
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1969 No. 1396 (S.110)

GAME

**The Game Licences and Gamedealers' Licences (Scotland)
(Amendment) Order 1969**

Made - - - 25th September 1969

Laid before Parliament 30th September 1969

Coming into Operation 1st October 1969

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by sections 44(2) and 45(2) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1966(a) and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following order :—

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Game Licences and Gamedealers' Licences (Scotland) (Amendment) Order 1969 and shall come into operation on 1st October 1969.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. Article 3 of the Game Licences and Gamedealers' Licences (Scotland) Order 1967(c) shall have effect with the substitution, for paragraph (2) thereof, of the following paragraph :—

“(2) Licences to kill game shall be issued by officers of the County Councils or the Councils of large burghs”.

3. Article 4 of the Game Licences and Gamedealers' Licences (Scotland) Order 1967 is hereby revoked.

William Ross,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
25th September 1969.

(a) 1966 c.51.

(b) 1889 c.63.

(c) S.I. 1967/714 (1967 II, p. 2160).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Game Licences and Gamedealers' Licences (Scotland) Order 1967 to take account of the repeal, in the Post Office Act 1969 (C.48), of section 44(2) (b) and (c) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1966, under which the Secretary of State was empowered *inter alia* to provide for the issue of game licences by officers of the Post Office and the expenses of the Postmaster General in that connection. From 1st October 1969 local authorities will be directly responsible for issuing licences, although under the provisions of section 134(2) of the Post Office Act 1969 they will be able to employ agents for this purpose.

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