



# Protection of Birds Act 1954

## CHAPTER 30

### PROTECTION OF BIRDS ACT 1954

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#### SCHEDULES

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PART I — AT ALL TIMES

PART II — DURING THE CLOSE SEASON

SECOND SCHEDULE — Wild birds which may be killed or taken at any time by authorised persons

THIRD SCHEDULE — Wild birds which may be killed or taken outside the close season

*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.*

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FOURTH SCHEDULE — Wild birds which may not be sold alive unless close-ringed and bred in captivity

FIFTH SCHEDULE — Amendments in other enactments

- 1 In the Agriculture Act, 1947, in subsection (4) of section...
- 2 In the Agriculture (Scotland) Act, 1948, in subsection (3) of...

SIXTH SCHEDULE — Repeals