STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 175

WATER, ENGLAND AND WALES WATER SUPPLY, SCOTLAND

The Reservoirs Act 1975 (All Reservoirs Panel) (Applications and Fees) Regulations 1985

Made - - - 13th February 1985 Coming into Operation 21st February 1985

The Secretary of State having determined, after consultation with the Reservoirs Act Consultative Committee of the Institution of Civil Engineers, that a separate panel of civil engineers shall be constituted for all the purposes of the Reservoirs Act 1975(a), in exercise of his powers under sections 4(2) and 5 of that Act and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Reservoirs Act 1975 (All Reservoirs Panel) (Applications and Fees) Regulations 1985 and shall come into operation on 21st February 1985.

Applications

- 2.—(1) An application under section 4(2) of the Reservoirs Act 1975 to be appointed a member of the panel of civil engineers constituted for all the purposes of the Act shall be in writing, shall include the information set out in the Schedule to these regulations and shall be sent, together with the prescribed fee, to the Secretary of State for the Environment.
- (2) The prescribed fee to accompany an application referred to in paragraph (1) of this regulation shall be £80.

Regulation 2

SCHEDULE

RESERVOIRS ACT 1975

Information required from applicants for the All Reservoirs Panel

- 1. Full name of applicant.
- 2. Address of applicant.
- 3. Date of birth of applicant.

(a) 1975 c. 23.

- 4. Relevant qualifications of applicant.
- 5. Applicant's membership of professional Institutions.
- 6. Applicant's membership of committees or similar bodies engaged on work in connection with the construction of reservoirs.
- 7. Particulars of past and present employment of applicant, including—
 - (i) dates of any appointment,
 - (ii) details of the reservoirs, including their capacity and main dimensions, in connection with the design, construction, management or repair of which the applicant has been employed,
 - (iii) details of the nature and extent of the applicant's responsibility for any reservoir in relation to which he has been employed, that is to say, whether he had responsibility for the design or construction of the reservoir and the degree of supervision, if any, to which he was subject.

Patrick Jenkin,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

12th February 1985.

Nicholas Edwards, Secretary of State for Wales.

12th February 1985.

George Younger, Secretary of State for Scotland.

13th February 1985.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

The Secretary of State has determined that there shall be four different panels of civil engineers for the purposes of the Reservoirs Act 1975.

These regulations prescribe the manner in which a civil engineer may apply to be appointed to one of those panels, the "All Reservoirs" panel, which is to consist of those civil engineers who may be employed for the purposes of any section of the Act in connection with any type of reservoir, however constructed. They also prescribe the fee which is to accompany such applications.

Provision for applications and application fees for another panel, the "Supervising Panel", constituted for the purposes of section 12 of the Act, (which provides for the supervision of large raised reservoirs), is made by the Reservoirs Act 1975 (Supervising Engineers Panel) (Applications and Fees) Regulations 1984 (S.I. 1984/1874). Similar provision has not yet been made in respect of the two remaining panels whose members will be able both to act as supervising engineers for all reservoirs and to undertake work in connection with reservoirs which are not impounding reservoirs. The difference between these two remaining panels relates to the construction of the non-impounding reservoirs.

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