
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 103

**The Alien and Locally Absent Species in
Aquaculture (Scotland) Regulations 2015**

PART 5

ENFORCEMENT

Seizure of items

24.—(1) This regulation applies where an inspector exercises a power conferred by regulation 22 or 23.

(2) An inspector may—

- (a) seize, detain or remove any item which is on the land or premises; or
- (b) take copies of, or extracts from, any document or record found on the land or premises.

(3) The power conferred by paragraph (2)(a) includes the power to take samples of any aquatic organism or water.

(4) An inspector to whom any document or record has been produced in accordance with a requirement imposed under regulation 23 may—

- (a) seize, detain or remove that document or record; or
- (b) take copies of, or extracts from, that document or record.

(5) If, in the opinion of the inspector, it is not for the time being practicable for the inspector to seize and remove any item, the inspector may require any person on the land or premises to secure that the item is not removed or otherwise interfered with until such time as the inspector may seize and remove it.

(6) Any item seized by an inspector may be retained for so long as is considered necessary by the inspector in the circumstances.

(7) Any aquatic organism or water seized by an inspector may be disposed of as the inspector sees fit.

Commencement Information

II Reg. 24 in force at 3.4.2015, see **reg. 1(1)**

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Alien and Locally Absent Species in Aquaculture (Scotland) Regulations 2015, Section 24.