

# Island of Guernsey

## Ordinance of the States **VII**

**1982**

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Made ... .. 24th March, 1982.  
Came into Operation ... 24th March, 1982.

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### **The Pests (Control of Destruction) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1982**

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the twenty-eighth day of October, nineteen hundred and eighty-one, hereby order:—

1. The Pests (Control of Destruction) Ordinance, 1965 (hereinafter referred to as “the principal Ordinance”)(a), is hereby amended as follows:—

Amend-  
ments to  
Ordinance  
of 1965.

- (a) in subsection (2) of section two thereof the words “twenty pounds” and “fifty pounds” are repealed and the words “one hundred pounds” and “two hundred pounds” are respectively substituted therefor;
- (b) in subsection (2) of section three thereof the words “twenty pounds” and “fifty pounds” are repealed and the words “one hundred pounds” and “two hundred pounds” are respectively substituted therefor;

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(a) Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XIV, p. 103.

- (c) in section four thereof the words "twenty pounds" and "fifty pounds" are repealed and the words "one hundred pounds" and "two hundred pounds" are respectively substituted therefor;
- (d) immediately after section four thereof there are inserted the following additional sections numbered "4A" and "4B"—

"Prohibition on use, etc., of snares. 4A. (1) A person shall be guilty of an offence under this subsection if, for the purpose of killing or taking animals—

- (a) he uses, or knowingly permits the use of any snare; or
- (b) he sells, or exposes or offers for sale, any snare; or
- (c) he has any snare in his possession.

(2) A person guilty of an offence under subsection (1) of this section shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds or, if he has been previously convicted of such an offence, a fine not exceeding two hundred pounds.

Order of seizure etc., by the Court.

4B. Where a person is convicted of an offence under any provisions of this Ordinance the Court may, without prejudice to the imposition of a fine consequent upon such conviction, order the seizure, destruction or other disposal of any spring trap or snare, as the case may be, to

which the conviction relates at the expense of the convicted person.”.

2. This Ordinance shall have effect in the Islands Extent.  
of Guernsey, Herm and Jethou.

3. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pests Citation.  
(Control of Destruction) (Amendment) Ordinance,  
1982.

4. This Ordinance and the principal Ordinance Collective  
may be cited together as the Pests (Control of title.  
Destruction) Ordinances, 1965 and 1982.

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