



Metropolitan Police Act 1839

1839 CHAPTER 47 2 and 3 Vict

61 Mad dogs, &c.

It shall be lawful for any constable belonging to the metropolitan police force to destroy any dog or other animal reasonably suspected to be in a rabid state, or which has been bitten by any dog or animal reasonably suspected to be in a rabid state; . . . ^{F1}.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words repealed by [Statute Law \(Repeals\) Act 1989 \(c. 43\), s. 1\(1\), Sch. 1 Pt. 1](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Metropolitan Police Act 1839, Section 61.