



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

**ADRODDIAD GAN Y PWYLLGOR DEDDFAU      LEGISLATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

**The BSE Monitoring (Wales) Regulations 2001**

**Background**

These Regulations make provision for the implementation in Wales of article 1.2 of Commission Decision 2000/746/EC and Commission Decision 2001/233/EC. These require member States to ensure that certain categories of bovine animals over 30 months of age are examined in accordance with prescribed minimum requirements for monitoring BSE.

A detailed note is to be found in the Explanatory Note.

A regulatory appraisal has not been prepared for these Regulations.

Similar provisions were made for England on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2001 and came into force on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2001, (SI No. 1644).

**Standing Order 11.5**

No points have been identified as matters in respect of which the Committee needs to formally invite the National Assembly to pay special attention under SO 11.5.

**General Observations**

- Regulation 9(1) - to accord with the definition, "the" should appear before "BSE".
- Regulation 9(3)(a) - in the inserted wording the full stop after "carcase" is not appropriate.

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**Chair, Legislation Committee**

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