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The Nature Conservation (Designation of Relevant Regulatory Authorities) (Scotland) Order 2004

Made - - - -	*3rd November 2004*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -	*4th November 2004*
Coming into force - -	*29th November 2004*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 15(2) and 53(2) of the Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Nature Conservation (Designation of Relevant Regulatory Authorities) (Scotland) Order 2004 and shall come into force on 29th November 2004.

Relevant regulatory authorities

2.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), each of the persons listed in the Schedule to this Order are designated as a relevant regulatory authority for the purposes of the Nature Conservation (Scotland) Act 2004.

(2) The designation of a local authority under paragraph (1) does not extend to its functions of granting planning permissions on an application under Part III of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997(**2**).

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh
3rd November 2004

LEWIS MACDONALD
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

(**1**) 2004 asp 6.
(**2**) 1997 c. 8.