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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 2

#### ENFORCEMENT POWERS IN RELATION TO SHIPS

#### PART 2

#### SCOTLAND

#### *Reasonable force*

- 16 A Scottish constable or an enforcement officer may use reasonable force, if necessary, in the performance of functions under this Part of this Schedule.

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#### **Commencement Information**

- II** Sch. 2 para. 16 in force at 8.8.2016 by S.I. 2016/740, reg. 2(e)

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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. 50A(5A) inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 28\(1\)](#)