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The Environmental Protection Act 1990 (Anglers' Lead Weights) (England) Regulations 2015

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Message

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No abre el plazo - Nezahtuje odlady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

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4. Notification Number

2014/0636/UK - S30E

5. Title

The Environmental Protection Act 1990 (Anglers' Lead Weights) (England) Regulations 2015

6. Products Concerned

Lead weights for fishing lines.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

Draft regulation prohibits the supply of lead shot in the form of a weight of more than 0.06 grams and less than 28.35 grams for the purpose of weighting fishing lines.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Wildlife, particularly swans, have died after ingesting lead shot for weighting fishing lines that have been lost or discarded by fishermen. The regulation is intended to protect wildlife against the harmful effects of lead by banning the supply of lead shot for fishing lines in the above weight range. There is no evidence to suggest that lighter or heavier weights have resulted in the death of swans or other wildlife. Non-toxic alternative products have been developed and are available on the market.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

No Basic Text exists

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No



15. Impact assessment

Impact assessment not available.

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

SPS aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

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