

SCHEDULE 2

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR KILLING ANIMALS OTHER THAN IN SLAUGHTERHOUSES

PART 5

STUNNING AND KILLING OPERATIONS

Electrical stunning other than by waterbath

- 36.—(1) No person may use electrodes to stun an animal unless—
- (a) appropriate measures are taken to ensure that there is good electrical contact; and
 - (b) the strength and duration of the current used is such that the animal is immediately rendered unconscious and remains so until it is dead.
- (2) No person may use electrodes to stun an animal individually unless the apparatus—
- (a) incorporates an audible or visible device indicating the length of time of its application to an animal; and
 - (b) is connected to a device indicating the voltage and the current under load, positioned so as to be clearly visible to the operator.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Welfare of Animals at the Time of Killing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014, Paragraph 36.