

SCHEDULE 3

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR KILLING ANIMALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH RELIGIOUS RITES

PART 3

Birds

Method of killing

7. Any person engaged in the killing of a bird in accordance with religious rites without prior stunning must ensure—

- (a) the bird is killed by the severance of both of its carotid arteries by rapid, uninterrupted movements of a hand-held knife; and
- (b) the knife to be used for killing is—
 - (i) undamaged; and
 - (ii) of sufficient size and sharpness to kill each bird in the manner described in paragraph (a).

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Welfare of Animals at the Time of Killing (England) Regulations 2015, Paragraph 7.