GAME AND WILD BIRDS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 2009

An Ordinance to amend the Game and Wild Birds Ordinance 2008

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ADMINISTRATOR

1st April 2009.

BE it enacted by the Administrator of the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia as follows:—

1. Short Title

This Ordinance may be cited as the Game and Wild Birds (Amendment) Ordinance 2009.

2. Section 38 amended —

Section 38 of the Game and Wild Birds Ordinance 2008(a) is amended by repealing subsection (1) and replacing with the following:

“(1) A person must not carry a shot gun,
(a) within or upon any vehicle;
(b) upon any animal;
(c) in the game season during the hours that hunting is prohibited,

unless both the following conditions are satisfied:

(i) the person is the holder of a game licence or of any licence to carry a shot gun issued under any other legislation, and
(ii) the shotgun is dismantled and stored in a container.

3. Commencement

This Ordinance comes into force on the date of its publication in the Gazette.

Notes
(a) Ordinance 21/08
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the Ordinance)

Introduction

1. This note relates to the Game and Wild Birds (Amendment) Ordinance 2009. It has been prepared by the Office of the Attorney General and Legal Adviser in order to assist the reader of the Ordinance. It does not form part of the Ordinance.

2. This Ordinance amends the provision in the Game and Wild Birds Ordinance 2008 that concerns the carrying of a shot gun on a vehicle, on an animal and during the hunting season in the hours that hunting is prohibited. The effect of the amendment is to impose a further restriction, being that the person carrying the shot gun must be either the holder of a game licence or the holder of a licence to carry a shot gun issued under other legislation. This amendment is intended to replicate the effects of a law in the Republic (5(1)/09) that amends the Protection of Game and Wild Birds Law in the Republic, (Law 152(I)/03).