

SCHEDULE

INSPECTIONS

Exercise of powers of entry

- 4 (1) Before exercising a power of entry, an inspector must, if requested to do so by a person on the premises—
- (a) produce evidence of the inspector's identity, and
 - (b) outline the purpose for which the power is exercised.
- (2) Where an inspector enters premises under a warrant issued under paragraph 3, the inspector must also—
- (a) produce a copy of the warrant, and
 - (b) supply the occupier (if present), or any other person appearing to the inspector to be in charge of the premises, with a copy of the warrant.
- (3) If neither the occupier nor any other person appearing to the inspector to be in charge of the premises is present, the inspector must leave a copy of the warrant in a prominent place on the premises.
- 5 An inspector exercising a power of entry must do so at a reasonable hour unless it appears to the inspector that the purpose of entry would be frustrated by entry at a reasonable hour.
- 6 An inspector exercising a power of entry may—
- (a) if necessary, use reasonable force to enter the premises;
 - (b) take up to two other persons on to the premises;
 - (c) take such equipment and materials on to the premises as appear to the inspector to be appropriate.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Wild Animals in Circuses Act 2019,
Cross Heading: Exercise of powers of entry.