

Mobile Homes (Wales) Act 2013

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PART 2

LICENSING OF MOBILE HOME SITES ETC.

Breach of condition

19 Compliance notice: power to demand expenses

- (1) When serving a compliance notice on an owner of land, a local authority may impose a charge on the owner as a means of recovering expenses incurred by the local authority—
 - (a) in deciding whether to serve the notice, and
 - (b) in preparing and serving the notice or a demand under subsection (3).
- (2) The expenses referred to in subsection (1) include (but are not limited to) the costs of obtaining expert advice (including legal advice).
- (3) The power under subsection (1) is exercisable by serving the compliance notice together with a demand which sets out—
 - (a) the total expenses the local authority seeks to recover under subsection (1) ("relevant expenses"),
 - (b) a detailed breakdown of the relevant expenses, and
 - (c) where the local authority propose to charge interest under section 25, the rate at which the relevant expenses carry interest.
- (4) Where a tribunal allows an appeal under section 17 against the compliance notice with which a demand was served, the tribunal may make such order as it considers appropriate—
 - (a) confirming, reducing or quashing any charge under this section made in respect of the notice, and
 - (b) varying the demand as appropriate in consequence.