at any local inquiry or hearing held under paragraph 7 or 8.

## **Textual Amendments**

F62 Words in Sch. 15 para. 3(1)(c) inserted (E.W.) (13.2.2004 for E. (exception noted in art. 3(1) of commencement order) and 31.5.2005 for W. and 27.9.2005 otherwise for E.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3),

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- Sch. 5 Pt. I para. 11(2); S.I. 2004/292, art. 2 (with savings in art. 3(1)); S.I. 2005/1314, art. 2(a); S.I. 2005/2459, art. 2(2)(b)(iii)
- **F63** Words in Sch. 15 para. 3(9) inserted (E.W.) (13.2.2004 for E. (exception noted in art. 3(1) of commencement order) and 31.5.2005 for W. and 27.9.2005 otherwise for E.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3), Sch. 5 Pt. I para. 11(3)(a)); S.I. 2004/292, art. 2 (with savings in art. 3(1)); S.I. 2005/1314, art. 2(a); S.I. 2005/2459, art. 2(2)(b)(iii)
- **F64** Words in Sch. 15 para. 3(9) inserted (E.W.) (13.2.2004 for E. (exception noted in art. 3(1) of commencement order) and 31.5.2005 for W. and 27.9.2005 otherwise for E.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3), Sch. 5 Pt. I para. 11(3)(b); S.I. 2004/292, art. 2 (with savings in art. 3(1)); S.I. 2005/1314, art. 2(a); S.I. 2005/2459, art. 2(2)(b)(iii)

Representations or objections made with respect to abandoned surveys or reviews

- 4 (1) This paragraph applies where a survey begun under sections 27 to 32 of the 1949 Act, or a review begun under section 33 of that Act, is abandoned after a draft map and statement have been prepared.
  - (2) If an order modifies the definitive map and statement so as—
    - (a) to show any particulars shown in the draft map and statement but not in the definitive map and statement; or
    - (b) to omit any particulars shown in the definitive map and statement but not in the draft map and statement,

any representation or objection duly made with respect to the showing in or omission from the draft map and statement of those particulars shall be treated for the purposes of paragraphs 6 and 7 as a representation or objection duly made with respect to the corresponding modifications made by the order.

# Severance of orders

- 5 (1) Where at any time representations or objections duly made and not withdrawn relate to some but not all of the modifications made by an order, the authority may, by notice given to the Secretary of State, elect that, for the purposes of the following provisions of this Schedule, the order shall have effect as two separate orders—
  - (a) the one comprising the modifications to which the representations or objections relate; and
  - (b) the other comprising the remaining modifications.
  - (2) Any reference in sub-paragraph (1) to an order includes a reference to any part of an order which, by virtue of one or more previous elections under that sub-paragraph, has effect as a separate order.

# Unopposed orders

- 6 (1) If no representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, the authority may—
  - (a) confirm the order without modification; or
  - (b) if they require any modification to be made, submit the order to the Secretary of State for confirmation by him.
  - (2) Where an order is submitted to the Secretary of State under sub-paragraph (1), the Secretary of State may confirm the order with or without modifications.

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## Opposed orders

- 7 (1) If any representation or objection duly made is not withdrawn the authority shall submit the order to the Secretary of State for confirmation by him.
  - (2) Where an order is submitted to the Secretary of State under sub-paragraph (1), the Secretary of State shall [<sup>F65</sup>, subject to sub-paragraph (2A),] either—
    - (a) cause a local inquiry to be held; or
    - (b) afford any person by whom a representation or objection has been duly made and not withdrawn an opportunity of being heard by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose.
  - [F66(2A) The Secretary of State may, but need not, act as mentioned in sub-paragraph (2)(a) or (b) if, in his opinion, no representation or objection which has been duly made and not withdrawn relates to an issue which would be relevant in determining whether or not to confirm the order, either with or without modifications.]
    - (3) On considering any representations or objections duly made and the report of [F67] any person appointed to hold an inquiry] or hear representations or objections, the Secretary of State may confirm the order with or without modifications.

Restriction on power to confirm orders with modifications

- 8 (1) The Secretary of State shall not confirm an order with modifications so as—
  - (a) to affect land not affected by the order;
  - (b) not to show any way shown in the order or to show any way not so shown; or
  - (c) to show as a highway of one description a way which is shown in the order as a highway of another description,

except after complying with the requirements of sub-paragraph (2).

