

Scottish Government

DECLARATION OF SPECIAL MEASURES: CROATIA

THE TRADE IN ANIMALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2012 (SSI 2012/177)

The Scottish Ministers have reasonable grounds for suspecting the existence of peste des petits ruminants in Croatia, such that certain products originating from Croatia are liable to pose risk to human or animal health.

Under regulation 25(1) of the Trade in Animals and Related Products (Scotland) Regulations 2012¹, the Scottish Ministers declare the following special measures to be necessary in Scotland in order to contain the risk to human or animal health:

Suspension of entry into Scotland of products

1. Entry into Scotland is suspended in respect of the following products originating from Croatia:

- (a) untreated hides and skins of ovine and caprine animals;
- (b) untreated wool of ovine and caprine animals;
- (c) untreated hair of ovine and caprine animals.

Interpretation

2. In paragraph 1 of this Declaration:

- (a) “untreated hides and skins” has the same meaning as in paragraph 29 of Annex I to Commission Regulation (EU) No. 142/2011²;
- (b) “untreated wool” has the same meaning as in paragraph 31 of Annex I to Commission Regulation (EU) No. 142/2011;
- (c) “untreated hair” has the same meaning as in paragraph 32 of Annex I to Commission Regulation (EU) No. 142/2011.

Duration of special measures

3. The special measures in this Declaration apply from the beginning of the day after the day on which this Declaration is made until this Declaration is revoked or amended by further declaration.

¹ S.S.I. 2012/177. Regulation 25 amended by S.S.I. 2019/412 and S.S.I. 2020/458.

² EUR 142/2011.

Date made: 18 December 2025

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An import in breach of this declaration is an offence under regulation 33 of the Trade in Animals and Related Products (Scotland) Regulations 2012.