



Severn Bridges Act 1992

1992 CHAPTER 3

PART II

OPERATION OF SEVERN BRIDGES

Introductory

4 Concession agreement.

- (1) Where (either before or after the passing of this Act) the Secretary of State enters into an agreement with a person for the construction by that person of the new bridge (whether or not together with any other of the scheduled works), the agreement may also provide—
 - (a) for the power to levy tolls in respect of use of the bridges which is conferred on the Secretary of State by section 5 below to be exercisable by that person in accordance with section 6 below, and
 - (b) for all relevant functions, or so many of them as may be specified in the agreement, to be exercisable by that person in accordance with section 15 below.
- (2) In this Act—
 - (a) “the concessionaire” means the person with whom the Secretary of State enters into an agreement making the provision mentioned in subsection (1) above, and
 - (b) “concession agreement” means an agreement making the provision mentioned in subsection (1) above (together with any agreement supplementing it).
- (3) In this Act “relevant functions” means functions of the Secretary of State—
 - (a) with respect to the maintenance and improvement of, or other dealing with—
 - (i) the bridges or the highways carried by them, or
 - (ii) the toll plaza areas or the highways within them,

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- (b) with respect to any land which may be acquired by the Secretary of State in exercise of any of his powers under Part XII of the ^{M1}Highways Act 1980 in relation to any highway or other area within paragraph (a) above, and
- (c) under sections 29 and 30 below,
other than the power to levy tolls.

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