



Animal Welfare Act 2006

2006 CHAPTER 45

Introductory

2 “Protected animal”

An animal is a “protected animal” for the purposes of this Act if—

- (a) it is of a kind which is commonly domesticated in the British Islands,
- (b) it is under the control of man whether on a permanent or temporary basis, or
- (c) it is not living in a wild state.

Commencement Information

- 11** S. 2 in force at 27.3.2007 for W. by S.I. 2007/1030, art. 2(1)(a)
- 12** S. 2 in force at 6.4.2007 for E. by S.I. 2007/499, art. 2(2)(a)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Animal Welfare Act 2006, Section 2.