- (2) The said requirements are that the Secretary of State shall—
  - (a) give such notice as appears to him requisite of his proposal so to modify the order, specifying the time (which shall not be less than 28 days from the date of the first publication of the notice) within which, and the manner in which, representations or objections with respect to the proposal [F68, which must include particulars of the grounds relied on,] may be made;
  - [F69(b)] if any representation or objection duly made is not withdrawn (but subject to sub-paragraph (3)), hold a local inquiry or afford any person by whom any such representation or objection has been made an opportunity of being heard by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose; and
    - (c) consider the report of any person appointed to hold an inquiry or to hear representations or objections.
- (3) The Secretary of State may, but need not, act as mentioned in sub-paragraph (2)(b) if, in his opinion, no representation or objection which has been duly made and not withdrawn relates to an issue which would be relevant in determining whether or not to confirm the order in accordance with his proposal.
- (4) Sub-paragraph (2)(a) shall not be construed as limiting the grounds which may be relied on at any local inquiry or hearing held under this paragraph.]

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# Local inquiries

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[<sup>F70</sup>The provisions of subsections (2) to (5) of section 250 of the M11Local Government Act 1972 (which relate to the giving of evidence at, and defraying the cost of, local inquiries) shall apply in relation to any inquiry held under paragraph 7 or 8 as they apply in relation to a local inquiry which a Minister causes to be held under subsection (1) of that section.]

### **Textual Amendments**

F70 Sch. 15 para. 9 omitted (E.W.) (13.2.2004 for E. (exception noted in art. 3(1) of commencement order) and 31.5.2005 for W. and 27.9.2005 otherwise for E.) by virtue of 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3), Sch. 5
Pt. I para. 11(8) and repealed (6.12.2006 for W. and otherwise prosp.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 102, 103(3), Sch. 16 Pt. II; S.I. 2004/292, art. 2(d)(iii) (with savings in art. 3(1)); S.I. 2005/1314, art. 2(a)(iii); S.I. 2005/2459, art. 2(2)(b)(iii); S.I. 2006/3257, art. 2

### **Marginal Citations**

M11 1972 c. 70.

# Appointment of inspectors etc.

- 10 (1) A decision of the Secretary of State under paragraph 6, 7 or 8 shall, except in such classes of case as may for the time being be prescribed or as may be specified in directions given by the Secretary of State, be made by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose instead of by the Secretary of State; and a decision made by a person so appointed shall be treated as a decision of the Secretary of State.
  - (2) The Secretary of State may, if he thinks fit, direct that a decision which, by virtue of sub-paragraph (1) and apart from this sub-paragraph, falls to be made by a person appointed by the Secretary of State shall instead be made by the Secretary of State; and a direction under this sub-paragraph shall state the reasons for which it is given and shall be served on the person, if any, so appointed, the authority and any person by whom a representation or objection has been duly made and not withdrawn.
  - (3) Where the Secretary of State has appointed a person to make a decision under paragraph 6, 7 or 8 the Secretary of State may, at any time before the making of the decision, appoint another person to make it instead of the person first appointed to make it.
  - (4) Where by virtue of sub-paragraph (2) or (3) a particular decision falls to be made by the Secretary of State or any other person instead of the person first appointed to make it, anything done by or in relation to the latter shall be treated as having been done by or in relation to the former.
  - (5) Regulations under this paragraph may provide for the giving of publicity to any directions given by the Secretary of State under this paragraph.

# [F71 Hearings and local inquiries]

# **Textual Amendments**

F71 Sch. 15 para. 10A and cross-heading inserted (13.2.2004 for E. (exception noted in art. 3(1) of commencement order) and 31.5.2005 for W. and 27.9.2005 otherwise for E.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3),

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Sch. 5 Pt. I para. 11(8); S.I. 2004/292, art. 2 (with savings in art. 3(1)); S.I 2005/1314, {art.2(a)}; S.I. 2005/2459, art. 2(2)(b)(iii)

- [F7210A(1)] Subject to sub-paragraph (2), subsections (2) to (5) of section 250 of the M12Local Government Act 1972 (giving of evidence at, and defraying of costs of, inquiries) shall apply in relation to any hearing or local inquiry held under paragraph 7 or 8 as they apply in relation to a local inquiry which a Minister causes to be held under subsection (1) of that section.
  - (2) In its application to a hearing or inquiry held under paragraph 7 or 8 by a person appointed under paragraph 10(1), subsection (5) of that section shall have effect as if the reference to the Minister causing the inquiry to be held were a reference to the person so appointed or the Secretary of State.
  - (3) Section 322A of the MI3Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (orders as to costs where no hearing or inquiry takes place) shall apply in relation to a hearing or local inquiry under paragraph 7 or 8 as it applies in relation to a hearing or local inquiry for the purposes referred to in that section.]

