
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2006 No. 606

**The Welfare of Animals (Transport)
(Scotland) Regulations 2006**

PART 4

Approvals

The competent authority

18.—(1) The Scottish Ministers are the competent authority for the purposes of granting and issuing—

- (a) authorisations to transporters in accordance with Articles 10, 11 and 13 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 1/2005;
- (b) certificates of competence in accordance with Article 17(2) of that Regulation;
- (c) certificates of approval of means of transport by road in accordance with Article 18(1) of that Regulation; and
- (d) certificates of approval of livestock vessels in accordance with Article 19(1) of that Regulation.

(2) The Scottish Ministers are also the competent authority for—

- (a) receiving notification in accordance with Article 6(2) of Council Regulation (EC) No. 1/2005;
- (b) receiving documents in accordance with Articles [F¹6(5A)], 6(8), 6(9) and [F²paragraph 4(c)] of Annex II to that Regulation;
- F³(c)
- F³(d)
- (e) recording information in accordance with Articles 19(3) and 19(4) of that Regulation;
- (f) inspecting livestock vessels in accordance with Article 20 of that Regulation;
- F⁴(g)
- F⁴(h)
- F⁴(i)
- F⁵(j)
- (k) approving classification societies in accordance with point 1 of Chapter IV of Annex I to that Regulation.

(3) The Scottish Ministers are the competent authority for the purposes of—

- (a) granting or issuing approvals in accordance with [F⁶Article 3] of Council Regulation (EC) No. 1255/97;

(b) receiving information on animals passing through a control post in accordance with Article 5(h) and (i) of that Regulation.

(4) The Scottish Ministers are responsible for exercising the functions [^{F7}the Appropriate Minister] for the purposes of—

- (a) Council Regulation (EC) No. 1/2005;
- (b) Council Regulation (EC) No. 1255/97;

F8 ...

Textual Amendments

- F1** Word in reg. 18(2)(b) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Animal Welfare (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (S.S.I. 2019/34), regs. 1, **4(5)(a)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F2** Words in reg. 18(2)(b) substituted (6.4.2023) by The Welfare of Animals (Transport) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/287), regs. 1(2), **5(3)(a)**
- F3** Reg. 18(2)(c)(d) omitted (6.4.2023) by virtue of The Welfare of Animals (Transport) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/287), regs. 1(2), **5(3)(b)**
- F4** Reg. 18(2)(g)-(i) omitted (6.4.2023) by virtue of The Welfare of Animals (Transport) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/287), regs. 1(2), **5(3)(b)**
- F5** Reg. 18(2)(j) omitted (14.12.2019) by virtue of The Official Controls (Agriculture etc.) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (S.S.I. 2019/412), regs. 1(1), **21**
- F6** Words in reg. 18(3)(a) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Animal Welfare (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (S.S.I. 2019/34), regs. 1, **4(5)(b)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F7** Words in reg. 18(4) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Animal Welfare (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (S.S.I. 2019/34), regs. 1, **4(5)(c)(i)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F8** Words in reg. 18(4) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Animal Welfare (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (S.S.I. 2019/34), regs. 1, **4(5)(c)(ii)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Welfare of Animals (Transport) (Scotland) Regulations 2006, Section 18.