## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2004 No. 1495

# The Ship and Port Facility (Security) Regulations 2004

## PART 5

### OFFENCES RELATING TO DULY AUTHORISED OFFICERS

#### Offences and penalties

**12.**—(1) A person who—

- (a) intentionally obstructs a duly authorised officer acting in the exercise of a power conferred upon him by the EC Regulation or these Regulations, or
- (b) falsely pretends to be a duly authorised officer,

commits an offence.

(2) A person guilty of an offence under paragraph (1)(a) is liable —

- (a) on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding [<sup>F1</sup>the statutory maximum], or
- (b) on conviction on indictment, to a fine or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years.

(3) A person guilty of an offence under paragraph (1)(b) is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale.

#### **Textual Amendments**

**F1** Words in reg. 12(2)(a) substituted (1.7.2005) by The Ship and Port Facility (Security) (Amendment) Regulations 2005 (S.I. 2005/1434), regs. 1, **2(3)** 

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Ship and Port Facility (Security) Regulations 2004, Section 12.