### **Textual Amendments**

F72 Sch. 15 para. 10A and cross-heading inserted (13.2.2004 for E. (exception noted in art. 3(1) of commencement order) and 31.5.2005 for W. and 27.9.2005 otherwise for E.) by 2000 c. 37, ss. 51, 103(3), Sch. 5 Pt. I para. 11(8); S.I. 2004/292, art. 2 (with savings in art. 3(1)); S.I 2005/1314, {art.2(a)}; S.I. 2005/2459, art. 2(2)(b)(iii)

### **Marginal Citations**

**M12** 1972 c. 70. **M13** 1990 c. 8.

# Notice of final decisions on orders

- 11 (1) As soon as practicable after a decision to confirm an order is made or, in the case of a decision by the Secretary of State, as soon as practicable after receiving notice of his decision, the authority shall give notice—
  - (a) describing the general effect of the order as confirmed and stating that it has been confirmed (with or without modification) and the date on which it took effect; and
  - (b) naming a place in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated where a copy of the order as confirmed may be inspected free of charge, and copies thereof may be obtained at a reasonable charge, at all reasonable hours.
  - (2) A notice under sub-paragraph (1) shall be given—
    - (a) by publication in the manner required by paragraph 3(2)(a);
    - (b) by serving a like notice on any persons on whom notices were required to be served under paragraph 3(2)(b) or (4); and
    - (c) by causing like notices to be displayed in the like manner as the notices required to be displayed under paragraph 3(2)(c).
  - (3) A notice required to be served by sub-paragraph (2)(b) on the owner or occupier of any land, or on a local authority, shall be accompanied by a copy of so much of

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the order as confirmed as relates to that land or, as the case may be, the area of that authority; and, in the case of an order which has been confirmed with modifications, a notice required to be served by that sub-paragraph on such other persons as may be prescribed or as the authority may consider appropriate shall be accompanied by a copy of the order as confirmed.

(4) As soon as practicable after a decision not to confirm an order or, in the case of a decision by the Secretary of State, as soon as practicable after receiving notice of his decision, the authority shall give notice of the decision by serving a copy of it on any persons on whom notices were required to be served under paragraph 3(2)(b) or (4).

# Proceedings for questioning validity of orders

- 12 (1) If any person is aggrieved by an order which has taken effect and desires to question its validity on the ground that it is not within the powers of section 53 or 54 or that any of the requirements of this Schedule have not been complied with in relation to it, he may within 42 days from the date of publication of the notice under paragraph 11 make an application to the High Court under this paragraph.
  - (2) On any such application the High Court may, if satisfied that the order is not within those powers or that the interests of the applicant have been substantially prejudiced by a failure to comply with those requirements, quash the order, or any provision of the order, either generally or in so far as it affects the interests of the applicant.
  - (3) Except as provided by this paragraph, the validity of an order shall not be questioned in any legal proceedings whatsoever.

# Supplemental

- 13 (1) The Secretary of State may, subject to the provisions of this Schedule, by regulations make such provision as to the procedure on the making, submission and confirmation of orders as appears to him to be expedient.
  - (2) In this Schedule—

"council offices" means offices or buildings acquired or provided by the authority or by a local authority;

"local authority" means [F<sup>73</sup>a non-metropolitan district council], a parish F<sup>74</sup>... council or the parish meeting of a parish not having a separate parish council [F<sup>75</sup>but, in relation to Wales, means a community council];

"order" means an order to which the provisions of this Schedule apply;

"prescribed" means prescribed by regulations made by the Secretary of State.

(3) Regulations under this Schedule shall be made by statutory instrument which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.

# **Textual Amendments**

- F73 Words substituted by Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51, SIF 81:1), ss. 1, 2, 7, Sch. 3 para. 7(8)
- F74 Words in Sch. 15 para. 13(2) repealed (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(6)(8), Sch. 16 para. 65(12), Sch. 18 (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, Sch. 2
- F75 Words in Sch. 15 para. 13(2) added (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(6), Sch. 16 para. 65(12) (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, Sch. 2

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# X7SCHEDULE 16

Section 63.

