



Gas Act 1986

1986 CHAPTER 44

PART III

MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

68 Short title, commencement and extent.

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Gas Act 1986.
- (2) The following provisions of this Act, namely—
 - Part I except sections 1 and 2;
 - section 66;
 - section 67(1) and Schedule 7;
 - section 67(2);
 - Part I of Schedule 8 and section 67(3) so far as relating to that Part; and
 - Part I of Schedule 9 and section 67(4) so far as relating to that Part,shall come into force on the appointed day.
- (3) The following provisions of this Act, namely—
 - Part II;
 - Part II of Schedule 8 and section 67(3) so far as relating to that Part; and
 - Part II of Schedule 9 and section 67(4) so far as relating to that Part,shall come into force on the transfer date.
- (4) Part III of Schedule 9 and section 67(4) so far as relating to that Part shall come into force on the dissolution of the Corporation.
- (5) Subject to subsections (2) to (4) above, this Act shall come into force on such day as the Secretary of State may by order appoint; and different days may be so appointed for different provisions or for different purposes.
- (6) This Act, except this section and the following provisions, namely—
 - sections 49 and 50;

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section 58;
sections 62 and 63;
section 66;
paragraph 7 of Schedule 1 and section 1(5) so far as relating to that paragraph;
paragraph 8 of Schedule 2 and section 2(5) so far as relating to that paragraph;
paragraphs 15, 23 and 28 of Schedule 7 and section 67(1) so far as relating to those paragraphs; and
paragraph 27 to 31 of Schedule 8 and section 67(3) so far as relating to those paragraphs; and
Schedule 9 and section 67(4) so far as relating to the repeal of section 33(2) of the 1972 Act and the repeals in the ^{M1}House of Commons Disqualification Act 1975, does not extend to Northern Ireland.

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 Power of appointment conferred by s. 68(5) fully exercised: [S.I. 1986/1315](#), 1809

Marginal Citations

M1 [1975 c. 24.](#)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 5(e) and word inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 185\(3\)](#)
- s. 5(1)(ca) inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 168\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 5(10A) inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 168\(2\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 5(11A)(11B) inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 185\(4\)](#)
- s. 7B(5FA) inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 185\(13\)](#)
- s. 7AC inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 185\(6\)](#)
- s. 8AA(11B) inserted by [2023 c. 52 s. 185\(14\)](#)
- s. 15A inserted by [1992 c. 43 s. 17](#)
- s. 23D(2)(d) and word inserted by [2013 c. 32 s. 138\(4\)\(c\)\(iii\)](#)
- s. 27(1ZA)(aa) inserted by S.I. 2019/93, Sch. 1 para. 2(2)(b) (as substituted) by [S.I. 2019/1245 reg. 17](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The affecting statutory instrument has no legal effect. It was made under a procedure which meant that it ceased to have effect 28 days after signing unless it was debated and approved in Parliament within that time. It was not debated and approved within 28 days, so it has expired with no effect.)
- s. 28(8A) inserted by [2023 c. 52 Sch. 14 para. 3\(3\)](#)
- s. 41E(6)(d) and word inserted by [2013 c. 32 s. 138\(4\)\(f\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 4B para. 9B and cross-heading inserted by [2023 c. 52 Sch. 14 para. 4](#)