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 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS
 

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1984 No. 854

## PUBLIC HEALTH, ENGLAND AND WALES

## The Control of Pollution (Territorial Sea) Regulations 1984

<i>Made</i>	- - -	21st June 1984
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		4th July 1984
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		26th July 1984

The Secretary of State, in exercise of his powers under section 56(1) of the Control of Pollution Act 1974(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Control of Pollution (Territorial Sea) Regulations 1984, and shall come into operation on 26th July 1984.

*Prescription of Parts of Territorial Sea*

2. Such parts of the territorial sea as are within the seaward limits specified in the Schedule hereto (and are not within three nautical miles from any point on the coast measured from low water mark of ordinary spring tides) are hereby prescribed as controlled waters in pursuance of section 56(1) of the Control of Pollution Act 1974.

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 SCHEDULE

## SEAWARD LIMITS REFERRED TO IN REGULATION 2

In this Schedule, a group of two letters and eight figures identifying or associated with any point represents the map co-ordinates of that point estimated to the nearest ten metres on the grid of the national reference system used by the Ordnance Survey on its maps and plans.

1. A line drawn across the Wash from Gibraltar Point to Gore Point.
2. Lines drawn —
  - (a) from Eastoke Point at SZ75029808 to the landward end of the lifeboat house jetty at Bembridge, Isle of Wight; and
  - (b) from the westernmost point of the Isle of Wight to the lighthouse at the seaward end of Hurst Castle Spit on the mainland at SZ31838987.

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(a) 1974 c.40.

3. A line drawn across the Severn Estuary from the Black Nore lighthouse at Portishead in Avon to the tip of Lavernock Point in South Glamorgan.
4. A line drawn from Sker Point at SS78697973 to the lighthouse on Mumbles Head.
5. A line drawn from Rossall Point at SD31094757 to Hilpsford Point on the Isle of Walney at SD20866200.

*Patrick Jenkin,*  
Secretary of State for the Environment.

19th June 1984.

*Nicholas Edwards,*  
Secretary of State for Wales.

21st June 1984.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the regulations.)*

Part II of the Control of Pollution Act 1974 relates to the pollution of various categories of water, including "controlled waters".

Section 56(1) of the Act defines "controlled waters" for the purposes of Part II of the Act. The definition covers the sea within 3 nautical miles of the coast and such other parts of the sea adjacent to Great Britain as are prescribed by regulations made by the Secretary of State. These regulations prescribe those parts of the territorial sea which are within the seaward limits set out in the Schedule to the regulations so far as they are not already controlled waters for the purposes of Part II. Separate regulations are to be made by the Secretary of State for Scotland.

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