

## Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Act 2022

## PART 6

EXEMPTIONS, ENFORCEMENT AND OTHER MATTERS

Powers of constables

## 41 Search for fireworks or pyrotechnic articles without warrant

- (1) If a constable has reasonable grounds for suspecting that a person has committed or is committing an offence under this Act, the constable may—
  - (a) search that person without warrant, and detain the person for such time as is reasonably required to permit the search to be carried out,
  - (b) stop and search a vehicle (and anything on or in it) without warrant,
  - (c) seize and retain any item found in the course of a search which may be relevant to the commission of the offence.
- (2) A constable who detains a person under subsection (1) must give the person the reason for the detention.