## ORDERS CREATING, EXTINGUISHING OR DIVERTING FOOTPATHS OR BRIDLEWAYS

# Editorial Information X7 The text of Sch. 16 is in the form in which it was originally enacted: it was not reproduced in Statutes in Force and, except as specified, does not reflect any amendments or repeals which may have been made prior to 1.2.1991.

### **Textual Amendments**

F76 Sch. 16 paras. 1–4 repealed by Planning (Consequential Provisions) Act 1990 (c. 11, SIF 123:1, 2), ss. 3, 5, Sch. 1 Pt. I,Sch. 3

# The Highways Act 1980

- (1) In subsection (1) of section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 (diversion of footpaths and bridleways) for the words from the beginning to "or on to land" there shall be substituted the words "Where it appears to a council as respects a footpath or bridleway in their area (other than one that is a trunk road or a special road) that, in the interests of the owner, lessee or occupier of land crossed by the path or way or of the public, it is expedient that the line of the path or way, or part of that line, should be diverted (whether on to land of the same or".
  - (2) In subsection (5) of that section for the words "the council may require the owner, lessee or occupier on whose representations they are acting" there shall be substituted the words "on the representations of an owner, lessee or occupier of land crossed by the path or way, the council may require him".
- 6 (1) In sub-paragraphs (1)(b) and 2(b) of paragraph I of Schedule 6 to that Act (procedure as to certain orders relating to footpaths and bridleways) after the words "free of charge" there shall be inserted the words "and copies thereof may be obtained at a reasonable charge".
  - (2) For sub-paragraph (3) of that paragraph there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph—
    - "(3) The notices to be given under sub-paragraph (1) or (2) above shall be given—
      - (a) by publication in at least one local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated;
      - (b) by serving a like notice on—
        - (i) every owner, occupier and lessee (except tenants for a month or any period less than a month and statutory tenants within the meaning of the Rent (Agriculture) Act 1976 or the Rent Act 1977) of any of that land;
        - (ii) every council, the council of every parish or community and the parish meeting of every parish not having a separate parish council, being a council, parish or community whose area includes any of that land;

- (iii) every person on whom notice is required to be served in pursuance of sub-paragraph (3A) or (3B) below; and
- (iv) such other persons as may be prescribed in relation to the area in which that land is situated or as the authority or, as the case may be, the Secretary of State may consider appropriate; and
- (c) by causing a copy of the notice to be displayed in a prominent position—
  - (i) at the ends of so much of any footpath or bridleway as is created, stopped up or diverted by the order;
  - (ii) at council offices in the locality of the land to which the order relates; and
  - (iii) at such other places as the authority or, as the case may be, the Secretary of State may consider appropriate."
- (3) After that sub-paragraph there shall be inserted the following sub-paragraphs—
  - "(3A) Any person may, on payment of such reasonable charge as the authority may consider appropriate, require an authority to give him notice of all such public path creation orders, public path extinguishment orders and public path diversion orders as are made by the authority during a specified period, are of a specified description and relate to land comprised in a specified area; and in this sub-paragraph "specified" means specified in the requirement.
  - (3B) Any person may, on payment of such reasonable charge as the Secretary of State may consider appropriate, require the Secretary of State to give him notice of all such draft public path creation orders, draft public path extinguishment orders and draft public path diversion orders as are prepared by the Secretary of State during a specified period, are of a specified description and relate to land comprised in a specified area; and in this sub-paragraph "specified" means specified in the requirement.
  - (3C) The Secretary of State may, in any particular case, direct that it shall not be necessary to comply with sub-paragraph (3)(b)(i) above; but if he so directs in the case of any land, then in addition to publication the notice shall be addressed to "The owners and any occupiers" of the land (describing it) and a copy or copies of the notice shall be affixed to some conspicuous object or objects on the land."
- (4) After sub-paragraph (4) of that paragraph there shall be inserted the following sub-paragraphs—
  - "(4A) Sub-paragraph (3)(b) and (c) and, where applicable, sub-paragraphs (3C) and (4) above shall be complied with not less than 28 days before the expiration of the time specified in the notice.
  - (4B) A notice required to be served by sub-paragraph (3)(b)(i), (ii) or (iv) above shall be accompanied by a copy of the order.
  - (4C) A notice required to be displayed by sub-paragraph (3)(c)(i) above at the ends of so much of any way as is affected by the order shall be accompanied by a plan showing the general effect of the order so far as it relates to that way.
  - (4D) In sub-paragraph (3)(c)(ii) above "council offices" means offices or buildings acquired or provided by a council or by the council of a

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parish or community or the parish meeting of a parish not having a separate parish council."

