

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 7

PORT AND BORDER CONTROLS

Interpretation

- 1 (1) In this Schedule “examining officer” means any of the following—
- (a) a constable,
 - (b) an immigration officer, and
 - (c) a customs officer who is designated for the purpose of this Schedule by the Secretary of State and the Commissioners of Customs and Excise.
- (2) In this Schedule—
- “the border area” has the meaning given by paragraph 4,
 - “captain” means master of a ship or commander of an aircraft,
 - “port” includes an airport and a hoverport,
 - “ship” includes a hovercraft, and
 - “vehicle” includes a train.
- (3) A place shall be treated as a port for the purposes of this Schedule in relation to a person if an examining officer believes that the person—
- (a) has gone there for the purpose of embarking on a ship or aircraft, or
 - (b) has arrived there on disembarking from a ship or aircraft.