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Statutory Document No. 179/93

THE GAME ACTS 1882 TO 1971

THE GAME ORDER 1993

Approved by Tynwald

15th June 1993

Coming into operation

1st July 1993

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry by section 9(1)(a) and (b) of the Game Act 1957(a), and of all other enabling powers, the following Order is hereby made:-

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Game Order 1993 and, subject to section 9(3) of the Game Act 1957, shall come into operation on the 1st July 1993.

Close seasons

2. (1) The close season for game of a class specified in column 1 of Part 1 of the Schedule shall be the period beginning on the date specified in relation thereto in column 2 of that Part and ending on the date specified in relation thereto in column 3 of that Part.

(2) In this article "close season", in relation to any class of game, means the period prescribed by section 9 of the Game Act 1882(b) during which the killing or taking of game of that class is an offence.

Prohibition on killing or taking of certain game

3. No person shall kill or take any game of the class specified in column 1 of Part 2 of the Schedule during the period beginning on the date specified in column 2 of that Part and ending on the date specified in column 3 of that Part.

Revocation

4. The Game Order 1992(c) is revoked.

(a) XVIII p.884 (b) V p.173 (c) GC 221/92

Articles 2 & 3

SCHEDULE

PART 1

CLOSE SEASONS

<i>Class of game</i>	<i>First day of close season</i>	<i>Last day of close season</i>
Grouse	1st November	24th August
Partridge	1st January	30th September
Pheasant	1st February	31st October
Brown or common hare	1st February	1st October

PART 2

PROHIBITED PERIOD

<i>Class of game</i>	<i>First day of prohibited period</i>	<i>Last day of prohibited period</i>
Grey partridge	1st October	31st December

MADE

12th May

1993



Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order specifies the close seasons for game. The existing close seasons are varied by excluding January in the case of hen pheasants (as for cock pheasants) and excluding December in the case of red-legged partridge. The prohibition on the killing and taking of grey partridge is continued.