- 7 After paragraph 2 of that Schedule there shall be inserted the following paragraph—
  - "(2A) (1) A decision of the Secretary of State under paragraph 2 above as respects an order made by an authority other than the Secretary of State shall, except in such classes of case as may for the tim, being be prescribed or as may be specified in directions given by the Secretary of State, be made by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose instead of by the Secretary of State; and a decision made by a person so appointed shall be treated as a decision of the Secretary of State.
    - (2) The Secretary of State may, if he thinks fit, direct that a decision which, by virtue of sub-paragraph (1) above and apart from this sub-paragraph, fahs to be made by a person appointed by the Secretary of State shall instead be made by the Secretary of State; and a direction under this sub-paragraph shall state the reasons for which it is given and shall be served on the person, if any, so appointed, the authority and any person by whom a representation or objection has been duly made and not withdrawn.
    - (3) Where the Secretary of State has appointed a person to make a decision under paragraph 2 above the Secretary of State may, at any time before the making of the decision, appoint another person to make it instead of the person first appointed to make it.
    - (4) Where by virtue of sub-paragraph (2) or (3) above a particular decision falls to be made by the Secretary of State or any other person instead of the person first appointed to make it, anything done by or in relation to the latter shall be treated as having been done by or in relation to the former.
    - (5) Provision may be made by regulations of the Secretary of State for the giving of publicity to any directions given by the Secretary of State under this paragraph."
- 8 (1) In paragraph 4 of that Schedule after the words "free of charge" there shall be inserted the words "and copies thereof may be obtained at a reasonable charge" and for heads (a) and (b) there shall be substituted the following heads—
  - "(a) serve a like notice on any persons on whom notices were required to be served under paragraph 1(3)(b), (3C) or (4) above; and
  - (b) cause like notices to be displayed in the like manner as the notices caused to be displayed under paragraph 1(3)(c) above;".
  - (2) That paragraph as so amended shall be renumbered as paragraph 4(1) of that Schedule and after that provision as so renumbered there shall be inserted the following sub-paragraphs—
    - "(2) A notice required to be served by sub-paragraph (1)(a) above, on—
      - (a) a person on whom notice was required to be served by paragraph 1(3)(b)(i) or (ii) above, or
      - (b) in the case of an order which has been confirmed or made with modifications, a person on whom notice was required to be served by paragraph 1(3)(b)(iv) above,

shall be accompanied by a copy of the order as confirmed or made.

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- (3) As soon as may be after a decision not to confirm an order to which this Schedule applies, the authority by whom the order was made shall give notice of the decision by serving a copy of it on any persons on whom notices were required to be served under paragraph 1(3)(b), (3C) or (4) above."
- 9 After that paragraph there shall be inserted the following paragraph—
  - "(4A) As soon as may be after an order to which this Schedule applies has come into operation otherwise than—
    - (a) on the date on which it was confirmed or made by the Secretary of State or confinned as an unopposed order; or
    - (b) at the expiration of a specified period beginning with that date, the authority by whom the order was made or, in the case of an order made by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of State shall give notice of its coming into operation by publication in at least one local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land to which the order relates is situated."

### **Supplemental**

- 10 (1) The amendments made by the foregoing provisions of this Schedule shall not apply in relation to any order if it was made or a draft thereof was prepared, or a notice relating to it was given under paragraph 1 of the relevant Schedule, before the commencement date.
  - (2) Any reference in this paragraph to Schedule 6 to the M14Highways Act 1980 includes a reference to that Schedule as applied by paragraph 3 of the provisions of Part I of Schedule 3 to the 1968 Act which relate to the M15Acquisition of Land (Authorisation Procedure) Act 1946.

### **Marginal Citations**

M14 1980 c. 66.

M15 1946 c. 49.

# X8SCHEDULE 17

Section 73.

### **ENACTMENTS REPEALED**

### **Editorial Information**

X8 The text of Sch. 17 is in the form in which it was originally enacted: it was not reproduced in Statutes in Force and does not reflect any amendments or repeals which may have been made prior to 1.2.1991.

