These notes refer to the Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005 (c.15) which received Royal Assent on 7th April 2005

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

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Commentary on Sections

Part 4: Public order and conduct in public places etc.

Section 129: Corresponding Scottish offence

325. This section provides a corresponding offence of entering, or being on, a designated site in Scotland without lawful authority. However, the Secretary of State may only designate sites in Scotland in the interests of national security (*subsection (3)*). *Subsection (4)* provides a defence to a person charged with an offence under this section.