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2. Member State

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3. Department Responsible

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3. Originating Department

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5. Title

The Specified Animal Pathogens Order 1997

6. Products Concerned

Specified animal pathogens

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

This Order replaces the Specified Animal Pathogens Order 1993 which implemented the provisions in Council Directive 92/118/EEC relating to pathogens. It updates the list of specified animal pathogens, the possession and spread of which are subject to controls under the Order. It also expands the definition of a specified animal pathogen to include nucleic acids which contain a sufficient proportion of a pathogenic genome to enable the production of an infectious pathogen when introduced into a suitable host cell.

The UK will fulfil its obligation under Article 12 of Directive 83/189/EEC (as amended) when these Regulations are officially published.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The Order is designed to protect the livestock industry by preventing the escape of specified animal pathogens from establishments in which they are being held for scientific and other purposes. With the exception of viral haemorrhagic disease in rabbits, the specified pathogens are not endemic to the United Kingdom and would, if introduced, cause serious disease and economic loss to the livestock industry.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

The draft Specified Animal Pathogens Order 1997

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

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12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality



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14. Fiscal measures

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