 $\label{eq:PartI} \textbf{E} \textbf{NACTMENTS REPEALED ONE MONTH AFTER THE PASSING OF THIS ACT}$ 

Chapter	Short title	Extent of repeal
12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 97.	The National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949.	Section 23.
1968 c. 41.	The Countryside Act 1968.	Section 14.
		In section 15(1) the words "which is not for the time being managed as a nature reserve but".
1973 c. 37.	The Water Act 1973.	In section 22(3) the words "not being land for the time being managed as a nature reserve".
1973 c. 54.	The Nature Conservancy Council Act 1973.	Section 3.
1973 c. 65.	The Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.	In Schedule 27, in Part II, paragraph 101.
1980 c. 66.	The Highways Act 1980.	In section 134, subsection (3) and in subsection (5) the words "(3) or".
		In section 135(1), the words "6 or" and "6 weeks or".

PART II

ENACTMENTS REPEALED ON A DAY TO BE APPOINTED

Chapter	Short title	Extent of repeal
2 & 3 Geo. 5. c. 14	The Protection of Animals (Scotland) Act 1912.	In section 9 the words "or any snare" and "or snare".
12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 97.	The National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949.	Sections 2 and 4.
		Sections 27 to 35.
		Section 38.
		Section 95.
2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 30.	The Protection of Birds Act 1954.	The whole Act.

1963 c. 33.	The London Government Act 1963.	In section 60, subsections (1) to (4).
1963 c. 36	The Deer Act 1963.	In Schedule 2, in paragraph 1 the words "of less guage than 12 bore" and in paragraph 4 the words from "other than" onwards.
1964 c. 59.	The Protection of Birds Act 1954 (Amendment) Act 1964.	The whole Act.
1967 c. 46.	The Protection of Birds Act 1967.	The whole Act.
1968 c. 41.	The Countryside Act 1968.	In section 1, subsection (4) and, in subsection (5), the words "and 2(1)" and the words "and in section 4(1)" onwards.
		Section 3.
		In Schedule 3, in Part I, the entry relating to the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949, and Parts II, III and IV.
1970 c. 30.	The Conservation of Seals Act 1970.	In section 10(1)(c), the word "or" immediately following sub-paragraph (ii).
1971 c. 23.	The Courts Act 1971.	In Schedule 8, paragraph 31.
		In Schedule 9, in Part II, the entry relating to section 31 of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949.
1971 c. 78.	The Town and Country Planning Act 1971.	In Schedule 20, in paragraph 1(2)(a), the words "in the London Gazette and".
1972 c. 70.	The Local Government Act 1972.	In Schedule 17, paragraphs 22 to 33.
		In Schedule 29, paragraph 37.
1973 c. 37.	The Water Act 1973.	In Schedule 8, paragraph 67.
1973 c. 54.	The Nature Conservancy Council Act 1973.	In section 5(3) the words from the beginning to "save as aforesaid".
1973 c. 57.	The Badgers Act 1973.	Sections 6 and 7.
		Section 8(2)(c).

		In section 11, the definitions of "area of special protection" and "authorised person".
1973 c. 65.	The Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.	In Schedule 27, in Part II, paragraphs 115 and 168.
1975 c. 21.	The Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1975.	In Schedule 7C, the entries relating to the Protection of Birds Act 1954 and the Conservation of Wild Creatures and Wild Plants Act 1975.
1975 c. 48.	The Conservation of Wild Creatures and Wild Plants Act 1975.	The whole Act.
1976 c. 16.	The Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1976.	In Schedule 2, in Part II, the entry relating to the Protection of Birds Act 1967.
1976 c. 72.	The Endangered Species (Import and Export) Act 1976.	Section 13(6).
1977 c. 45.	The Criminal Law Act 1977.	In Schedule 6, the entries relating to the Protection of Birds Act 1954 and the Conservation of Wild Creatures and Wild Plants Act 1975.
1979 c. 2.	The Customs and Excise Management Act 1979.	In Schedule 4, in paragraph 12, in the Table the entry relating to the Protection of Birds Act 1954.
1980 c. 66.	The Highways Act 1980.	In section 31(10) the words "or of that subsection" onwards.
		Section 340(2)(d).
1981 c. 22.	The Animal Health Act 1981.	In Schedule 5, paragraph 1.
1981 c. 37.	The Zoo Licensing Act 1981.	In section 4(5), the entries relating to the Protection of Birds Acts 1954 to 1967 and the Conservation of Wild Creatures and Wild Plants Act 1975.

## **Status:**

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