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## Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill (Amendment Paper)

This document lists all amendments tabled to the Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill. Any withdrawn amendments are listed at the end of the document. The amendments are arranged in the order in which it is expected they will be decided.

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**Jim McMahon**

**NC1**

Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

To move the following Clause—

**“Compulsory microchipping of cats**

The Secretary of State must, within six months of the date of Royal Assent to this act, make regulations requiring that cats in England over a certain age be microchipped.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause would require the Secretary of State to make regulations for the compulsory microchipping of cats within six months of the Act being passed.

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**Sarah Champion**

**NC3**

Andrew Rosindell

To move the following Clause—

**“Zoos Expert Committee**

The Secretary of State must publish—

- (a) requests from the Secretary of State for advice from the Zoos Expert Committee,

- (b) advice received by the Secretary of State from the Zoos Expert Committee, and
- (c) responses from the Secretary of State to advice issued by the Zoos Expert Committee.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause would require the advice given by the Zoos Expert Committee and the responses given by the Secretary of State to be published.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

**NC4**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

To move the following Clause—

**“Transport of live animals**

- (1) Schedule [*transport of live animals*] Part 1 amends retained Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 of 22 December 2004 on the protection of animals during transport so as to—
  - (a) amend chapter V of Annex I to decrease the maximum journey time to 8 hours;
  - (b) amend Chapter VI of Annex I so as to apply to all journeys;
  - (c) amend Chapter VI of Annex I to increase the lower and decrease the upper temperature requirements;
  - (d) increase space allowances for certain species listed in Chapter VII of Annex I;
  - (e) provide minimum standards for headroom height for certain species listed in Chapter VII Annex I.
- (2) Schedule [*transport of live animals*] Part 2 amends the Welfare of Animals (Transport) (England) Order 2006 so as to remove the derogations for means of transport by road on journeys under 12 hours as listed under part 3 so as to improve the welfare standards.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

Subsection (1) is intended to decrease the maximum journey time to 8 hours; apply to all journeys; increase the lower and decrease the upper temperature requirements; increase space allowances; and provide minimum standards for headroom height. Subsection (2) is intended to remove derogations that apply to journeys under 12 hours and improve welfare standards.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

**NC5**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

To move the following Clause—

**“Minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea**

From the date this provision comes into effect, no farmed animals may be transported by sea unless—

- (a) the wind intensity is Beaufort Force 5 or less; and
- (b) the vessel used is certified in accordance with section [*vessel certification*].”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause ensures that the wind force is Beaufort Force 5 or below and that the vessel used is appropriate for the expected conditions of a journey.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

**NC6**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

To move the following Clause—

**“Vessel certification**

- (1) The Secretary of State must by regulations introduce a certification system to ensure that only suitable vessels are used to transport farmed animals by sea.
- (2) When determining what is suitable under subsection (1) the Secretary of State must have regard to any aspect of the vessel that will cause an animal suffering above and beyond the normal suffering caused by being transported by sea. Such considerations will include—
  - (a) the weather conditions a vessel can comfortably transport animals in;
  - (b) the ventilation in the vessel;
  - (c) the internal infrastructure of the vessel; and
  - (d) the size of the vessel.
- (3) In subsection (2)(d) above the size of the vessel includes, but is not limited to, its tonnage, length, beam and draft.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause places an obligation on the Secretary of State to implement a certification system that ensures only suitable vessels are used. The Secretary of State must ensure that the certification system is designed to reduce animal suffering when being transported by sea.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

**NC7**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

To move the following Clause—

**“Offences (No. 2)**

- (1) A person who contravenes section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*] commits an offence.
- (2) A person who commits an offence under subsection (1) is liable—
  - (a) on summary conviction in England and Wales, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 51 weeks, to a fine or to both;
  - (b) on summary conviction in Scotland, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 months, to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale or to both.
- (3) In relation to an offence committed before the coming into force of section 281(5) of the Criminal Justice Act 2003, the reference in subsection (5)(a) to 51 weeks is to be read as a reference to 6 months.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause prescribes the penalties for offences under the Act.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

**NC8**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

To move the following Clause—

**“Powers to make provision in connection with Council Regulation 1/2005**

- (1) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision to ensure compliance under Article 5 (3) Council Regulation 1/2005.
- (2) The provision that may be made under subsection (1) includes (amongst other things) any provision that the Secretary of State considers appropriate for, or in connection with—
  - (a) weather conditions where animals cannot be transported; and
  - (b) requirements for suitable planning, execution and compliance of a journey.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause recognises that there is already an obligation placed on those transporting animals to take into account the weather conditions and to conduct suitable planning under Council Regulation 1/2005. With that in mind it provides the Secretary of State with a power to implement a system to ensure compliance with those obligations.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

