SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Plastic Materials and Articles in Contact with Food (Lid Gaskets) (Scotland) Regulations 2007

Offences and penalties

- **4.**—(1) Any person who—
 - (a) contravenes or fails to comply with the requirements of Article 1 of, as read with the Annex to, the Commission Regulation (requirements relating to lids sealed with gaskets containing certain plastic materials);
 - (b) intentionally obstructs any person acting in the execution of these Regulations;
 - (c) without reasonable excuse, fails to give to any person acting in the execution of these Regulations or the Commission Regulation any assistance or information which that person may reasonably require; or
- (d) in purported compliance with any requirement mentioned in sub paragraph (c), knowingly or recklessly supplies information that is false or misleading in any material particular, is guilty of an offence.
 - (2) Any person convicted of an offence under these Regulations is liable-
 - (a) in the case of an offence under paragraph (1)(a)—
 - (i) on conviction on indictment to a term of imprisonment not exceeding two years or to a fine or both;
 - (ii) on summary conviction to a term of imprisonment not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum or both;
 - (b) in the case of an offence under paragraph 1(b), (c) or (d), to a term of imprisonment not exceeding three months or to a fine not exceeding level five on the standard scale or both.
- (3) Nothing in paragraph (1)(c) is to be construed as requiring any person to answer any question or give any information if to do so might incriminate that person.