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## S C H E D U L E S

### SCHEDULE 2

#### ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS AS TO CONTROL ON ENTRY ETC.

##### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Sch. 2 modified (10.6.1991) by [Criminal Justice \(International Co-operation\) Act 1990 \(c. 5, SIF 39:1\), s. 6\(6\)\(b\); S.I. 1991/1072, art. 2, Sch. Pt.I](#)
- C1 Sch. 2 modified (2.8.1993) by [S.I. 1993/1813, arts. 7\(1\), 1, Sch. 4 para. 1\(1\)](#) (as amended: (1.12.1997) by [S.I. 1994/1405, art. 8, Sch. 4 para. 11](#); (30.7.2000) by [S.I. 2000/1775, arts. 1, 2\(2\)](#); (25.5.2001) by [S.I. 2001/1544, arts. 1\(2\), 6\(3\)](#) (as itself amended (2.1.2008) by [S.I. 2007/3579, art. 2\(2\)\(3\)](#)); (5.8.2014) by [S.I. 2014/1814, arts. 1, 2\(3\)\(4\)](#); and (30.9.2020) by [S.I. 2020/915, arts. 1\(2\), 5\(5\)](#))  
Sch. 2 extended (with modifications): (Guernsey) (1.8.1993) by [S.I. 1993/1796, art. 3\(1\), Sch. 1 Pt. 1](#); (Jersey) (1.8.1993) by [S.I. 1993/1797, art. 3\(1\), Sch. 1 Pt. 1](#) (as amended (17.10.2012) by [S.I. 2012/2593, arts. 1, 2\(2\)](#))  
Sch. 2 applied (20.7.1994) by [S.I. 1994/1895, art. 20\(2\)](#)  
Sch. 2 amended (2.10.2000) by [1999 c. 33, s. 66; S.I. 2000/2444, art. 2, Sch. 1](#) (subject to transitional provisions in [art. 3, Sch. 2 para. 2](#))  
Sch. 2 extended (10.2.2003) (with modifications) by [2002 c. 41, s. 62\(3\)](#) (with [s. 159](#)); [S.I. 2003/1, art. 2, Sch.](#)  
Sch. 2 amended (1.4.2003) by [2002 c. 41, s. 68](#) (with [s. 159](#)); [S.I. 2003/754, art. 2, Sch. 1](#) (with transitional provisions in [arts. 3, 4, Sch. 2](#)) (as amended by [S.I. 2003/1040](#) and [S.I. 2003/1339](#))  
C1 Sch. 2 applied by [The Immigration \(European Economic Area\) Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/1003\), reg. 24\(4\)](#) (as substituted (1.6.2009) by [The Immigration \(European Economic Area\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1117\), reg. 2, Sch. 1 para. 10\(c\)](#))

## PART I

### GENERAL PROVISIONS

##### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Sch. 2 Pt. I applied (with modifications) (2.10.2000) by [1999 c. 33, s. 58\(3\), Sch. 4 Pt. II para. 12; S.I. 2000/2444, art. 2, Sch. 1](#) (subject to transitional provisions in [art. 3, Sch. 2 para. 2](#))  
Sch. 2 Pt. I amended (2.10.2000) by [1999 c. 33, s. 58\(3\), Sch. 4 Pt. II para. 15; S.I. 2000/2444, art. 2, Sch. 1](#) (subject to transitional provisions in [art. 3, Sch. 2 para. 2](#))  
Sch. 2 Pt. I applied (with modifications) (2.10.2000 with application as mentioned in regs. 9, 28) by [S.I. 2000/2326, reg. 32\(3\)\(7\)](#) (as substituted (1.4.2003) for reg. 34(3)(10) by [S.I. 2003/549, reg. 2\(8\)](#) (with [reg. 3](#)))

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### *Detention of persons liable to examination or removal*

- 17 (1) A person liable to be detained under paragraph 16 above may be arrested without warrant by a constable or by an immigration officer.
- (2) If—
- (a) a justice of the peace is by written information on oath satisfied that there is reasonable ground for suspecting that a person liable to be arrested under this paragraph is to be found on any premises; or
  - (b) in Scotland, a sheriff, or a <sup>F1</sup> . . . justice of the peace, having jurisdiction in the place where the premises are situated is by evidence on oath so satisfied; he may grant a warrant authorising any constable [<sup>F2</sup>[<sup>F3</sup>acting for the police area in which the premises are situated,]] or in Northern Ireland any constable, [<sup>F3</sup>at any time or times within one month from the date of the warrant] to enter, if need be by force, the premises named in the warrant for the purpose of searching for and arresting that person.

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in Sch. 2 para. 17(2)(b) repealed (1.10.1996) by 1996 c. 49, s. 12(1)(3), Sch. 2 para. 7, **Sch.4**; **S.I. 1996/2053**, art. 2, **Sch. Pt.III**
- F2** Words repealed by **S.I. 1989/1341 (N.I. 12)**, art. 90(2)(3), **Sch. 7 Pt. I**
- F3** Words repealed (E.W.) by **Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984** (c. 60, SIF 95), s. 119, **Sch. 7 Pt. I**

#### **Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** Sch. 2 para. 17(1) amended (2.8.1993) by **S.I. 1993/1813**, arts. 6, 1, **Sch. 3 Pt. 1 para. 2(2)(a)**; Sch. 2 para. 17(1) amended by the said **S.I. 1993/1813**, arts. 6, 7, Sch. 3 para. 2, **Sch. 4** as incorporated (with modifications) (1.12.1997) by **S.I. 1994/1405**, arts. 6, 8, Sch. 3 para. 3, **Sch. 4 para. 11** Table

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