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**The Microchipping of Dogs (Scotland) Regulations 2016**

**Authorised person**

**11.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), the following persons are “authorised persons” for the purposes of these Regulations—

- (a) any person authorised in writing by the Scottish Ministers;
- (b) any person authorised in writing by a local authority in respect of its area; and
- (c) a constable.

(2) A person authorised under paragraph (1)(a) or (b) is only authorised for the purposes of these Regulations to the extent of the purposes mentioned in the authorisation.