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## SCHEDULE ENFORCEMENT POWERS

### *Offences*

- 16 (1) A person commits an offence if the person contravenes [paragraph 14\(1\)](#) without reasonable excuse.
- (2) A person commits an offence if the person intentionally obstructs a constable in the exercise of a relevant power.
- (3) A person who commits an offence under [sub-paragraph \(1\)](#) or [\(2\)](#) is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale.

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#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** Sch. para. 16 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 31\(2\)](#)
- I2** [Sch. para. 16](#) in force at 3.10.2023 by [S.S.I. 2023/262](#), [reg. 2](#)

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