Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 61(3) of the Animal Welfare Act 2006; draft to lie for forty days, pursuant to section 6(1) of the Statutory Instruments Act 1946, during which period either House of Parliament may resolve that the Order be not made.

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The Code of Recommendations for the Welfare of Livestock: Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens (Revocation) (England) Order 2016

Made - - - -	*****
Laid before Parliament	*22nd February 2016*
Coming into force - -	*27th April 2016*

The Secretary of State makes this Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 17(1) of the Animal Welfare Act 2006(**1**).

In accordance with section 17(3) of that Act, the Secretary of State has consulted such persons appearing to the Secretary of State to represent concerned interests as the Secretary of State considers appropriate.

In accordance with section 61(3) of that Act, a draft of this Order has been laid before Parliament.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Code of Recommendations for the Welfare of Livestock: Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens (Revocation) (England) Order 2016 and comes into force on 27th April 2016.

Revocation of the Code of Recommendations for the Welfare of Livestock: Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens

2. The Code of Recommendations for the Welfare of Livestock: Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens issued on 22nd July 2002 in relation to England is revoked.

(**1**) 2006 c.45. The Secretary of State is the "appropriate national authority" in relation to England as defined in section 62(1). Section 17 applies to the revocation of codes of recommendations for the welfare of livestock issued under section 3 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968 (c.34), in accordance with article 3(1)(c) of S.I. 2007/2711.