



Planning (Wales) Act 2015

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PART 6

DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ETC

Determination of applications for planning permission

31 Welsh language

- (1) Section 70 of TCPA 1990 (determination of applications: general considerations) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (2), after paragraph (a) insert—
 - “(aa) any considerations relating to the use of the Welsh language, so far as material to the application;”.
- (3) After subsection (2) insert—

“(2ZA) Subsection (2)(aa) applies only in relation to Wales.”
- (4) The amendments made by this section do not alter—
 - (a) whether regard is to be had to any particular consideration under subsection (2) of section 70 of TCPA 1990, or
 - (b) the weight to be given to any consideration to which regard is had under that subsection.

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 31 partly in force; s. 31 in force for specified purposes at 6.9.2015, see s. 58(2)(b)(4)(b)
- I2** S. 31 in force at 4.1.2016 in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2015/1987, art. 3(e)

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Planning (Wales) Act 2015,
Cross Heading: Determination of applications for planning permission. (See end of Document for details)

32 Power to decline to determine retrospective application

In section 70C of TCPA 1990 (power to decline to determine retrospective application), in subsection (1), omit “in England”.

Commencement Information

- I3** [S. 32](#) partly in force; [s. 32](#) in force for specified purposes at 6.9.2015, see [s. 58\(2\)\(b\)\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- I4** [S. 32](#) in force at 16.3.2016 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2016/52](#), [art. 5\(b\)](#) (with [art. 11](#))

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