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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1999 No. 803 (C. 25)**

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

**The Environment Act 1995  
(Commencement No. 14) Order 1999**

*Made - - - - 15th March 1999*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of his powers under section 125(3) and (4) of the Environment Act 1995<sup>(1)</sup>, hereby makes the following Order:

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Environment Act 1995 (Commencement No. 14) Order 1999.

**Provisions coming into force on 16th March 1999**

2. Subsection (1) of section 120 (minor and consequential amendments, transitional and transitory provisions, savings and repeals) of the Environment Act 1995 shall come into force on the day after that on which this Order is made, in so far as it relates to paragraph 162 of Schedule 22 to that Act, and to amendments made by that paragraph which confer power to make regulations.

**Provisions coming into force on 1st April 1999**

3. Subsection (1) of section 120 of the Environment Act 1995 shall come into force on 1st April 1999 in so far as it relates to paragraphs 67 and 69 to 72 of Schedule 22 (in so far as those provisions are not already in force).

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(1) 1995 c. 25.

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Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and the Regions

*Michael Meacher*  
Minister of State,  
Department of the Environment, Transport and  
the Regions

15th March 1999

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

Article 2 of this Order commences on the day after the Order is made paragraph 162 of Schedule 22 to the Environment Act 1995 (“the 1995 Act”), to the extent that the provisions commenced by that paragraph (amendments of the Water Resources Act 1991 (c. 57) relating to anti-pollution works and operations) confer power to make regulations.

Article 3 of the Order commences substantively on 1st April 1999 paragraphs 67 and 69 to 72 of Schedule 22 to the 1995 Act which amend and supplement Part II (waste management licensing) of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 (c. 43). The provisions commenced relate to—

- (a) the making of representations in consultation processes before the grant, variation, suspension or revocation of waste management licences requiring the licence holder to carry out works which would necessitate the grant of rights over land; and
- (b) the payment of compensation for those required to grant rights over land to holders of those licences.

They are associated with the Waste Management Licences (Consultation and Compensation) Regulations 1999 (S.I. 1999/481).

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Environment Act 1995 have been brought into force by commencement orders made before the date of this Order.

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Section 1	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Section 2	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 3(1)	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 3(2) to (8)	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Section 4	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Section 5	1.2.1996, 1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 6	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 7	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Section 8	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 9	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Sections 10 and 11	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 12	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Sections 13 to 19	1.4.1996	1996/186

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Sections 20 to 23	12.10.1995	1995/2649
Sections 25 to 29	1.4.1996	1996/186
Sections 30 to 32	12.10.1995	1995/2649
Sections 33 to 35	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 36	12.10.1995	1995/2649
Section 37	28.7.1995 and 1.4.1996	1995/1983 and 1996/186
Sections 38 to 40	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Section 41	21.9.1995, 1.2.1996 and 1.4.1996	1995/1983 and 1996/186
Section 42	21.9.1995	1995/1983
Sections 43 to 52	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Sections 53 and 54	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 55	1.2.1996 and 1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 56	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Section 57 (partially)	21.9.1995	1995/1983
Section 58	21.9.1995 and 4.3.1998	1995/1983 and 1998/604
Section 59	12.10.1995 and 1.1.1999	1995/2649 and 1998/3272
Section 60	1.7.1997 and 1.7.1998	1997/1626 and 1998/604
Section 78 and Schedule 10 (partially), with savings	23.11.1995, 1.4.1996 and 1.4.1997	1995/2950 and 1996/2560
Section 80	1.2.1996	1996/186
Section 81	1.4.1996	1996/186
Sections 82 to 86	23.12.1997	1997/3044
Sections 87 to 89	1.2.1996	1996/186
Section 90 and Schedule 11	1.2.1996 and 23.12.1997	1996/186 and 1997/3044
Section 91	1.2.1996	1996/186
Section 92	1.4.1996	1996/186
Sections 93 to 95	21.9.1995	1995/1983
Section 96(1), (5) and (6) and Schedules 13 and 14 (England and Wales)	1.11.1995	1995/2765
Section 96(1), (5) and (6) and Schedules 13 and 14 (Scotland)	1.1.1997	1996/2857
Section 96(2)	1.11.1995	1995/2765
Section 96(3)	1.1.1997	1996/2857

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Section 96(4) (partially)	1.11.1995	1995/2765
Section 96(4) (partially) (Scotland)	1.1.1997	1996/2857
Sections 97 to 103	21.9.1995	1995/1983
Section 104	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 105 and Schedule 15	21.9.1995, 1.2.1996, 1.4.1996 and 1.1.1999	1995/1983 and 1996/186
Sections 106 to 114	1.4.1996	1996/186
Section 115	1.4.1996	1995/2950 and 1996/186
Section 116 and Schedule 21 (partially)	21.9.1995, 1.7.1997 and 8.4.1998	1995/1983, 1997/1626 and 1998/781
Section 117	1.2.1996	1996/186
Section 118(1) to (3), (4) and (5) (partially) and (6)	1.2.1996	1996/186
Section 119	1.2.1996	1996/186
Section 120(1) and Schedule 22 (partially)	12.10.1995, 21.9.1995, 1.2.1996, 1.4.1996, 21.11.1996, 31.12.1996, 23.12.1997 and 1.4.1998	1995/1983, 1995/2649, 1996/186, 1996/2909, 1997/3044 and 1998/604
Section 120(2) and Schedule 23 (partially)	1.4.1996 and 1.1.1999	1995/1983 and 1996/186
Section 120(3) and Schedule 24 (partially)	21.9.1995, 1.11.1995, 1.2.1996, 1.4.1996, 31.12.1996, 1.1.1997 and 1.4.1997 and 1.1.1999	1995/1983, 1995/2765, 1996/186, 1996/2560, 1996/2857, 1996/2909
Section 120(4) to (6)	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Sections 121 to 124	28.7.1995	1995/1983
Paragraph 7(2) of Schedule 7	1.4.1997	1996/2560