

Antisocial Behaviour etc. (Scotland) Act 2004

PART 5

NOISE NUISANCE

The permitted level

48 Permitted level of noise

- (1) For the purposes of the noise control provisions, the Scottish Ministers may by regulations prescribe the maximum level of noise (the "permitted level") which may be emitted from relevant property.
- (2) The permitted level shall be a level for noise as measured from any relevant place by an approved device used in accordance with any conditions subject to which the approval was given.
- (3) Different permitted levels may be prescribed for different—
 - (a) periods of the week;
 - (b) areas or descriptions of areas;
 - (c) times of year; or
 - (d) other circumstances,

and the permitted level may be prescribed partly by reference to other levels of noise.