

Authorised Officers

East Renfrewshire Council Trading Standards Service

The following designations of East Renfrewshire Council employees are authorised to exercise the powers (including the powers of entry, inspection and sampling where authorised by statute) and to carry out the duties appropriate to the designation under the legislation hereinafter referred to and under any amending Acts, Regulations or Orders made thereunder.

Officer Designation	Legislation Group
Authorised Officer	1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 9
Trading Standards Officer	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Legislation Groups

1 Consumer Advice and Fair Trading

Accommodation Agencies Act 1953
 Advanced Television Services Regulations 2003
 Business Protection from Misleading Marketing Regulations 2008
 Cancer Act 1939
 Companies Act 2006
 Companies (Trading Disclosures) Regulations 2008
 Consumer Contracts (Information, Cancellations and Additional Charges) Regulations 2013
 Consumer Protection (Distance Selling) Regulations 2000
 Consumer Protection Act 1987
 Consumer Rights Act 2015
 Consumer Protection from Unfair Trading Regulations 2008
 Consumer Rights (Payment Surcharges) Regulations 2012
 The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019
 Enterprise Act 2002
 Estate Agents Act 1979
 Electronic Commerce (EC Directive) Regulations 2002
 European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
 Footwear (Indication of Composition) Labelling Regulations 1995
 Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018
 Provision of Services Regulations 2009
 Radio Equipment and Telecommunications Terminal Equipment Regulations 2000
 Radio Equipment Regulations 2017
 Rights of Passengers in Bus and Coach Transport (Exemptions and Enforcement) Regulations 2013
 Single Use Carrier Bags Charge (Scotland) Regulations 2014
 Textile Products (Labelling and Fibre Composition) Regulations 2012
 Unsolicited Goods and Services Act 1971

2 Consumer Credit and Prices

Consumer Credit Acts 1974 and 2006
 Debt Arrangement and Attachment (Scotland) Act 2002
 Development of Tourism Act 1969
 European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
 Prices Act 1974
 Price Indications (Bureau de Change) (No. 2) Regulations 1992
 Price Marking Order 2004
 Timeshare, Holiday Products, Resale and Exchange Contracts Regulations 2010
 Financial Services Act 2012
 Financial Services Act 2012 (Consumer Credit) Order 2013
 Financial Services (Distance Marketing) Regulations 2004
 Financial Services and Markets Act 2000
 Legal Services Act 2007

3 Petroleum and Dangerous Substances

Clean Air Act 1993
 Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982
 European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
 Explosives Acts 1875 and 1923
 Explosives Regulations 2014
 Fireworks Act 2003
 Fireworks Regulations 2004
 The Fireworks (Scotland) Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2021
 Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (sections 20, 21, 22 and 25) and, by virtue of section 19(1) of the Act, any other related Health and Safety Regulation for which East Renfrewshire Council is responsible
 Petroleum (Consolidation) Regulations 2014

Pyrotechnic Articles (Safety) Regulations 2015
Volatile Organic Compounds in Paints, Varnishes and Vehicle Refinishing Products Regulations 2012

4 Consumer Safety and Poisons

Aerosol Dispensers Regulations 2009
Antisocial Behaviour etc. (Scotland) Act 2004
Biocidal Products and Chemicals (Appointment of Authorities and Enforcement) Regulations 2013
Biofuel (Labelling) Regulations 2004
Cat and Dog Fur (Control of Import, Export and Placing on the Market) Regulations 2008
Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009
EC No. 1272/2008 Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulations
Children and Young Persons (Protection from Tobacco) Act 1991
Cigarette Lighter Refill (Safety) Regulations 1999
Construction Products Regulations 2013
Cosmetic Products Enforcement Regulations 2013
Consumer Protection Act 1987
Detergents Regulations 2010
Electrical Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016
Electromagnetic Compatibility Regulations 2016
Energy Act 1976
Energy Conservation Act 1996
Energy Information Regulations 2011
European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
Food Imitations (Safety) Regulations 1989
Furniture and Furnishings (Fire)(Safety) Regulations 1988
Gas Appliances (Safety) Regulations 1995
Gas Appliances (Enforcement) and Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2018
General Product Safety Regulations 2005
Household Appliances (Noise Emission) Regulations 1990
Medical Devices Regulations 2002
Motorcycle Noise Act 1987
Motor Fuel (Composition and Content) Regulations 1999
Motor Vehicle Tyres (Safety) Regulations 1994
Nightwear (Safety) Regulations 1985
N-nitrosamines and N-nitrosatable Substances in Elastomer or Rubber Teats and Dummies (Safety) Regulations 1995
Oil Heaters (Safety) Regulations 1977
Packaging (Essential Requirements) Regulations 2015
Passenger Car (Fuel Consumption and CO2 Emissions Information) Regulations 2001
Pedal Bicycles (Safety) Regulations 2010
Personal Protective Equipment Regulations 2002
Personal Protective Equipment (Enforcement) Regulations 2018
Pesticides (Fees and Enforcement) Act 1989
Plant Protection Products Regulations 2011
Plugs & Sockets etc. (Safety) Regulations 1994

