

PE2151/K: Grant protected status to primitive goat species in the Scottish Borders

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In principle SFRS encourages biomass control methods utilised by landowners that actively contribute to wildfire prevention or reduction. SFRS acknowledges that goat grazing, whether by prescribed grazing or wild, can contribute towards active wildfire control through reducing fuel load, breaking up continuous fuel and decreasing fire intensity and is both a cost effective and eco-friendly option.