



Salmon and Freshwater Fisheries (Consolidation) (Scotland) Act 2003

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PART 1

METHODS OF FISHING AND OFFENCES RELATED TO FISHING

Exemptions

28 Exemption from certain offences in respect of acts done for scientific and other purposes: fish other than salmon

- (1) A person shall not be guilty of any contravention of a provision specified in subsection (2) below in respect of any act in relation to fish other than salmon, if that person does the act for—
- (a) some scientific purpose; or
 - (b) the purpose of protecting, improving or developing stocks of fish, and has obtained the previous permission in writing of the Scottish Ministers.
- (2) The provisions are—
- (a) sections 2, 5, 8, 9, 17 or 22 of this Act;
 - (b) section 7 of this Act, so far as it relates to the said section 2; and
 - (c) section 30F(1) of the Control of Pollution Act 1974 (c. 40) (pollution of controlled waters).