



**Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru
The National Assembly for Wales**

**ADRODDIAD GAN Y PWYLLGOR DEDDFAU LEGISLATION COMMITTEE REPORT
The Restriction on Pithing (Wales) Regulations 2001**

Background

These Regulations prohibit the use of the technique known as “pithing” in the slaughter of cattle, sheep and goats.

“Pithing” is defined in Regulation 2(2).

Standing Order 11.5

No points have been identified as matters in respect of which the Committee needs to invite the Assembly to pay special attention.

General Observations

The following minor points have been noted –

- In Regulation 1(1) 2000 will need to be corrected to 2001
- Regulation 6(1)(b) refers to compliance with a notice served under the Regulations but there does not appear to be any provision in the Regulations whereby notice may be served.

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Chair, Legislation Committee

27th February 2001