

1955 No. 1286

WILD BIRDS

The Wild Birds (Sundays) Order, 1955

Made - - - - 15th August, 1955

Coming into Operation 1st September, 1955

In pursuance of the power conferred upon me by subsections (2) and (5) of section two of the Protection of Birds Act, 1954(a), I hereby make the following Order:—

1. The areas specified in the Schedule to this Order shall be prescribed for the purpose of subsection (2) of section two of the Protection of Birds Act, 1954.

2. This Order may be cited as the Wild Birds (Sundays) Order, 1955, and shall come into operation on the first day of September, 1955.

G. Lloyd-George,  
One of Her Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State.

Home Office,  
Whitehall.  
15th August, 1955.

SCHEDULE

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTIES

The administrative counties of—

Caernarvon	Norfolk
Carmarthen	Pembroke
Devon	York, North Riding
Isle of Ely	York, West Riding
Montgomery	

COUNTY BOROUGHS

The county boroughs of—

Doncaster  
Great Yarmouth  
Leeds

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

Under section 2 (2) of the Protection of Birds Act, 1954, any wild bird included in the Third Schedule to the Act may be killed or taken in England or Wales on any day outside the close season for that bird except on Sundays in areas prescribed by order of the Secretary of State. This Order prescribes for this purpose the areas named in the Schedule to the Order, and accordingly it will be an offence to kill or take or attempt to kill or take any wild bird included in the Third Schedule to the Act on Sundays in any of those areas.

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