

**6. Codes of practice adopted as defences (ss. 25 and 94(2)(d))**

The codes of practice relating to the use, care, welfare, safety or health of animals set out in Schedule 1 are adopted, as they are amended from time to time, under section 94(2)(d) of the Act, and each is a “relevant code of practice” that can be used as a defence under section 25 of the Act.