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## SCHEDULES

### <sup>F1</sup>SCHEDULE 3

#### AUDIBLE INTRUDER ALARMS

##### Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 3 repealed (E.W.) (6.4.2006 for E., 18.1.2008 for W.) by [Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005 \(c. 16\)](#), s. 108(1)(2), [Sch. 5 Pt. 7](#); S.I. 2006/795, art. 2(3), Sch. 2; S.I. 2007/3371, art. 2(c)

PROSPECTIVE

#### <sup>F1</sup> Entry to premises

- 7 (1) If, on an application made by an officer of the local authority who has been authorised (whether generally or specially) for that purpose, a justice of the peace is satisfied—
- that an intruder alarm installed on or in any premises is operating audibly more than one hour after it was activated,
  - that the audible operation of the alarm is such as to give persons living or working in the vicinity of the premises reasonable cause for annoyance,
  - where notification of any current key-holders has been given in accordance with paragraph 5(1)(b), that the officer has taken steps to obtain access to the premises with their assistance, and
  - that the officer has been unable to obtain access to the premises without the use of force,
- the justice may issue a warrant authorising the officer to enter the premises, if need be by force.
- (2) Before applying for such a warrant, an officer shall leave a notice at the premises stating—
- that the audible operation of the alarm is such as to give persons living or working in the vicinity reasonable cause for annoyance, and
  - that an application is to be made to a justice of the peace for a warrant authorising the officer to enter the premises and turn off the alarm.
- (3) An officer shall not enter premises by virtue of this paragraph unless he is accompanied by a constable.
- (4) A warrant under this paragraph shall continue in force until the alarm has been turned off and the officer has complied with paragraph 10.]

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