

## Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006

## PART 2

## ANIMAL WELFARE

Offences and penalties

## 45 Offences by bodies corporate etc.

- (1) Where an offence under this Part, or under regulations made under this Part, is committed by a body corporate and is committed with the consent or connivance of, or is attributable to the neglect of—
  - (a) a director, manager, secretary or other similar officer of the body, or
  - (b) a person purporting to act in any such capacity,

that person (as well as the body corporate) commits the offence.

- (2) Where the affairs of a body corporate are managed by its members, subsection (1) applies to acts and omissions by members in exercising functions of management as if they were directors of the body corporate.
- (3) Where an offence under this Part, or under regulations made under this Part, is committed by a Scottish partnership and is committed with the consent or connivance of, or is attributable to the neglect of a partner, that partner (as well as the partnership) commits the offence.