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**ANIMALS, WALES**

ANIMAL HEALTH

The Transmissible Spongiform  
Encephalopathies (Wales) Regulations 2008

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THE TRANSMISSIBLE SPONGIFORM  
ENCEPHALOPATHIES (WALES) REGULATIONS 2008

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  13. Offences relating to feedingstuffs containing blood products or blood meal
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