
WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 951

The Welfare of Animals at the Time
of Killing (Wales) Regulations 2014

PART 6

Enforcement

Power to enter premises

35.—(1) An inspector may, on giving reasonable notice, enter any premises at a reasonable hour for the purpose of executing or enforcing the EU Regulation and these Regulations, and in this Part, “premises” (“*mangre*”) includes any land, building, shed, pen, receptacle or vehicle of any description.

(2) The requirement to give notice does not apply—

- (a) where the requirement has been waived by the occupier;
- (b) where reasonable efforts to agree an appointment have failed;
- (c) where an inspector has reasonable suspicion of a failure to comply with the EU Regulation or these Regulations;
- (d) where an inspector reasonably believes that giving notice would defeat the object of the entry; or
- (e) in an emergency where entry is required urgently.

(3) Paragraph (1) does not apply in relation to any premises which are used wholly or mainly as a private dwelling house unless a right of entry is conferred by a warrant granted under regulation 36.

(4) An inspector must, if requested to do so, produce a duly authenticated authorisation document.

(5) An inspector who enters any unoccupied premises must leave them as effectively secured against unauthorised entry as they were before entry.

[^{F1}(6) An inspector may be accompanied by such other persons as the inspector considers necessary.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Reg. 35(6) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Animal Health and Welfare \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Wales\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \(S.I. 2019/684\)](#), regs. 1(2), **5(6)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
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Commencement Information

- I1** Reg. 35 in force at 20.5.2014, see [reg. 1\(c\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Welfare of Animals at the Time of Killing (Wales) Regulations 2014, Section 35.