

SCHEDULE 3

Stop notices

Offences

6.—(1) Where a person on whom a notice is served does not comply with it within the time limit specified in the notice, the person is guilty of an offence and liable—

- (a) on summary conviction, to [^{F1}a fine], or imprisonment for a term not exceeding [^{F2}the general limit in a magistrates' court], or both, or
- (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years, or a fine, or both.

(2) In the application of this paragraph in relation to an offence committed before [^{F3}2nd May 2022] the reference in sub-paragraph (1)(a) to [^{F4}the general limit in a magistrates' court] is to be read as a reference to six months.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in Sch. 3 para. 6(1)(a) substituted (12.3.2015) by The Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 (Fines on Summary Conviction) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/664), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 81** (with reg. 5(1))
- F2** Words in Sch. 3 para. 6(1)(a) substituted (7.2.2023 at 12.00 p.m.) by The Judicial Review and Courts Act 2022 (Magistrates' Court Sentencing Powers) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/149), regs. 1(2), 2(2), **Sch. Pt. 2** table
- F3** Words in Sch. 3 para. 6(2) substituted (28.4.2022) by The Criminal Justice Act 2003 (Commencement No. 33) and Sentencing Act 2020 (Commencement No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/500), regs. 1(2), 5(2), **Sch. Pt. 2**
- F4** Words in Sch. 3 para. 6(2) substituted (7.2.2023 at 12.00 p.m.) by The Judicial Review and Courts Act 2022 (Magistrates' Court Sentencing Powers) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/149), regs. 1(2), 2(2), **Sch. Pt. 2** table

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Environmental Civil Sanctions (England) Order 2010, Paragraph 6.