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## SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 2015 No. 446

## The Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015

### PART 2

#### RULES IMPLEMENTING THE PUBLIC CONTRACTS DIRECTIVE

##### CHAPTER 1

##### SCOPE AND GENERAL PRINCIPLES

##### SECTION 1

##### *Scope*

#### **Specific situations: Research and development services**

**15.** These Regulations only apply to procurement for the award of public service contracts for research and development service which are covered by CPV Codes 73000000-2 to 73120000-9, 73300000-5, [<sup>F1</sup>73420000-2] and 73430000-5 provided that—

- (a) the benefits accrue exclusively to the contracting authority for use in the conduct of its own affairs; and
- (b) the service provided is wholly remunerated by the contracting authority.

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Word in [reg. 15](#) substituted (18.4.2016) by [The Public Contracts \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(S.S.I. 2016/47\)](#), regs. 1, **2(5)**

**Changes to legislation:**

The Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015, Section 15 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 29 May 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- Regulations applied by [2023 c. 54 s. 119\(2\)\(a\)](#)

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- reg. 11(1)(e)(i)(aa) words substituted by [S.S.I. 2019/112 reg. 3\(11\)\(a\)\(i\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). S.S.I. 2019/112 revoked immediately before IP completion day by S.S.I. 2020/468, regs. 1(3), 2(2)(a))
- reg. 11(1)(e)(i)(bb) words substituted by [S.S.I. 2019/112 reg. 3\(11\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). S.S.I. 2019/112 revoked immediately before IP completion day by S.S.I. 2020/468, regs. 1(3), 2(2)(a))
- reg. 78(1)(i)(ii) and words inserted by [S.S.I. 2019/112 reg. 3\(52\)\(a\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). S.S.I. 2019/112 revoked immediately before IP completion day by S.S.I. 2020/468, regs. 1(3), 2(2)(a))