



## 2015 CHAPTER 8

### **PART 6**

#### **CIVIL ENFORCEMENT, EMERGENCY POWERS AND FURTHER OFFENCES**

##### *Powers of entry*

##### **Offence: preventing or obstructing entry**

**96.—(1)** Any person who wilfully prevents or obstructs another person entitled to enter land by virtue of section 93 (whether or not by virtue of a warrant under section 94) commits an offence.

(2) A person guilty of an offence under subsection (1)—

- (a) in relation to a controlled reservoir which is, at the time the offence is committed, a high-consequence reservoir is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale,
- (b) in relation to any other controlled reservoir is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Reservoirs Act (Northern Ireland) 2015, Section 96.