
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The African Horse Sickness (Scotland) Order 2012

PART 7

Vaccination

Prohibition on vaccination except in certain cases

- 22.** A person must not vaccinate a horse against African horse sickness except—
- (a) in accordance with this Order; or
 - (b) under the authority of a licence granted by a veterinary inspector.

Compulsory vaccination

- 23.**—(1) The Scottish Ministers may declare a vaccination zone, other than in a surveillance zone.
- (2) Where a vaccination zone has been declared, any occupier of premises inside that zone must, subject to paragraph (4), ensure the vaccination of horses on their premises in accordance with that declaration.
- (3) Premises partly inside and partly outside a vaccination zone are treated as being inside that zone.
- (4) A veterinary inspector may serve a notice on any person in possession or charge of a horse, other than one kept in a surveillance zone, requiring that person to vaccinate the horse in accordance with the notice (whether or not a vaccination zone has been declared under paragraph (1)).

Vaccinated horses

- 24.**—(1) The person in possession or charge of a horse that has been vaccinated against African horse sickness must ensure that the horse is identified by way of a microchip and a record of such horse having been vaccinated is kept.
- (2) Except under the authority of a licence granted by a veterinary inspector, no person may move a vaccinated horse from the premises where it was vaccinated until at least 60 days have elapsed since—
- (a) the date of the vaccination; or
 - (b) if the vaccination includes a course of doses, the date of the final dose.