**NC9**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

To move the following Clause—

**“Power to make provision in connection with the enforcement of section  
[*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*]**

- (1) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision about the enforcement of section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*].
- (2) The provision that may be made under subsection (1) includes (amongst other things) any provision that the Secretary of State considers appropriate for, or in connection with—
  - (a) preventing, detecting, investigating or punishing contraventions of section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*], or
  - (b) other than in relation to Scotland, prosecuting offences under section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*].
- (3) Regulations under subsection (1) may (amongst other things)—
  - (a) confer a function (including a function involving the exercise of a discretion) on a specified person;
  - (b) make provision about the keeping of records or the provision of information;
  - (c) confer a power of entry (whether or not on the authority of a warrant);
  - (d) confer a power of inspection, search, seizure or detention (whether or not on the authority of a warrant);
  - (e) authorise, or make provision for the authorisation of, the use of reasonable force in connection with a power mentioned in paragraph (c) or (d);
  - (f) confer a power to impose a civil sanction on a person who—
    - (i) contravenes section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*] or a provision of the regulations, or
    - (ii) obstructs, or fails to assist in, the exercise of a function conferred by the regulations
  - (g) make provision for the revocation of a person’s licence, authorisation or other approval required by or under any enactment for the transport of live animals, where the person—
    - (i) contravenes section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*] or a provision of the regulations, or
    - (ii) obstructs, or fails to assist in, the exercise of a function conferred by the regulations;
  - (h) create a criminal offence in relation to—
    - (i) the contravention of a provision of the regulations, or
    - (ii) obstructing, or failing to assist in, the exercise of a function conferred by the regulations;
  - (i) create a right of appeal;
  - (j) apply, or make provision corresponding to, any provision of, or which may be made under, the Animal Health Act 1981 relating to the execution or enforcement of that Act, with or without modifications;

- (k) apply, or make provision corresponding to, any provision that may be made under section 12 of the Animal Welfare Act 2006 or section 26 of the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006 relating to the enforcement of provision made under the section concerned, with or without modifications;
  - (l) amend or revoke any retained direct EU legislation.
- (4) For the purposes of this section, “civil sanction” means a sanction of a kind for which provision may be made under Part 3 of the Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Act 2008 (fixed monetary penalties, discretionary requirements, stop notices and enforcement undertakings).
- (5) Regulations under subsection (1) may include provision for the imposition of a civil sanction whether or not—
  - (a) the conduct in respect of which the sanction is imposed constitutes an offence,
  - (b) the person imposing it is a regulator for the purposes of Part 3 of the Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Act 2008, or
  - (c) the Secretary of State may make provision for the imposition of sanctions under that Part.
- (6) Where regulations under subsection (1) contain provision creating a criminal offence, the provision must have the effect that—
  - (a) the offence is triable summarily only, and
  - (b) the offence is punishable only with a fine.
- (7) Regulations under subsection (1) may only confer a power of entry to a private dwelling without the consent of the occupier, or with the use of reasonable force, on—
  - (a) in England and Wales, the authority of a warrant issued by a justice of the peace, or
  - (b) in Scotland, the authority of a warrant issued by a sheriff or a justice of the peace.
- (8) In this section “specified” means specified or described in regulations made under subsection (1).”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause provides the Secretary of State with powers to create an enforcement framework for the provisions relating to transporting animals by sea.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

**NC10**

To move the following Clause—

**“Definitions**

“Transportation by sea” includes any exports by sea and any shipments within British waters.

“Farmed animal” means any animal commonly farmed in the United Kingdom.

“Council Regulation 1/2005” means Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 on the protection of animals during transport and related operations and amending Directives 64/432/EEC and 93/119/EC and Regulation (EC) 1255/97.”

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**Jim McMahon**

**NC14**

Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

To move the following Clause—

**“Regulation of the keeping of hunting dogs**

- (1) The Secretary of State must, within 12 months of the date of Royal Assent to this Act, make regulations providing for licensing of the keeping of one or more dogs used for the purposes of hunting.
- (2) Regulations made under this section must make provision for assuring the health and welfare of dogs used for the purposes of hunting.
- (3) It shall be an offence to keep a dog which is used for hunting without a licence.
- (4) For the purposes of this section, “hunting” includes, but is not limited to—
  - (a) hunting any animal; and
  - (b) trail hunting or other hunt simulation.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause would require the Secretary of State to make regulations for licensing of the keeping of one or more dogs used for the purposes of hunting with a view to assuring the health and welfare of those dogs.

