



GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

2018 No. 8

**The Animal Welfare (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2012
(Commencement) Order, 2018**

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| <i>Made</i> | <i>15th February, 2018</i> |
| <i>Coming into operation</i> | <i>15th February, 2018</i> |
| <i>Laid before the States</i> | <i>, 2018</i> |

THE COMMITTEE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 79 and 86 of the Animal Welfare (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2012^a, and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby orders:-

Commencement of Part VI and Schedule 2 to the Ordinance.

1. (1) The following provisions of the Ordinance shall come into force on the 15th February, 2018 -

- (a) section 26(3), and
- (b) all other provisions in Part VI (regulation of activities involving animals) and the transitional provisions in paragraphs 1(2) to (6) of Schedule 3, as given effect by

^a Ordinance No. III of 2012; amended by Order in Council No. XVI of 2015; Ordinance No. IX of 2016; G.S.I. Nos. 32 of 2014 and 24 of 2017 and the Animal Welfare (Amendment of Schedule 2) Regulations, 2018.

section 82, to the extent that those provisions apply to the activities described in paragraph 15 of Schedule 2.

(2) For the avoidance of doubt, references to the commencement, or the date of commencement, of the relevant Part of the Ordinance in paragraphs 1(2) to (6) of Schedule 3 to the Ordinance shall be construed as referring to the 15th February, 2018 insofar as those paragraphs apply to an activity described in paragraph 15 of Schedule 2.

Interpretation.

2. (1) In this Order, "the Ordinance" means the Animal Welfare (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2012.

(2) The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948^b applies to the interpretation of this Order.

(3) Any reference in this Order to an enactment is a reference thereto as from time to time amended, re-enacted (with or without modification), extended or applied.

Citation and commencement.

3. This Order may be cited as the Animal Welfare (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2012 (Commencement) Order, 2018 and shall come into force on the 15th day of February, 2018.

^b Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 355.

Dated this 15th day of February, 2018



B. L. BREHAUT

President of the States Committee for the Environment & Infrastructure

For and on behalf of the Committee

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

This Order brings into force provisions, in particular in Part VI (regulation of activities involving animals) and related transitional licensing provisions in Schedule 3 to the Animal Welfare (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2012, to provide for the licensing of the artificial insemination of cows and the transplanting of bovine embryos. The Order also commences the power to amend Schedule 2 of the Ordinance in section 26(3) of the Ordinance.

This Order comes into force on the 15th February, 2018.