



# Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018

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## PART 4

### FELLING

## CHAPTER 8

### COMPLIANCE

#### *Requests for information*

#### **48 Requests for information**

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may request information described in subsection (2) from a person mentioned in subsection (3).
- (2) The information is information about compliance with—
  - (a) a condition on felling permission,
  - (b) a felling direction (including any condition imposed on it),
  - (c) a restocking direction (including any condition imposed on it),
  - (d) a registered notice to comply,
  - (e) a remedial notice (including any condition imposed on it),
  - (f) a registered remedial notice.
- (3) The persons are—
  - (a) in the case of a condition on felling permission, the person to whom the permission was granted,
  - (b) in the case of a felling direction or a restocking direction, the person to whom the direction was given or an occupier of the land to which the direction relates,
  - (c) in the case of a registered notice to comply, a remedial notice or a registered remedial notice, an owner or occupier of the land to which the notice relates.

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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**49        Requests for information: offence**

- (1) A person commits an offence if the person knowingly or recklessly provides false or misleading information in response to a request for information under section 48.
- (2) A person who commits an offence under subsection (1) is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale.