SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 3524 of 30 March, 2006

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 32 OF 2006.

ANIMALS AND BIRDS ORDINANCE

IMPORTATION OF DOGS AND CATS (AMENDMENT) NOTICE 2006

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 26 of the Animals and Birds Ordinance, and all other enabling powers, and in order to give further effect to Commission Regulation (EC) No 18/2006 of 6 January 2006 amending Annex to Regulation (EC) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of countries and territories, the Minister for the Environment has made the following Notice–

Title.

1. This Notice may be cited as the Importation of Dogs and Cats (Amendment) Notice 2006.

Amendments to the Importation of Dogs and Cats Notice 2004.

2.(1) The Importation of Dogs and Cats Notice 2004 is amended in accordance with this paragraph.

(2) In paragraph 2(1), for "by Commission Regulation (EC) No 592/2004 of 30 March 2004 amending Regulation (EC) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the lists of countries and territories" substitute "from time to time".

(3) In paragraph 2(2), for "by Commission Regulation (EC) No 592/2004 of 30 March 2004 amending Regulation (EC) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the lists of countries and territories" substitute "from time to time".

(4) In Schedule 1, under the heading "Other States",

- (a) insert in the correct places alphabetically-
- "BL Belarus"

"MX – Mexico"

"RO – Romania

"TT – Trinidad and Tobago"

"TW – Taiwan"; and

(b) for "US – United States of America", substitute "US – United States of America (including Guam)".

Dated this 30th day of March, 2006

J NETTO,

Minister for the Environment.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Notice amends the Importation of Dogs and Cats Notice 2004 to-

1) delete references to Commission Regulation (EC) No 592/2004 which is no longer in force; and

2) add Belarus, Mexico, Romania, Trinidad and Tobago, Taiwan and Guam to the list of countries from which pet dogs and cats may be brought into Gibraltar on fulfilment of the relevant requirements.