



Water Industry Act 1999

1999 CHAPTER 9

PART I

WATER CHARGES IN ENGLAND AND WALES

10 Extension of power to carry out works in connection with metering

- (1) Section 162 of the Water Industry Act 1991 (works in connection with metering) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1), for paragraph (a) there is substituted—
 - “(a) subsection (1A) below applies to a relevant undertaker in respect of any premises; and”.
- (3) After subsection (1) there is inserted—
 - “(1A) This subsection applies to a relevant undertaker in respect of any premises if—
 - (a) the undertaker has fixed any charges in relation to any premises by reference to volume,
 - (b) the undertaker is entitled so to fix any charges because the person who is the consumer in relation to the premises for the purposes of Chapter I of Part V of this Act has exercised his right to give—
 - (i) a measured charges notice under section 144A above, or
 - (ii) any consent for the purposes of section 144B(2)(a)(ii) above,and has not revoked the measured charges notice or consent under section 144A, or
 - (c) the undertaker has given notice of its intention of so fixing any charges—
 - (i) within the period specified in the notice, or
 - (ii) in a case where it is not for the time being entitled so to fix the charges, if and when it becomes entitled to do so.”
- (4) In subsection (4), for “subsection (1)(a)” there is substituted “subsection (1A)(c)”.