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**Henry Smith**

**NC15**

Chris Loder  
Sir Roger Gale

To move the following Clause—

**“Handling of laying hens during catching and loading**

- (1) A person may not catch, lift or carry a hen, or cause or permit a hen to be caught, lifted or carried, by one or both legs.

- (2) A person does not contravene subsection (1) if the person catches a hen by one or both legs where this is the only practicable way of catching her provided that as soon as possible the person catching the hen places her in an upright position.
- (3) A person may not catch, lift or carry more than one hen in each hand, or cause or permit more than one hen to be caught, lifted or carried in each hand.
- (4) A person may not place a hen, or cause or permit a hen to be placed, in a device for transporting hens that does not have sufficient height to enable the hens to stand upright without difficulty.
- (5) A person may not supply or provide a device for transporting hens that does not have sufficient height to enable the hens to stand upright without difficulty.
- (6) A person may not place a hen roughly, or cause or permit a hen to be placed roughly, in a device for transporting hens.
- (7) A person may not place a hen, or cause or permit a hen to be placed, in a device for transporting hens in such a manner that her head, wings or legs are trapped in or between the devices for transporting hens.
- (8) A person may not transport a hen, or cause or permit a hen to be transported, where her head, wings or legs are trapped in or between the devices for transporting hens.
- (9) A person who contravenes subsection (1) or subsections (3) to (8) commits an offence.
- (10) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 51 weeks, to a fine or to both.
- (11) In relation to an offence committed before the coming into force of section 281(5) of the Criminal Justice Act 2003, the reference in subsection (10) to 51 weeks is to be read as a reference to 6 months.
- (12) In this section "laying hen" means a hen of the species *Gallus gallus*.
- (13) This section extends to England."

**Member's explanatory statement**

Where egg-laying hens are being caught and loaded for transport to the slaughterhouse, this new clause would create a new offence relating to a number of actions which may have the effect of causing distress and injury to the hens.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

Henry Smith  
Tracey Crouch

**NC16**



To move the following Clause—

**“Regulation of scent-based trail hunting**

- (1) The Secretary of State must by regulations make provision about the use of dogs for scent-based trail hunting.
- (2) Regulations under this section must include, but need not be limited to—
  - (a) welfare standards which apply to the keeping and transportation of all dogs used for scent-based trail hunting;
  - (b) a requirement to use non-animal based or replicated synthetic scents for the training of scent-based trail hunting dogs;
  - (c) a requirement to use non-animal based or replicated synthetic scents when laying trails for scent-based hunting;
  - (d) a requirement to lay non-animal based or replicated synthetic scent trails so as to minimise the risk of trail hunting dogs being injured by crossing roads, rail tracks and other hazards;
  - (e) training protocols for ensuring that dogs only follow non-animal based or replicated synthetic scents and do not follow live animal scents when hunting, with a view to avoiding the risk of dogs following live scent trails and being injured by crossing roads, rail tracks and other hazards.”

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Henry Smith

NC17

To move the following Clause—

**“Prohibition of keeping of laying hens and pullets in cages**

- (1) A person commits an offence if the person keeps a laying hen in an enriched cage or causes or permits a laying hen to be so kept.
- (2) A person commits an offence if the person keeps a pullet in an unenriched or an enriched cage or causes or permits a pullet to be so kept.
- (3) In this section—
  - “enriched cage” means a cage as referred to in Schedule 4 to the Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations;
  - “laying hen” means a hen of the species *Gallus gallus* which has reached laying maturity and is kept for the production of eggs;
  - “pullet” means a young hen of the species *Gallus gallus* which has not reached laying maturity;
  - “unenriched cage” means a cage as referred to in Schedule 3 to the Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations.
- (4) A person who commits an offence under this section is liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 51 weeks, to a fine or to both.
- (5) In relation to an offence committed before the coming into force of section 281(5) of the Criminal Justice Act 2003, the reference in subsection (5) to 51 weeks is to be read as a reference to 6 months.

- (6) This section extends to England.
- (7) This section comes into force on 1 January 2027."

