



Milford Haven Port Authority Act 2002

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PART 4

MISCELLANEOUS AND SUPPLEMENTAL

21 Publication of Authority's annual statement of accounts and business strategy

- (1) As soon as reasonably practicable after their annual statement of accounts is prepared, the Authority—
- (a) shall make available a copy of the statement for a period of three months at the offices of the Authority for inspection free of charge by members of the public; and
 - (b) shall, subject to the payment of a reasonable charge, supply a copy of the statement to any person who requests to be supplied with a copy.
- (2) The Authority shall prepare, by way of supplement to the annual statement of accounts, a business strategy containing—
- (a) general information about the Authority and its members;
 - (b) statements of the Authority's key policies, its strategic objectives, and its targets for a stated period not less than the coming financial year;
 - (c) a statement outlining the Authority's operations during the period covered by the statement, its operational performance and future plans;
- and the business strategy shall be made available in the same way as the annual statement of accounts.

22 Powers of investment, etc.

- (1) Subject to subsection (2) below, the Authority may—
- (a) acquire by agreement any business, undertaking or assets;
 - (b) subscribe for or acquire any shares, stock, debentures, debenture stock or any other security of a like nature of any body corporate;
 - (c) form and promote, or join with any other person in forming and promoting a company for carrying on any function;

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- (d) provide loans and guarantees and make other kinds of financial provision to or in respect of companies;
 - (e) dispose of or discontinue the whole or any part of their undertaking acquired under this section and held for the purposes of the haven but subject to all liabilities and obligations in respect thereof to which the Authority are subject;
 - (f) dispose of any shares or other securities subscribed for or acquired under this section; and
 - (g) provide assistance (whether financial or otherwise) to any person; and may do such other things which are calculated to facilitate, or to be conducive or incidental to, the exercise of any powers conferred by this subsection.
- (2) The powers of the Authority under this section may be exercised if, and only if, in the opinion of the Authority the exercise of the powers is likely to provide economic, social, cultural or environmental benefits to all or some of the population of Pembrokeshire or any part of Pembrokeshire.
- (3) The powers of the Authority under this section are additional to the powers of the Authority under section 9 of the Act of 1983 and section 37 of the Docks and Harbours Act 1966 (c. 28).

23 Crown rights

Nothing in this Act shall affect prejudicially any estate, right, power, privilege or exemption of the Crown.

24 Repeals

On the new constitution date Part I (Constitution of Board) of and paragraphs 18 and 20 to 24 of Schedule 1 to the Act of 1983 shall be repealed.