
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 1040 (N.I. 13)

Animals (Northern Ireland) Order 1976

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ANIMALS (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1976

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Changes to legislation:

Animals (Northern Ireland) Order 1976 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 05 September 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Instrument am. (prosp.) by [1998 c. 32 s.74\(1\)Sch.4 para. 11](#)