

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations bring into force the Authority-to-Carry Scheme 2015 (“the Scheme”), whereby a carrier must seek authority to carry persons on inbound or outbound journeys to and from the UK who come within the scope of the Scheme. The Scheme specifies the classes of carriers to which it applies, the passengers and crew in respect of whom authority must be requested and sets out the process for carriers to request authority to carry.

The Secretary of State will arrange for this Scheme to be published. The Scheme will also be available on the Home Office website.

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made by the legislation.gov.uk editorial team to The Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 (Authority to Carry Scheme) Regulations 2015. Any changes that have already been made by the team appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulations revoked by [S.I. 2021/323 reg. 4\(1\)](#)