



# Agricultural Land (Removal of Surface Soil) Act 1953

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An Act to make it an offence to remove surface soil from land in certain circumstances;  
and for purposes connected therewith. [6th May 1953]

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

C1 Words of enactment omitted under authority of [Statute Law Revision Act 1948 \(c. 62\), s. 3](#)

**Commencement Information**

I1 Act wholly in force at 20.5.1953 see [s. 5\(4\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Agricultural Land (Removal of Surface Soil) Act 1953, Introductory Text is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 11 November 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.