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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2009 No. 3344**

**FISHERIES, ENGLAND AND WALES  
RIVER, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Eels (England and Wales) Regulations 2009**

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**THE EELS (ENGLAND AND WALES) REGULATIONS 2009**

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Records and restocking

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PART 3

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12. Construction, alteration etc of obstruction
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19. Eel screens and by-wash
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23. Notices
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## PART 6

### Enforcement and penalties

26. Entry and inspection of land etc
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Signature

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## SCHEDULE — Appeals

1. Notification of appeal must contain— (a) a copy of the...
2. Once notification of appeal is received, the appropriate authority must...
3. At the same time as notification is given to the...
4. As soon as a person has been appointed under paragraph...
5. On receiving the documentation listed in paragraph 4, the appointed...
6. The appointed person must then decide whether further evidence is...
7. The appointed person may make an unaccompanied inspection of the...
8. For the purposes of paragraph 7, access is lawful on...
9. Following the conclusion of the appeal, the appointed person must...
10. The appointed person may make such order as to the...

Explanatory Note

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Eels (England and Wales) Regulations 2009.