SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No. 81

FOOD

The Poultry Meat, Farmed Game Bird Meat and Rabbit Meat (Hygiene and Inspection) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2005

Made - - - -	*23rd February 2005*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -	*24th February 2005*
Coming into force - -	*17th March 2005*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and extent

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Poultry Meat, Farmed Game Bird Meat and Rabbit Meat (Hygiene and Inspection) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2005 and come into force on 17th March 2005.

(2) These Regulations extend to Scotland only.

Amendment to the Poultry Meat, Farmed Game Bird Meat and Rabbit Meat (Hygiene and Inspection) Regulations 1995

2.—(1) The Poultry Meat, Farmed Game Bird Meat and Rabbit Meat (Hygiene and Inspection) Regulations 1995(**2**) are amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) For regulation 14(2)(b) (general conditions) substitute–

"(b) poultry meat which–

(i) has not been eviscerated or has been obtained from the body of any bird which has not been eviscerated; or

(**1**) 1972 c. 68. Section 2(2) was amended by the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46) ("the 1998 Act"), Schedule 8, paragraph 15(3). The functions conferred on a Minister of the Crown under section 2(2) of the 1972 Act, in so far as within devolved competence, were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the 1998 Act.

(**2**) S.I. 1995/540. Relevantly amended by S.I. 1995/1763, 2148, 2200 and 3205, S.I. 1997/1729, S.S.I. 2000/62, 171 and 288 and S.S.I. 2002/87 and 234.