



Water Resources Act 1963

1963 CHAPTER 38

PART VII

ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS OF RIVER AUTHORITIES

72 F1

Textual Amendments

F1 S. 72 repealed by [Control of Pollution Act 1974 \(c. 40\), s. 109\(2\), Sch. 4](#)

73 F2

Textual Amendments

F2 S. 73 repealed by [Control of Pollution Act 1974 \(c. 40\), s. 109\(2\), Sch. 4](#)

74 F3

Textual Amendments

F3 S. 74 repealed by [Control of Pollution Act 1974 \(c. 40\), s. 109\(2\), Sch. 4](#)

75 F4

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Textual Amendments

F4 S. 75 repealed by [Control of Pollution Act 1974 \(c. 40\)](#), s. 109(2), **Sch. 4**

76 **F5**

Textual Amendments

F5 S. 76 repealed by [Control of Pollution Act 1974 \(c. 40\)](#), s. 109(2), **Sch. 4**

77 **F6**

Textual Amendments

F6 Ss. 1, 3(5), 16(2)(3), 20, 21(3)(4), 33–35, 56, 65–70, 71(1)(2)(4)(6), 77, 107, 108, 111–113, 126(1)(2), 128(3), 130, 134(5), 135(4), Schs. 8, 9 repealed by [Water Act 1989 \(c. 15, SIF 130\)](#), s. 190, **Sch. 27 Pt. I** (with ss. 58(7), 101(1), 141(6), 160(1)(2)(4), 163, 189(4)–(10), 193(1), Sch. 26 paras. 3(1)(2), 17, 40(4), 41(1), 57(6), 58)

78 **F7**

Textual Amendments

F7 Ss. 2, 17, 19, 22–32, 36–55, 60, 63, 64, 71(3), 78, 79(3)–(6), 81, 82, 88, 91, 105, 109, 114–118, 120, 123, 128(1)(2), 131, 132, 133(2), 134(1)(2), 134(6)(c), 135(2)(3), 135(5)–(8), Schs. 7, 10 repealed by [Water Consolidation \(Consequential Provisions\) Act 1991 \(c. 60, SIF 130\)](#), s. 3, **Sch. 3 Pt. I** (with s. 2, Sch. 2 paras. 10, 14(1), 15)

79 Byelaws for protection of water resources.

[^{F8}(1) Section 18 of the ^{M1}Water Act 1945 (which empowers statutory water undertakers to make byelaws for the purpose of protecting water against pollution) shall have effect for enabling byelaws to be made under that section by [^{F9}water authorities].]

[^{F8}(2) For the purposes of the application of that section by virtue of the preceding subsection—

- (a) any reference to statutory water undertakers shall be construed as a reference to a [^{F10}water authority], and any reference to the undertakers shall be construed as a reference to the [^{F10}water authority] by whom the byelaws are made;
- (b) the reference in subsection (1) of that section to water which belongs to statutory water undertakers or which they are for the time being authorised to take shall be construed as a reference to any such water as is mentioned in section 68(1) of this Act; and

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(c) in subsection (5) the words “and subsection (2) of the next but one following section of this Act” shall be omitted.]

(3) F11

[^{F8}(7) No byelaw made by virtue of section 18 of the ^{M2}Water Act 1945 as applied by subsection (1) of this section shall conflict or interfere with the operation of any byelaw made by a navigation authority, harbour authority or conservancy authority.]

(8) F12

Textual Amendments

- F8** S. 79(1)(2)(7) repealed (*prosp.*) by [Control of Pollution Act 1974 \(c. 40\), s. 109\(2\) Sch. 4](#)
- F9** Words substituted (1.4.1974) for words “river authorities” by virtue of [Water Act 1973 \(c. 37\), s. 9\(a\)](#)
- F10** Words substituted (1.4.1974) for words “river authority” by virtue of [Water Act 1973 \(c. 37\), s. 9\(a\)](#)
- F11** Ss. 2, 17, 19, 22–32, 36–55, 60, 63, 64, 71(3), 78, 79(3)–(6), 81, 82, 88, 91, 105, 109, 114–118, 120, 123, 128(1)(2), 131, 132, 133(2), 134(1)(2), 134(6)(c), 135(2)(3), 135(5)–(8), Schs. 7, 10 repealed by [Water Consolidation \(Consequential Provisions\) Act 1991 \(c. 60, SIF 130\), s. 3, Sch. 3 Pt. I](#) (with s. 2, Sch. 2 paras. 10, 14(1), 15)
- F12** S. 79(8)(9) repealed by [Water Consolidation \(Consequential Provisions\) Act 1991 \(c. 60, SIF 130\), s. 3, Sch. 3 Pt. I](#) (subject to savings in s. 2, Sch. 2 paras. 4(5), 10, 14(1), 15)

Marginal Citations

- M1** 1945 c. 42.
- M2** 1945 c. 42.

80 F13

Textual Amendments

- F13** Ss. 3(1)–(4)(6)(7), 4–15, 16(1), 18, 21(1)(2), 57–59, 61, 62, 80, 83–87, 89, 90, 92, 93(1)(2)(4), 94–104, 110, 119, 121, 124, 125, 127, 129, 136(1)–(3)(5)(6), Schs. 1–6, repealed by [Water Act 1973 \(c. 37\), Sch. 9](#)

81, 82. F14

Textual Amendments

- F14** Ss. 2, 17, 19, 22–32, 36–55, 60, 63, 64, 71(3), 78, 79(3)–(6), 81, 82, 88, 91, 105, 109, 114–118, 120, 123, 128(1)(2), 131, 132, 133(2), 134(1)(2), 134(6)(c), 135(2)(3), 135(5)–(8), Schs. 7, 10 repealed by [Water Consolidation \(Consequential Provisions\) Act 1991 \(c. 60, SIF 130\), s. 3, Sch. 3 Pt. I](#) (with s. 2, Sch. 2 paras. 10, 14(1), 15)

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