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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 7

MARITIME ENFORCEMENT

- 8 In section 28Q (interpretation of Part 3A)—
- (a) at the appropriate places insert—
- ““foreign waters” means the sea and other waters within the seaward limits of the territorial sea adjacent to any relevant territory or any State other than the United Kingdom;”,
- ““international waters” means waters beyond the territorial sea of the United Kingdom or of any other State or relevant territory;”,
- ““Part A1 powers” means the powers set out in Part A1 of Schedule 4A;”,
- ““relevant offence” means—
- (a) an offence under section 24(A1), (B1), (D1) or (E1), 24B, 25 or 25A,
- (b) an offence under section 25B to the extent that the section continues to apply by virtue of regulation 5(7) of the Immigration and Social Security Co-ordination (EU Withdrawal) Act 2020 (Consequential, Saving, Transitional and Transitory Provisions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 ([S.I. 2020/1309](#)),
- (c) an offence under section 21 of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006, or
- (d) an offence under section 1 of the Criminal Attempts Act 1981 or Article 3 of the Criminal Attempts and Conspiracy (Northern Ireland) Order 1983 ([S.I. 1983/1120 \(N.I. 13\)](#)), or in Scotland at common law, of attempting to commit an offence mentioned in paragraph (a) to (c);”, and”,
- ““United Kingdom waters” means the sea and other waters within the seaward limits of the United Kingdom’s territorial sea;”, and
- (b) for the definition of ship substitute—
- ““ship” includes—
- (a) every description of vessel (including a hovercraft), and
- (b) any other structure (whether with or without means of propulsion) constructed or used to carry persons, goods, plant or machinery by water;”.

Commencement Information

- 11** Sch. 7 para. 8 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 87\(1\)](#)
- 12** Sch. 7 para. 8 in force at 28.6.2022 by [S.I. 2022/590](#), regs. 1(2), 2, [Sch. 1 para. 22](#) (with [Sch. 2 para. 8](#))

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

- Act excluded by [2024 c. 8 s. 2\(5\)\(a\)](#)⁵

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

- s. 54(6)(c) and word inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 57\(11\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 63(2A) inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 29\(3\)](#)
- s. 63(3)(fa)(fb) inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 29\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 63(5A)(5B) inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 29\(5\)](#)
- s. 63(8) inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 28\(9\)](#)
- s. 65(8A) inserted by [2023 c. 37 s. 28\(12\)](#)