

# Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008 2008 asp 5

#### PART 3

#### PUBLIC HEALTH INVESTIGATIONS

## Investigators' powers

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- (1) An investigator entitled to exercise a power under section 22, 23 or 24 must, if requested to do so, produce a document showing that investigator's authority.
- (2) An investigator may require any person to provide the investigator with such facilities and assistance with respect to any matters or things—
  - (a) within that person's control; or
  - (b) in relation to which that person has responsibilities, as are necessary to enable the investigator to exercise any of the powers conferred by sections 22, 23 and 24.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may, by regulations, confer on investigators such powers as Ministers consider necessary for the purposes of public health investigations.
- (4) Regulations under subsection (3) may modify any enactment (including this Act).
- (5) This section and sections 22 to 24 are without prejudice to any other powers conferred on an investigator by—
  - (a) this Act or any other enactment; or
  - (b) any rule of law.