Schedules

Schedule 1

Marine plans: preparation and adoption

Marine plans to be compatible with certain other marine plans and development plans

- **3.**—(1) In preparing or amending a marine plan for a marine plan area the Department must take all reasonable steps to secure that the plan is compatible with—
 - (a) the marine plan for any marine plan area (whether or not within the Northern Ireland inshore region) which is related to that area;
 - (b) the development plan under Article 4 of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 for any area which is related to the marine plan area.
- (2) For the purposes of this paragraph, one area is "related to" another if one or more of the following conditions is met—
 - (a) the one area adjoins or is adjacent to the other;
 - (b) the one area lies wholly or partly within the other;
 - (c) the whole or any part of the one area affects or is affected by the whole or any part of the other.
- (3) In sub-paragraph (1)(a) "marine plan" and "marine plan area" include a marine plan and a marine plan area within the meaning given by section 51 of the 2009 Act.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Marine Act (Northern Ireland) 2013, Paragraph 3.