

2012 No. 131 (C. 13)

ANIMALS

**The Dogs (Amendment) (2011 Act) (Commencement No.3)
Order (Northern Ireland) 2012**

Made - - - - - *16th March 2012*

Coming into operation - *9th April 2012*

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 18 of the Dogs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011(a).

Citation and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Dogs (Amendment) (2011 Act) (Commencement No.3) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012.

(2) In this Order “the Act” means the Dogs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011.

Appointed Day

2. The day appointed for the coming into operation of the provisions of Section 2 (Microchipping) in the Act is the 9th day of April 2012.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development on 16th March 2012



C. McMaster

A senior officer of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order brings into operation on 9th April 2012 the provisions of Section 2 (Microchipping) of the Dogs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011.

NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

(This Note is not part of the Order)

The following provisions of the Dogs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 have been brought into operation by 2 commencement orders made before the date of this Order

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.R. No.</i>
Section 1	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 3	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 4	3rd October 2011	2011 No. 332 (C.25)
Section 5	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 6	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 7	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 8	3rd October 2011	2011 No. 332 (C.25)
Section 9	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 10	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 11	3rd October 2011	2011 No. 332 (C.25)
Section 12	3rd October 2011	2011 No. 332 (C.25)
Section 13	3rd October 2011	2011 No. 332 (C.25)
Section 14	3rd October 2011	2011 No. 332 (C.25)
Section 15	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 16	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Section 17	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Schedule 1	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)
Schedule 2	28th July 2011	2011 No. 281 (C.19)

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