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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1999 No. 43**

**FORESTRY**

**The Environmental Impact Assessment  
(Forestry) (Scotland) Regulations 1999**

*Made* - - - - - *3rd September 1999*  
*Laid before the Scottish*  
*Parliament* - - - - - *3rd September 1999*  
*Coming into force* - - - - - *6th September 1999*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972<sup>(1)</sup> and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, and having taken into account the selection criteria in Annex III to Council Directive [85/337/EEC](#)<sup>(2)</sup> as amended by Council Directive [97/11/EC](#)<sup>(3)</sup> hereby make the following Regulations:

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(1) [1972 c. 68](#); section 2(2) was amended by the Scotland Act [1998 \(c. 46\)](#), Schedule 8, paragraph 15; functions of the Secretary of State under section 2(2) were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of that Act.  
(2) OJ No.L175, 5.7.85, p.40.  
(3) OJ No.L73, 14.3.97, p.5.