
WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2006 No. 2629

The Environmental Noise (Wales) Regulations 2006

PART 4

ACTION PLANS

CHAPTER 3

ACTION PLANS – MAJOR AIRPORTS

Competent Authority

18. The competent authority for this Chapter is the airport operator.

Duty to draw up, review and revise action plans

19.—(1) No later than 30 April 2008 the competent authority must—

- (a) draw up an action plan for places near the major airport; and
- (b) submit that action plan to the Assembly.

(2) Paragraph (3) only applies if the competent authority was not required to draw up an action plan for the major airport pursuant to paragraph (1) because it was not the competent authority on or before 30 April 2008.

(3) No later than 30 April 2013 the competent authority must—

- (a) draw up an action plan for places near the major airport; and
- (b) submit that action plan to the Assembly.

(4) Paragraph (5) applies—

- (a) whenever a major development occurs affecting the existing noise situation; and
- (b) at least every five years after the date on which an action plan is adopted pursuant to regulation 24.

(5) The competent authority must—

- (a) review; and
- (b) if necessary revise,

the action plan.

(6) An action plan revised pursuant to paragraph (5)(b) must be submitted to the Assembly within three working days of its revision.