

# Nuclear Explosions (Prohibition and Inspections) Act 1998

### **1998 CHAPTER 7**

## **PROSPECTIVE**

### *Inspections under the Treaty*

# 7 Offences in connection with on-site inspections.

- (1) If an authorisation has been issued under section 5 in respect of an on-site inspection, a person is guilty of an offence if—
  - (a) he refuses without reasonable excuse to comply with any request made by a constable or a UK representative for the purpose of facilitating the conduct of that inspection in accordance with the Treaty's inspection provisions, or
  - (b) he wilfully obstructs a member of the inspection team, an observer or a UK representative in the performance of his functions under the Treaty's inspection provisions.
- (2) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable—
  - (a) on summary conviction, to a fine of an amount not exceeding the statutory maximum;
  - (b) on conviction on indictment, to a fine.

# **Status:**

This version of this provision is prospective.

# **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Nuclear Explosions (Prohibition and Inspections) Act 1998, Section 7.