



Marine (Scotland) Act 2010

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PART 2

GENERAL DUTIES

3 Sustainable development and protection and enhancement of the health of the Scottish marine area

In exercising any function that affects the Scottish marine area under this Act—

- (a) the Scottish Ministers, and
- (b) public authorities

must act in the way best calculated to further the achievement of sustainable development, including the protection and, where appropriate, enhancement of the health of that area, so far as is consistent with the proper exercise of that function.

Commencement Information

II [S. 3](#) in force at 1.7.2010 by [S.S.I. 2010/230](#), [art. 2\(a\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010, Section 3.