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**The Food (Brazil Nuts) (Emergency
Control) (Scotland) Regulations 2003**

Enforcement

4.—(1) It shall be the duty of each food authority to execute and enforce these Regulations within its area.

(2) For the purposes of the exercise of the duty referred to in paragraph (1) an authorised officer of a food authority shall—

- (a) ensure that the requirements referred to in paragraph (3) are adhered to; and
- (b) have the same powers of entry as an authorised officer of an enforcement authority under section 32 of the Act for purposes connected with the Act or Regulations or Orders made under the Act.

(3) The requirements are those specified in—

- (a) Article 4.1 of the Commission Decision (which is concerned with documentary checks relating to consignments of Brazil nuts);
- (b) Articles 4.2 and 4.4 of that Decision (which provisions are concerned with the sampling and analysis of such consignments); and
- (c) Article 5 in so far as it relates to the certification of copies of the health certificate and accompanying documents.

(4) Each food authority shall give such assistance and information to the Food Standards Agency as it may reasonably request in connection with the execution and enforcement of these Regulations.