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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 787**

**The Animals and Animal Products (Examination  
for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits)  
(England and Scotland) Regulations 2015**

**PART 2**

**Prohibitions and Exceptions**

**Prohibition on administration of beta-agonists or hormonal substances**

**5.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), no person may administer or knowingly cause or permit to be administered to any animal any product which is, or which contains, a substance listed in Annex II or III to Council Directive 96/22.

(2) The prohibition in paragraph (1) does not apply to the administration of a compliant veterinary medicinal product—

- (a) containing testosterone, progesterone or a derivative of these substances which readily yields the parent compound on hydrolysis after absorption at the site of application, if the administration is in accordance with regulation 26;
- (b) containing allyl trenbolone or a beta-agonist, if the administration is in accordance with regulation 27; or
- (c) having oestrogenic action (but not containing oestradiol 17b or its ester-like derivatives), androgenic action or gestagenic action, if the administration is in accordance with regulation 28.

(3) In paragraph (2), “compliant veterinary medicinal product” means a veterinary medicinal product which complies with the requirements of regulation 25.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** [Reg. 5](#) in force at 1.7.2015, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits)(England and Scotland) Regulations 2015, Section 5.