
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1990 No. 2628

The Welfare of Animals at Markets Order 1990

Protection of animals from injury or unnecessary suffering

6.—(1) No person shall cause or permit any injury or unnecessary suffering to an animal in a market.

(2) Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (1) above, it shall be the duty of any person in charge of an animal in a market to ensure that the animal is not, or is not likely to be, caused injury or unnecessary suffering by reason of—

- (a) the animal being exposed to the weather;
- (b) inadequate ventilation being available for the animal;
- (c) the animal being hit or prodded by any instrument or other thing; or
- (d) any other cause.