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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 100

SEA FISHERIES

CONSERVATION OF SEA FISH

The Sea Fish (Prohibited Methods of Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) Amendment Order 2003

Made - - - -	*24th February 2003*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -	*24th February 2003*
Coming into force - -	*25th February 2003*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5(1)(c), 15(3) and 22(2) of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:

Citation, commencement and cessation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Sea Fish (Prohibited Methods of Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) Amendment Order 2003 and shall come into force on 25th February 2003.

(2) This Order shall remain in force until 30th April 2003.

Amendment of the Sea Fish (Prohibited Methods of Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) Order 2003

2.—(1) The Sea Fish (Prohibited Methods of Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) Order 2003(**2**) is amended in accordance with this article.

(2) In article 2(1) (interpretation), for the definition of "scallop dredge" there is substituted–

(**1**) 1967 c. 84; section 5(1) was substituted by the Fisheries Act 1981 (c. 29), section 22(1); section 15(3) was substituted by the Sea Fisheries Act 1968 (c. 77), Schedule 1, paragraph 38(3) and amended by the Fishery Limits Act 1976 (c. 86) Schedule 2, paragraph 16(1). Relevant modifications are contained in the Scotland Act 1998 (Functions Exercisable in or as Regards Scotland) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/1748), article 5 and the Scotland Act 1998 (Modification of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/1756) articles 3, 5 and 6. The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46). Section 22(2)(a) which contains a definition of "the Ministers" for the purposes of sections 5 and 15(3) was amended by the Fisheries Act 1981, sections 19(2)(d) and 45(b). The definition has effect in relation to Scotland with the modifications made by section 22A(12)(b) inserted by the Scotland Act 1998 (Consequential Modifications) (No. 2) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/1820), Schedule 2, paragraph 43(13).

(**2**) S.S.I. 2003/79.