



# Countryside Act 1968

## 1968 CHAPTER 41

*Nature conservation, National Parks and access to open country*

### **11 Conservation of natural beauty.**

In the exercise of their functions relating to land under any enactment every Minister, government department and public body shall have regard to the desirability of conserving the natural beauty and amenity of the countryside.

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** S. 11 extended by [Gas Act 1986 \(c. 44, SIF 44:2\)](#), s. 67(1)(3), Sch. 7 para. 2(1)(xxii), **Sch. 8 para. 33**
- C2** S. 11 extended by [Electricity Act 1989 \(c. 29, SIF 44:1\)](#), s. 112(1)(3), Sch. 16 para. 2(1)(9), Sch. 17 para. 33, **35(1)**
- C3** S. 11 extended (1.3.1996) by [1995 c. 45, s. 16\(1\)](#), **Sch. 4 para. 2(1)(xvii)**; S.I. 1996/218, **art. 2**

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Countryside Act 1968, Section 11.