

Animal By-Products

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Overview

- What are Animal By-products?
- Why legislate?
- Overview of legislation
- Role played by APHA, Defra, Scottish Government
- Derogations
- Guidance

ABP Categories



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ABP Categories

Animal by-products

the entire bodies or parts of bodies of animals or products of animal origin not intended for human consumption

- Cat 1: High Risk
- Cat 2: High Risk
- Cat 3: Low Risk

Time-line : EU ABP Regime

- BSE in Europe. FMD UK. 1990-2000
- The first EU-wide animal by-products controls
- Over-burdensome for farmers and industry
- European Commission review 2005
- Update 2011. Domestic Legislation 2013

ABP Legislation

Objective:

To safeguard both
animal and public health
by ensuring that ABPs are
**collected, processed and
used or disposed of
appropriately**



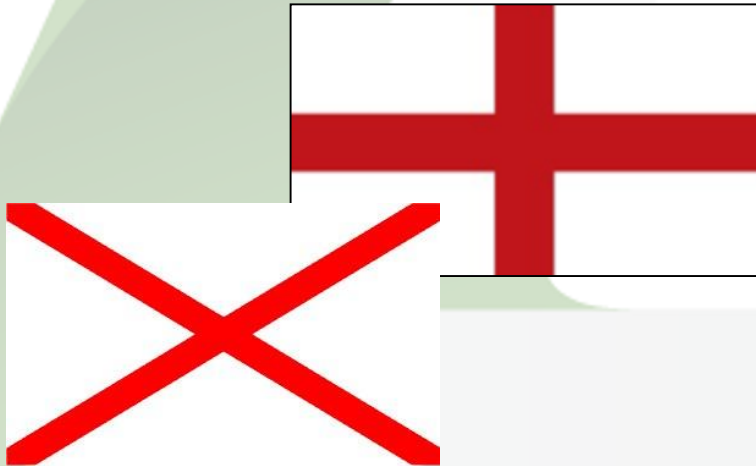
Legislation

- Control Regulation (EC) 1069/2009
- Implementing Regulation (EC) 142/2011



Domestic Legislation

- The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Scotland) Regulations 2013.
The Animal By-Products (Miscellaneous Amendments)(Scotland) Regs
- Similar legislation for each of England, Wales and Northern Ireland
- [Official Feed and Food Controls \(Scotland\) Regulations 2009 \(SSI 2009/446\)](#)
- Fully implement EU Regulations 1069/2009 and 142/2011



Derogations from EU requirements

Scotland makes use of around 39 derogations:

- ABP and derived products for feeding
- ABP and derived products applied to land
- Other authorisations

<http://www.gov.scot/Topics/farmingrural/Agriculture/animal-welfare/ABPs>

Roles

Defra

Scottish Government

Local Authority

Animal & Plant Health Agency (APHA)

Scottish Environmental Protection Agency (SEPA)

Role of defra

- Represent UK in Brussels
- In England & Wales: Liaison
- In England & Wales: Oversight
- Source of Guidance for all devolved administrations

Role of Scottish Government

- Regular contact with APHA / LA
- Liaise with defra (Scottish technical questions)
- May take the lead in EU discussions (Scottish issues)
- Oversee how legislation and Authorisations are working
- Liaison Group meetings with LA
- Source of Guidance

Role of Local Authority

- Advice, Enforcement
Farms,
Butchers shops,
Catering establishments
and other premises
- to respond to reports of animal by-products which
have not been disposed of appropriately.

Animal & Plant Health Agency (APHA)

- Approvals
- Risk Based Inspection of approved sites
- Registration of operators
- Tracing
- Industry engagement
- Stakeholder liaison
- Enforcement



Approval process

- Source of the animal by-product
- Location and design
- Hygiene
- Processing method
- HACCP & validation
- Laboratory details
- Record keeping
- Destination of product



Risk Based APHA Inspection

- To check that approval conditions are being met
- Risk based visit frequency (high risk – monthly)
- Where possible, 50% of visits are unannounced
- Critical inspection of site, process and records

Risk Based Inspection

Risk	Question	Low	Medium	High Risk
Material	What is the highest category of the material being handled?	3	8	12
		Category 3 material and catering waste, low risk category 2 material	Other category 2 material and/or Category 1 pets	SRM and other Category 1
Volume	What is the volume of material being handled in tonnes per week?	0	5	10
		Very low throughput; < 1 tonne	Medium throughput; 1 to 10 tonnes	High throughput; > 10 tonne
Livestock Premises?	What is the possibility of raw material or finished product entering a farmed livestock premises?	0	5	15
		No product entering livestock premises	Potential entry to livestock premises	Majority of output going onto livestock premises
HACCP	Is a principles of system of Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points (HACCP) plan complete and effectively implemented?	0	2	5
		Not required or complete and effectively implemented	Plan generally complete	Frequent problems
Compliance	What is the Operators historical compliance?	0	5	10
		Fully compliant; Issues rapidly resolved	Generally compliant, No major or longstanding unresolved issues	Major issue or frequent minor issues and/or slow to resolve

