

Arms Control and Disarmament (Inspections) Act 1991

1991 CHAPTER 41

Preliminary

1 Interpretation etc

- (1) In this Act "the Protocol" means the Protocol on Inspection incorporated in the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe signed in Paris on 19th November 1990.
- (2) In this Act—
 - (a) "challenge inspection" means an inspection conducted pursuant to Section VIII of the Protocol (challenge inspections within specified areas);
 - (b) "inspector" has the meaning given by Section I of the Protocol (definitions); and
 - (c) (subject to subsection (3) below) "escort team", "inspection team" and "specified area" shall be construed, in relation to any challenge inspection, in accordance with that Section.

(3) In this Act—

- (a) any reference to an escort team includes a reference to an escort team in which any liaison officer is included pursuant to paragraph 2 of Section V of the Protocol (procedures upon arrival at point of entry and exit); and
- (b) any reference to an inspection team includes a reference to an inspection team in which any inspector is included pursuant to paragraph 1 of Section VI of the Protocol (general rules for conducting inspections).
- (4) For ease of reference the following provisions of the Protocol are set out in the Schedule to this Act, namely—
 - (a) certain definitions contained in Section I; and
 - (b) Section VI.