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**The Agricultural Support (Miscellaneous
Amendments) (Wales) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021**

PART 2

Rural Development: Horizontal Legislation

Amendment of Regulation (EU) No. 1306/2013

2.—(1) Regulation (EU) No. 1306/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the financing, management and monitoring of the common agricultural policy⁽¹⁾, is amended, insofar as it relates to domestic support for rural development, as follows.

(2) For the heading of Article 8 substitute “Powers”.

(3) In Article 12—

(a) in paragraph 1—

(i) for “must” substitute “may”;

(ii) for “shall”, in the second sentence, substitute “may”;

(b) in paragraph 2—

(i) after point (a) insert—

“(aa) maintenance of the agricultural area as referred to in point (c) of Article 4(1) Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013;”;

(ii) omit point (e);

(c) omit paragraph 3.

(4) Omit Articles 13 to 15.

(5) Omit Article 32.

(6) Omit Article 46.

(7) In Article 54—

(a) in paragraph 1, omit “within 18 months”;

(b) in paragraph 3(a)—

(i) in point (i), for “EUR 100” substitute “£100”;

(ii) in point (ii)—

(aa) for “EUR 100” substitute “£100”;

(bb) for “EUR 250” substitute “£250”.

(8) Omit Article 56.

⁽¹⁾ EUR 2013/1306, amended in relation to support for rural development by [S.I. 2020/90](#) and [576](#). EUR 2013/1306 is amended by [S.I. 2019/748](#) (as amended by [S.I. 2019/831](#)), [763](#) (as amended by [S.I. 2019/812](#)), [831](#) and [1402](#). However, by virtue of the amendments in [S.I. 2020/1445](#), these amendments do not have effect in relation to rural development support.

- (9) In Article 59(4), for “retained direct EU legislation regarding agricultural aid and rural development support” substitute “sectoral agricultural legislation”.
- (10) In Article 67(4)(a), after “continuous area of land” insert “within Wales”.
- (11) In Article 69—
 - (a) omit the final sentence of paragraph 1;
 - (b) omit paragraph 2.
- (12) In Article 70(1)—
 - (a) omit “and, as from 2016, at a scale of 1:5 000,”;
 - (b) omit the second subparagraph.
- (13) In Article 72(5), for “By way of derogation from Council Regulation (EEC, Euratom) No 1182/71, the” substitute “The”.
- (14) In Article 84(6), for “EUR 40 000” substitute “£40 000”.
- (15) In Article 91(3)(a), for “the United Kingdom” substitute “Wales”.
- (16) In Article 97(3), for “EUR 100” substitute “£100”.
- (17) In Article 105(2), for the final sentence substitute “They shall be granted or collected in sterling.”
- (18) Omit Article 108.
- (19) Omit the final subparagraph of Article 111(1).
- (20) In Article 112, in the first paragraph, for “EUR 1250” substitute “£1250”.
- (21) In Article 114, for the heading substitute “Powers”.
- (22) Omit Annex I.
- (23) In Annex II, in the row “Landscape, minimum level of maintenance”, in the fourth column, after “measures for avoiding invasive plant species” insert—
 - “. Restrictions on converting, ploughing or reseeded environmentally sensitive permanent grassland.”