



Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948

1948 CHAPTER 45 11 and 12 Geo 6

PART III CONTROL OF INJURIOUS ANIMALS, BIRDS AND WEEDS

Amendments of Law relating to Killing of Hares and Rabbits

49 Provision as to use of poisonous substances.

A person shall not be guilty of an offence under section seven of the ^{M1}Protection of Animals (Scotland) Act, 1912, by reason only that he uses poisonous gas, or places a substance which, by evaporation or in contact with moisture, generates poisonous gas, in any hole, burrow or earth for the purpose of killing animals to which section thirty-nine of this Act applies.

Marginal Citations

M1 1912 c. 14.

Changes to legislation:

Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948, Section 49 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 11 July 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 50(2A) inserted by [2024 asp 4 s. 8\(2\)\(b\)](#)