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause would prohibit the use of enriched cages for hens (the use of unenriched cages for hens is already prohibited). It would prohibit the use of both enriched and unenriched cages for pullets (young hens before they reach the age at which they can lay eggs), a proportion of which are also kept in cages.

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**Rob Roberts**

**NC18**

To move the following Clause—

**"Prohibition of transfer of live animals by way of prize**

- (1) Section 11 of the Animal Welfare Act 2006 (transfer of animals by way of sale or prize to persons under 16) is amended as follows.
- (2) In the title, omit "to persons under 16".
- (3) In subsection (3), omit "(4) to".
- (4) In paragraph (3)(a), omit "whom he has reasonable cause to believe to be under the age of 16 years".
- (5) Omit subsections (4) and (5)."

**Member's explanatory statement**

Current legislation allows a live animal to be awarded as a prize to over 16s or to under 16s when accompanied by an adult. This new clause ensures that live animals cannot be awarded as prizes in any circumstances.

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**Bob Seely**

**NC19**

Martyn Day  
Giles Watling  
Sir George Howarth  
Wendy Morton  
Sarah Champion

Andrea Jenkyns  
Henry Smith  
Andrew Rosindell

Mrs Pauline Latham  
Mr Jonathan Lord

James Gray  
Sammy Wilson

To move the following Clause—

**"Prohibition of import of hybrid cats**

- (1) The Secretary of State must within 30 days of Royal Assent make regulations to prohibit the import of hybrid cats from F1 to F4 generations.
- (2) In this section a "hybrid cat" is the product of the breeding of domestic cats with wild non-domestic cats."

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**Bob Seely**

NC20

Martyn Day  
 Giles Watling  
 Sir George Howarth  
 Wendy Morton  
 Sarah Champion

Andrea Jenkyns  
 Henry Smith  
 Andrew Rosindell

Mrs Pauline Latham  
 Mr Jonathan Lord

James Gray  
 Sammy Wilson

To move the following Clause—

**“Prohibition of hybridization of wild non-domestic cats with domestic cats**

The Secretary of State must within 30 days of Royal Assent make regulations to prohibit the hybridization of domestic cats and wild non-domestic cats.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This new clause would prohibit the breeding of domestic cats and wild non-domestic cats to produce hybrid cats. Wild non-domestic cats include exotic felids species such as Servals, Asian leopard cats, Caracals and Jungle cats.

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
 Alex Sobel

Clause 1, page 1, line 7, leave out from “primate” to end of line 8 and insert “under this Chapter”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would prohibit the keeping of primates as pets in England.

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
 Alex Sobel

Clause 1, page 1, line 15, leave out subsection (4)

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
 Alex Sobel

Page 2, line 4, leave out Clause 2

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**Jim McMahon** 16  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 2, line 10, leave out Clause 3

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**Jim McMahon** 17  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 2, line 32, leave out Clause 4

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**Jim McMahon** 18  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 3, line 26, leave out Clause 5

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**Jim McMahon** 19  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 4, line 12, leave out Clause 6

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**Jim McMahon** 20  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 4, line 28, leave out Clause 7

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**Jim McMahon** 21  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 5, line 13, leave out Clause 8

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 6, line 8, leave out Clause 9

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 6, line 30, leave out Clause 10

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 7, line 1, leave out Clause 11

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 7, line 7, leave out Clause 12

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 7, line 16, leave out Clause 13

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 8, line 10, leave out Clause 14

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 8, line 32, leave out Clause 15

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 9, line 26, leave out Clause 16

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**Jim McMahon**

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Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 10, line 22, leave out Clause 17

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**Andrew Rosindell**

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Clause 17, page 10, line 23, leave out subsection (1) and insert—

“(1) It is an offence to sell, keep for sale, offer or expose for sale, transport for sale, advertise for sale, or exchange for anything else, a primate.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would strengthen existing licence conditions on sales to ensure an end to commercial use of primates.

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**Andrew Rosindell**

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Clause 17, page 10, line 25, at end insert—

“(1A) It is an offence to give or otherwise transfer ownership of a primate to a person knowing, or having reasonable grounds to suspect, that the person will keep the primate in England in contravention of section 1(1).”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would allow gifting of primates to licensed keepers, for rehoming purposes and to group single primates as captive population reduces.

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**Jim McMahon** 31  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 10, line 29, leave out Clause 18

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**Andrew Rosindell** 6

Clause 18, page 11, line 7, at end insert—

“(2A) A person does not commit an offence under subsection (1) if the person is the named recipient of a written recommendation to breed the animal for an EAZA Ex situ Programme or European studbook.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would strengthen existing licence conditions to ensure an end to breeding of domestically kept primates, except for licensees and keepers working within genuine zoo-led breeding programmes under the Zoo Licensing Act (1981) and the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986.

