



Wildlife and Natural Environment (Scotland) Act 2011

2011 asp 6

PART 2

WILDLIFE UNDER THE 1981 ACT

Annual report on wildlife crime

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After section 26A of the 1981 Act insert—

“26B Annual report on wildlife crime

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, after the end of each calendar year, lay before the Scottish Parliament a report on offences relating to wildlife.
- (2) The report may, in particular, include—
 - (a) information on the incidence and prosecution of such offences during the year to which the report relates;
 - (b) information on research and advice relating to wildlife which the Scottish Ministers consider relevant to such offences.
- (3) The report need only include information in relation to such offences relating to wildlife as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate.
- (4) For the purposes of this section, an offence relating to wildlife is an offence—
 - (a) under Part 1 of this Act; or
 - (b) under any other enactment which the Scottish Ministers consider may have an impact on wildlife.”.

Commencement Information

II S. 20 in force at 2.1.2012 by S.I. 2011/433, art. 2(2)

Status:

Point in time view as at 02/01/2012.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Wildlife and Natural Environment (Scotland) Act 2011, Section 20.