



# Antisocial Behaviour etc. (Scotland) Act 2004

2004 asp 8

## PART 3 **S**

### DISPERSAL OF GROUPS

#### *Authorisations and powers*

#### 22 Powers under section 21: supplementary **S**

- (1) A direction under section 21—
  - (a) may be given orally;
  - (b) may be given to any person individually or to two or more persons together; and
  - (c) may be withdrawn or varied by the constable who gave it.
- (2) A person who, without reasonable excuse, knowingly contravenes a direction given to the person under section 21 shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to—
  - (a) a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale; or
  - (b) imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 months,or to both.

<sup>F1</sup>(3) .....

<sup>F1</sup>(4) .....

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 22(3)(4) repealed (25.1.2018) by [Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(asp 1\)](#), s. 117(2), [sch. 2 para. 18\(b\)](#); [S.S.I. 2017/345](#), art. 3, sch.

**Changes to legislation:**

Antisocial Behaviour etc. (Scotland) Act 2004, Section 22 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 18 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 85B inserted by [2014 asp 14 s. 21\(1\)](#)