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**Jim McMahon** 32  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 11, line 14, leave out Clause 19

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**Jim McMahon** 33  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 11, line 18, leave out Clause 20

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**Jim McMahon** 34  
Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Page 12, line 1, leave out Clause 21

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**Jim McMahon** 35  
 Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
 Alex Sobel

Page 12, line 16, leave out Clause 22

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**Jim McMahon** 36  
 Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
 Alex Sobel

Page 13, line 4, leave out Clause 24

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**Andrew Rosindell** 7

Clause 26, page 16, line 8, at end insert—

- “(10) The Secretary of State may issue guidance to seizing authorities in respect of the exercise of their functions under this section.
- (11) The guidance in subsection (10) must ensure the welfare needs of seized dogs are met whilst seized and detained under this section and must be laid before Parliament within 30 days of the date on which the Secretary of State issued the guidance.
- (12) Seizing authorities must follow the guidance in the exercise of their functions under this section.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would ensure Government oversight over the welfare of dogs seized under the provisions of this section and would require the Government to lay out guidance for the welfare needs of seized dogs before Parliament.

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**Jim McMahon** 2  
 Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
 Alex Sobel

Clause 37, page 23, line 26, at beginning insert “where keeping a dog on a lead of 1.8 metres or less would pose a risk of harm to the person in charge of the dog,”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would broaden the definition of “at large” dogs, by requiring non-exempt dogs in fields with relevant livestock present to be on a lead to be deemed under control unless keeping the dog on a lead poses a risk of harm to the person in charge of the dog.



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**Jim McMahon**

3

Daniel Zeichner  
Ruth Jones  
Alex Sobel

Clause 45, page 30, line 4, leave out "five" and insert "three"

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment would restrict the maximum number of dogs, cats and ferrets that may enter Great Britain in a non-commercial motor vehicle to three.

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**Sir Roger Gale**

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Clause 53, page 37, line 27, at end insert—

"(g) section [*transport of live animals*] and Schedule [*transport of live animals*] come into force on 1 January 2026."

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**Sir Roger Gale**

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Clause 53, page 37, line 27, at end insert—

"(g) section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*], section [*vessel certification*], section [*offences*], section [*powers to make provision in connection with Council Regulation 1/2005*], section [*power to make provision in connection with the enforcement of section [minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea]*], and section [*definitions*], come into force on 1 January 2026."

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**Sir Roger Gale**

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Clause 54, page 38, line 18, at end insert—

"(g) section [*transport of live animals*] and Schedule [*transport of live animals*] extend to England only."

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**Sir Roger Gale**

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Clause 54, page 38, line 18, at end insert—

"(g) section [*minimum requirements for all farmed animals transported by sea*] extends to England only."

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Sir Roger Gale

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To move the following Schedule—

**“SCHEDULE**

**TRANSPORT OF LIVE ANIMALS**

**PART 1**

**AMENDMENTS TO COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) NO 1/2005**

- 1 Retained Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 of 22 December 2004 on the protection of animals during transport is amended as follows.

*Amendment to Article 2 (definitions)*

- 2 In Article 2 (m) for “8 hours” substitute “6 hours”.

*Amendment to Chapter V Annex I (watering and feeding interval, journey times and resting periods)*

- 3 In Chapter V Annex 1 point 1 is amended as follows—

- (1) the heading in point 1 is amended as follows—

for “Domestic Equidae, domestic animals of bovine, ovine, caprine and porcine species” substitute “Equidae, animals of bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, birds, rabbits and poultry species”;

- (2) in point 1.1—

for “The requirements laid down in this Section apply to the movement of domestic Equidae, except registered Equidae, domestic animals of bovine, ovine, caprine and porcine species, except in the case of air transport” substitute “The requirements laid down in this Section apply to the movement of Equidae, except registered Equidae, animals of bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, birds, rabbits and poultry species, except in the case of air transport”;

- (3) omit the following—

- (a) point 1.3;
- (b) point 1.4;
- (c) point 1.5;
- (d) point 1.6;
- (e) point 1.7;
- (f) point 1.8;
- (g) point 1.9.

- 4 In Chapter V Annex 1 point 2 omit the following from 2.1—

“save in the case of a journey lasting less than—

- (a) 12 hours disregarding loading and unloading time; or
- (b) 24 hours for chicks of all species, provided that it is completed within 72 hours after hatching.”.