Poisons Act 1972
Pressure Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016
REACH Enforcement Regulations 2008
Recreational Craft Regulations 2004
Regulation 765/2008/EC on Accreditation and Market Surveillance
Road Traffic Act 1988 (sections 17 and 18)
Road Vehicles (Brake Linings Safety) Regulations 1999
Standardised Packaging of Tobacco Products Regulations 2015
Tobacco Advertising and Promotion Act 2002
Tobacco for Oral Use (Safety) Regulations 1992
Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010
Tobacco and Related Products Regulations 2016
Tobacco Products (Manufacture, Presentation and Sale) (Safety) Regulations 2002
Toys (Safety) Regulations 2011
Simple Pressure Vessels (Safety) Regulations 2016
Supply of Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008

5 Trade Descriptions and Hallmarking

Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988
Copyright, etc. and Trade Marks (Offences and Enforcement) Act 2002
Energy Conservation Act 1996
European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
Hallmarking Act 1973
Housing (Scotland) Act 2006
Intellectual Property Act 2014
Olympic Symbol etc. (Protection) Act 1995
Trade Descriptions Act 1968
Trade Marks Act 1994
Registered Designs Act 1949
Video Recording Acts 1984 and 2010

6 Quality Control, Food and Agriculture

Agriculture Act 1970
Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Scotland) Regulations 2013
Animal Feed (Scotland) Regulations 2010
EC Fertilisers (Scotland) Regulations 2006
European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
Feed (Hygiene and Enforcement) (Scotland) Regulations 2005
Food and Environment Protection Act 1985
Food Safety Act 1990
Genetically Modified Animal Feed (Scotland) Regulations 2004
Medicines Act 1968
Official Feed and Food Controls (Scotland) Regulations 2009
Trade in Animals and Related Products (Scotland) Regulations 2012

7 Quantity Control

European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
Measuring Container Bottles (EEC Requirements) Regulations 1977
Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016
Measuring Instruments (EEC Requirements) Regulations 1988
Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2016
Weights and Measures Acts 1976 and 1985
Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) Regulations 2006

8. Animal Health and Welfare

Animal Boarding Establishments Act 1963
Animal Health Act 1981
Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006
Animals (Scotland) Act 1987
Anthrax Order 1991
Avian Influenza (Preventive Measures in Zoos) (Scotland) Regulations 2005
Avian Influenza (Preventive Measures) (Scotland) Order 2007
Avian Influenza and Influenza of Avian Origin in Mammals (Scotland) Order 2006
Avian Influenza (Slaughter and Vaccination) (Scotland) Regulations 2006
Avian Influenza (H5N1 in Poultry) (Scotland) Order 2007
Avian Influenza (H5N1 in Wild Birds) (Scotland) Order 2007
Breeding of Dogs Act 1973
Breeding and Sale of Dogs (Welfare) Act 1999
Cattle Identification (Scotland) Regulations 2007
Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982
Dangerous Wild Animals Act 1976
Disease Control (Interim Measures) (Scotland) Order 2002
Diseases of Animals (Approved Disinfectants) (Scotland) Order 2008
Diseases of Poultry (Scotland) Order 2003
Diseases of Swine Regulations 2014
European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and relevant regulations made there under)
Equine Animal (Identification) (Scotland) Regulations 2019
Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Scotland) Order 2006
Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Slaughter and Vaccination) (Scotland) Regulations 2006
Importation of Animal Pathogens Order 1980
Importation of Animals Order 1977
Infectious Diseases of Horses Order 198
Local Government (Scotland) Act 1992
Microchipping of Dogs (Scotland) Regulations 2016

Non-Commercial Movement of Pet Animals Order 2011
Pet Animals Act 1951
Pigs (Records, Identification and Movement) (Scotland) Order 2011
Rabies (Control) Order 1974
Rabies (Importation of Dogs, Cats and other Mammals) Order 1974
Riding Establishments Act 1964
Sheep and Goats (Records, Identification and Movement) (Scotland) Order 2009
Sheep Scab (Scotland) Order 2010
Trade in Animals and Related Products (Scotland) Regulations 2012
Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (Scotland) Regulations 2010
Transport of Animals (Cleansing and Disinfection) (Scotland) Regulations 2005
Tuberculosis (Scotland) Order 2007
Welfare of Animals at Markets Order 1990
Welfare of Animals (Transport) (Scotland) Regulations 2006
Welfare of Farmed Animals (Scotland) Regulations 2010
Welfare of Horses at Markets (and Other Places of Sale) Order 1990
Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981
Zoo Licensing Act 1981

9 Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974

The officer is empowered to authorise any person to accompany him/her, if necessary on visits to premises for the purpose of carrying out his/her duties in terms of the Health and Safety at Work, etc. Act 1974. This officer is also hereby authorised to exercise the power of an inspector specified in:-

- (a) Sections 20, 21, 22 and 25 of the Health and Safety at Work etc Act 1974;
- (b) Any health and safety regulations made under the above Act; and
- (c) The provisions specified in the third column of Schedule 1 of the Act which and of the regulations, orders or other instruments of a legislative character made or having effect under any provision so specified.

Coronavirus Act 2020
The Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (Directions by Local Authorities) (Scotland) Regulations 2020
The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 as amended

as at 31 March 2020