

SCHEDULES

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FORFEITURE OF PROPERTY UNDER SECTION 275 OR 276

Application of Schedule

- 1 (1) This Schedule applies where—
 - (a) property seized by an enforcement officer in the exercise of any power conferred by this Act is in the possession of the relevant authority,
 - (b) the relevant authority is satisfied that there are reasonable grounds for believing that the property is forfeitable property, and
 - (c) either—
 - (i) no proceedings are being taken against any person in respect of the property, or
 - (ii) any such proceedings have concluded without any order for forfeiture having been made in respect of the property.
- (2) The following property is “forfeitable property”—
 - (a) any item the use of which for sea fishing would in any circumstances constitute an offence under the law of England and Wales;
 - (b) any fish in respect of which, by virtue of the fish failing to meet requirements as to size, an offence under the law of England and Wales has been committed.