

WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

**2019 No. 250 (W. 62)**

**EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION, WALES  
ANIMALS, WALES**

**The Equine Identification (Wales)  
(Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019**

<i>Sift requirements satisfied</i>	<i>4 February 2019</i>
<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>11 February 2019</i>
<i>Laid before the National Assembly for Wales - -</i>	<i>13 February 2019</i>
<i>Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1(2)</i>	

The Welsh Ministers, in exercise of the power conferred by paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 2 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 <sup>M1</sup>, make the following Regulations.

The requirements of paragraph 4(2) of Schedule 7 to that Act (relating to the appropriate National Assembly for Wales scrutiny procedure for these Regulations) have been satisfied.

**Marginal Citations**

**M1** 2018 c. 16.

**Title, commencement and application**

**1.**—(1) The title of these Regulations is the Equine Identification (Wales) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019.

(2) These Regulations come into force on exit day.

(3) These Regulations apply in relation to Wales.

**Commencement Information**

**II** Reg. 1 in force at 31.12.2020 in force on IP completion day (in accordance with 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)), see reg. 1(2)

## The Equine Identification (Wales) Regulations 2019

2.—(1) The Equine Identification (Wales) Regulations 2019<sup>M2</sup> are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 6(1), for “born in the European Union” substitute “ born in a member State or in the United Kingdom ”.

(3) In the heading to regulation 7, for “European Union” substitute “ [<sup>F1</sup>Great Britain from a country other than Northern Ireland or a member State] ”.

[<sup>F2</sup>(4) In regulation 13(3)(b), for “another member State” substitute “a member State or Northern Ireland”.]

(5) In regulation 33, for paragraph (4) substitute—

“(4) The inspector may be accompanied by such other persons as the inspector considers necessary.”.

### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in reg. 2(3) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by [The Equine Identification \(Wales\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1240\)](#), regs. 1(2), **2(2)**
- F2** Reg. 2(4) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by [The Equine Identification \(Wales\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1240\)](#), regs. 1(2), **2(3)**

### Commencement Information

- I2** Reg. 2 in force at 31.12.2020 in force on IP completion day (in accordance with [2020 c. 1](#), [Sch. 5 para. 1\(1\)](#)), see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

### Marginal Citations

- M2** [S.I. 2019/57 \(W.20\)](#).

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations are made in exercise of the power conferred by paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 2 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (c. 16) in order to address failures of retained EU law to operate effectively and other deficiencies arising from the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union.

These Regulations make amendments to the Equine Identification (Wales) Regulations 2019 which supplement and make provision for the enforcement of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/262 laying down rules pursuant to Council Directives [90/427/EEC](#) and [2009/156/EC](#) as regards the methods for the identification of equidae in Wales.

The Welsh Ministers' Code of Practice on the carrying out of Regulatory Impact Assessments was considered in relation to these Regulations. As a result, it was not considered necessary to carry out a regulatory impact assessment as to the likely costs and benefits of complying with these Regulations.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Equine Identification (Wales) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019.