



2011 CHAPTER 23

**PART 3**

LITTER

*Offence of dropping litter*

**Offence of dropping litter in lake, pond or watercourse**

**14.—**(1) Article 3 of the Litter (Northern Ireland) Order 1994 (NI 10) (offence of dropping litter) shall be amended as follows.

(2) After paragraph (2) insert—

“(2A) A person may only give consent under paragraph (2) in relation to the depositing of litter in a lake, pond or watercourse if he is the owner, occupier or other person having control of—

- (a) all the land adjoining the lake, pond or watercourse; and
- (b) all the land through or into which water in that lake, pond or watercourse directly or indirectly discharges, otherwise than by means of a public sewer.

(2B) In paragraph (2A)—

“watercourse” has the same meaning as in Article 2(2) of the Drainage (Northern Ireland) Order 1973; and

“public sewer” has the same meaning as in Article 2(2) of the Water and Sewerage Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2006.”.

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**Changes to legislation:** *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act (Northern Ireland) 2011, Section 14. (See end of Document for details)*

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**Commencement Information**

**II** S. 14 in operation at 1.4.2012 by S.R. 2012/13, art. 2(2), **Sch. 2**

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