

---

*Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000, Paragraph 5. (See end of Document for details)*

---

## SCHEDULE 2 GENERAL POWERS OF NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITIES

### *Land*

- 5 (1) For the purposes of its functions, an authority may—
- (a) acquire by agreement,
  - (b) if authorised by the Scottish Ministers, purchase compulsorily, any land situated within the National Park.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1)(b)—
- (a) does not apply in relation to Crown land within the meaning of section 242 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (c.8), and
  - (b) is subject to any other enactment conferring on the authority power to acquire land compulsorily.
- (3) The Acquisition of Land (Authorisation Procedure) (Scotland) Act 1947 (c.42) applies in relation to the compulsory purchase of land under sub-paragraph (1)(b) as if—
- (a) that provision were contained in an Act in force immediately before the commencement of that Act, and
  - (b) the authority were a local authority.
- (4) The power to purchase land compulsorily under sub-paragraph (1)(b) includes power to acquire a servitude or other right in or over land by the creation of a new right.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000, Paragraph 5.