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WILD BIRDS

The Wild Birds (Lapland Bunting) Order 1979

Made - - - -	30*th March* 1979
Coming into Operation	30*th March* 1979

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 9(1) and 13(1) of the Protection of Birds Act 1954(**a**) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after consulting the Advisory Committee on the Protection of Birds for England and Wales, hereby makes the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Wild Birds (Lapland Bunting) Order 1979 and shall come into operation on 30th March 1979.

2. The Lapland Bunting shall, with respect to England and Wales, be added to Part I of the First Schedule to the Protection of Birds Act 1954.

Peter Shore,

Secretary of State for the Environment.

30th March 1979.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order, which has effect in England and Wales, adds the Lapland Bunting to Part I of the First Schedule to the Protection of Birds Act 1954. Any person who commits an offence against this Act in respect of any of the wild birds included in Part I of the First Schedule to the Act or in respect of the nest or eggs of such a bird is liable to the special penalties provided for in section 12 of the Act.

(**a**) 1954 c. 30.

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