#### STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

## 2019 No. 159

# The Invasive Alien Species (Enforcement and Permitting) Order (Northern Ireland) 2019

### PART 5

#### **ENFORCEMENT**

#### **Forfeiture**

- 27.—(1) The court by which any person is convicted of an offence under this Order—
  - (a) must order the forfeiture of any specimen or other thing in respect of which the offence was committed; and
  - (b) may order the forfeiture of any vehicle, equipment or other thing which was used to commit the offence.
- (2) A specimen forfeited under this Article must be—
- (i) humanely dispatched (in the case of animals) or destroyed (in the case of plants, fungi or microorganisms); or
- (ii) transferred to an establishment or facility authorised to keep it by a permit or a licence (as the case may be).

#### **Commencement Information**

II Art. 27 in operation at 1.12.2019, see art. 1(1)

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Invasive Alien Species (Enforcement and Permitting) Order (Northern Ireland) 2019, Section 27.