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Traceability Checks

- Commercial document
- Staining
- Consignment tracing
- Labelling
- Separation
- Reconciliation

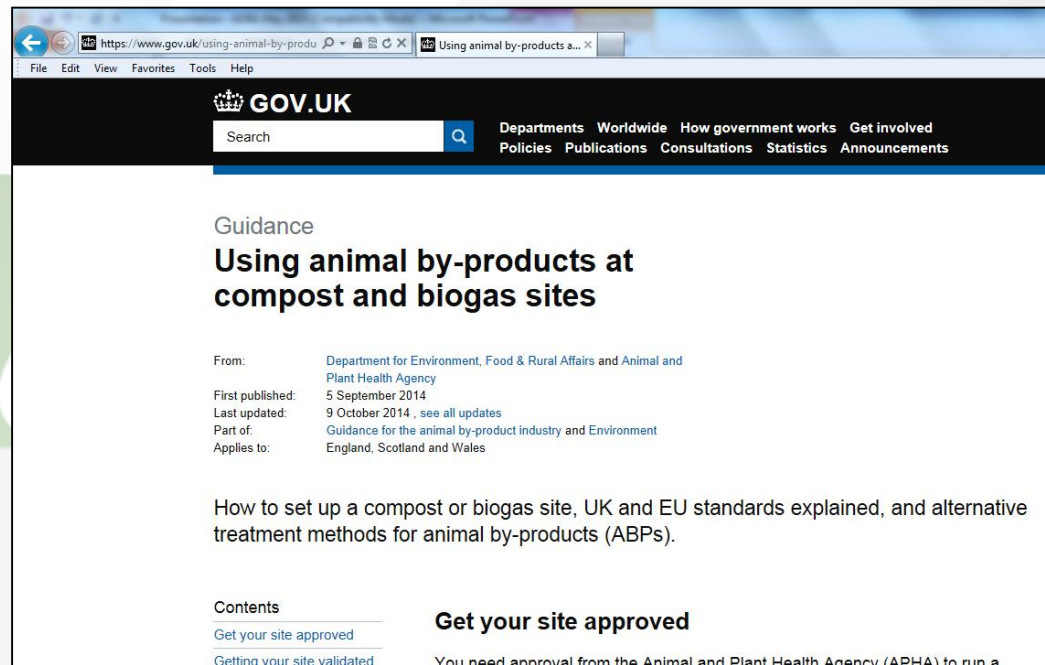
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			1.3. Central competent authority		
			1.4. Local competent authority		
	1.5. Consignee Name Address Postcode Tel.		1.6.		
			1.7.		
	1.8. Country of origin	ISO code	1.9. Region of origin	Code	
	1.10. Country of destination	ISO code	1.11. Region of destination	Code	
	1.12. Place of origin Establishment <input type="checkbox"/> Name Address Postcode		1.13. Place of destination Establishment <input type="checkbox"/> Name Address Postcode		Other <input type="checkbox"/> Approval number
	1.14. Place of loading		1.15. Date of departure		
	1.16. Means of transport Aeroplane <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Identification		Ship <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Railway wagon <input type="checkbox"/>	1.17. Transporter Name Address Postcode Approval number Member State	
	1.18. Description of commodity		1.19. Commodity code (HS code)		
			1.20. Quantity		
	1.21. Temperature of products Ambient <input type="checkbox"/> Chilled <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen <input type="checkbox"/>		1.22. Number of packages		
	1.23. Seal/Container No		1.24. Type of packaging		
	1.25. Commodities certified for: Animal feedingstuff <input type="checkbox"/> Technical use <input type="checkbox"/>				
1.26. Transit through third country Third country Exit point Entry point ISO code Code BIP unit nr.		1.27. Transit through Member States Member State Member State Member State ISO code ISO code ISO code			
1.28. Export Third country Exit point ISO code Code		1.29.			
1.30.					
1.31. Identification of the commodities Species (scientific name) Nature of commodity Category Treatment type Manufacturing plan Batch number					

Enforcement

- APHA has powers to suspend and revoke approvals and to prohibit operations.
- APHA liaises directly with LAs on local enforcement issues.
- Food Standards Scotland enforce in Food Hygiene

Guidance

- Scotland.gov.uk
- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/farmingrural/Agriculture/> animal-welfare/ABPs
- Links to Gov.UK



Guidance

Google search

