



Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Act 2022

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PART 3

RESTRICTIONS ON SUPPLY AND USE OF FIREWORKS AND PYROTECHNIC ARTICLES

Days of supply and use of fireworks

PROSPECTIVE

24 Restriction on days of use of fireworks

- (1) It is an offence for a person to use fireworks to which this section applies on days other than those specified in subsection (3).
- (2) A person who commits an offence under subsection (1) is liable, on summary conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale (or both).
- (3) The use of fireworks to which this section applies is permitted only between the following days (inclusive of the first and last day specified)—
 - (a) 7 April to 16 April,
 - (b) 27 October to 12 November,
 - (c) 26 December to 2 January,
 - (d) the 3 days immediately preceding the first day of Chinese New Year to the seventh day after the first day of Chinese New Year,
 - (e) the 3 days immediately preceding the first day of Diwali to the seventh day after the first day of Diwali.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations modify subsection (3) to add, amend or remove a day or a period of days.
- (5) Regulations under subsection (4) are subject to the affirmative procedure.

Status: This version of this provision is prospective.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Act 2022, Section 24. (See end of Document for details)

(6) This section is subject to section 38 and schedule 1 (exemptions).

Commencement Information

II S. 24 not in force at Royal Assent, see s. 56(2)

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