*Amendment to Chapter VI Annex I (provisions for long journeys)*

- 5 In Chapter VI Annex 1 the heading is amended as follows—  
for “additional provisions for long journeys of domestic equidae and domestic animals of bovine, ovine, caprine and porcine species” substitute “additional provisions for all journeys of equidae and animals of bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, birds, rabbits and poultry species”.
- 6 In Chapter VI Annex 1 point 1 the heading is amended as follows—  
omit “long” from “for all long journeys”.
- 7 In Chapter VI Annex 1 point 3.1 is amended as follows—
- (1) after “maintaining a range of temperatures from 5°C to...” for “30°C” substitute “22°C”;
  - (2) omit “with a +/- 5°C tolerance, depending on the outside temperature.”.

*Amendment to Chapter VII Annex I (space allowances)*

- 8 In Chapter VII Annex I for “Space allowances for animals shall comply at least with the following figures:” substitute—  
“1.1 All equidae and animals of bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, rabbits and poultry species must be transported with enough space to ensure each individual animal has enough space to sit, lie, stand and turn around.”.

*Insert new Chapter VIII Annex I (headroom)*

- 9 Insert the following under the new Chapter VIII—  
“1.1 All equidae and animals of bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, rabbits and poultry species must be transported with enough headroom to stand in their natural position.  
1.2 To ensure 1.1 is satisfied the transporter used must provide 14cm headroom above the head of highest animal in the transporter when stood upright.”.

**PART 2****AMENDMENTS TO THE WELFARE OF ANIMALS (TRANSPORT) (ENGLAND) ORDER 2006**

- 10 The Welfare of Animals (Transport) (England) Order 2006 is amended as follows.

*Amendment to Part 3 (derogations for means of transport by road on journeys under 12 hours)*

- 11 Omit articles 12-19 under Part 3.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

The changes implement a maximum journey time; include birds, rabbits and poultry within the general protections; improve temperature requirements; ensure each animal has enough space to

sit, lie, stand and turn around; ensure each animal has enough headroom; and remove derogations to ensure all the welfare protections are applied.

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**Jim McMahon** 37  
 Daniel Zeichner  
 Ruth Jones  
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Page 39, line 2, leave out Schedule 1

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**Jim McMahon** 38  
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Page 42, line 28, leave out Schedule 2

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**Jim McMahon** 39  
 Daniel Zeichner  
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Page 44, line 6, leave out Schedule 3

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Page 44, line 33, leave out Schedule 4

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**Sarah Champion** 8  
 Andrew Rosindell

Schedule 5, page 49, line 25, leave out from "to" to "education" and insert "a broad range of conservation activities (including species recovery work both in situ and ex situ,"

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment aims to ensure that any conservation measures laid out in the new standards will include the conservation work, such as species recovery work, undertaken within zoos, as well as externally.

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**Sarah Champion**

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Andrew Rosindell

Schedule 5, page 49, line 29, at end insert—

- “(3) In drawing up standards of modern zoo practice, the Secretary of State must—
- (a) consult the Zoos Expert Committee (ZEC), and
  - (b) issue a public consultation seeking the views of zoos, aquariums, and other interested parties, and the Secretary of State must publish the responses to these consultations.
  - (c) the Secretary of State must lay a copy of the standards of modern zoo practice before Parliament.”

**Member's explanatory statement**

This amendment seeks to ensure that the Secretary of State's standards for modern zoo practise are subject to full consultation and scrutiny, both when published and if any further changes are made, by Parliament, zoos and aquariums, other interested parties, and the Zoos Expert Committee.

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## Order of the House

[25 October 2021]

That the following provisions shall apply to the Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill:

**Committal**

1. The Bill shall be committed to a Public Bill Committee.

**Proceedings in Public Bill Committee**

2. Proceedings in the Public Bill Committee shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion on 18 November 2021.
3. The Public Bill Committee shall have leave to sit twice on the first day on which it meets.

**Proceedings on Consideration and Third Reading**

4. Proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings are commenced.
5. Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day.
6. Standing Order No. 83B (Programming committees) shall not apply to proceedings on Consideration and Third Reading.

### **Other proceedings**

7. Any other proceedings on the Bill may be programmed.
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## **Withdrawn Amendments**

The following amendments were withdrawn on 11 January 2022:

NC2

The following amendments were withdrawn on 25 January 2022:

NC11 to NC13