
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2019 No. 742

**The Law Enforcement and Security
(Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019**

PART 15

Firearms

CHAPTER 2

Amendment of legislation extending to England and Wales and Scotland

Amendment of the Firearms Act 1968

- 59.**—(1) The Firearms Act 1968 ^{M1} is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 5A ^{M2} (exemptions from requirement of authority under s.5), omit subsection (3).
 - (3) In section 22 (acquisition and possession of firearms by minors), omit subsection (1A) ^{M3}.
 - (4) In section 27 (special provisions about firearm certificates), omit subsection (1A) ^{M4}.
 - (5) In section 28 (special provisions about shot gun certificates), omit subsection (1C) ^{M5}.
 - (6) Omit section 32A (documents for European purposes) ^{M6} and the italic cross-heading before that section.
 - (7) Omit section 32B (renewal of European firearms pass) ^{M7}.
 - (8) Omit section 32C (variation, endorsement etc. of European documents) ^{M8}.
 - (9) In section 42A (information as to transactions under visitors' permits) ^{M9}—
 - (a) in subsection (1)(b)—
 - (i) omit “or (d)”;
 - (ii) omit “or purchases or acquisitions by collectors etc”;
 - (iii) for “the member States” substitute “ Great Britain ”;
 - (b) in subsection (2)(b), for “the member State” substitute “ Great Britain ”.
 - (10) In section 48 (production of certificates) ^{M10} —
 - (a) omit subsection (1A);
 - (b) in subsection (2) omit “or document”;
 - (c) omit subsection (4).
 - (11) In section 57 (interpretation)—
 - (a) in subsection (4) ^{M11}, omit the following definitions—
 - (i) “another member State” and “other member States”;
 - (ii) “Article 7 authority”;

(iii) “European firearms pass”;

(b) omit subsection (4A) ^{M12}.

(12) In Part 1 of Schedule 6 (prosecution and punishment of offences) ^{M13}, in the table, omit the entries relating to sections 32B(5), 32C(6) and 48(4) of that Act.

Commencement Information

I1 Reg. 59 in force at 31.12.2020 on IP completion day (in accordance with 2020 c. 1, **Sch. 5 para. 1(1)**), see [reg. 1](#)

Marginal Citations

- M1** [1968 c. 27](#).
- M2** Section 5A was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#). Relevant amendments were made by sections 108(5) and 109(2)(a) of the [Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 \(c. 12\)](#).
- M3** Section 22(1A) was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).
- M4** Section 27(1A) was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).
- M5** Section 28(1C) was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#) and amended by [S.I. 2010/1759](#).
- M6** Section 32A was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#) and amended by paragraph 6 of Schedule 2 to the [Firearms \(Amendment\) Act 1997 \(c. 5\)](#).
- M7** Section 32B was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).
- M8** Section 32C was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#) and amended by paragraph 6 of Schedule 2 to the [Firearms \(Amendment\) Act 1997 \(c. 5\)](#).
- M9** Section 42A was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#) and amended by [S.I. 2011/713](#).
- M10** Section 48(1A) was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).
- M11** Section 57(4) was amended by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).
- M12** Section 4A was inserted by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).
- M13** The table in Part 1 of Schedule 6 was amended by [S.I. 1992/2823](#).

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Law Enforcement and Security (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019, Section 59.