



# Waste and Emissions Trading Act 2003

## CHAPTER 33

### WASTE AND EMISSIONS TRADING ACT 2003

#### PART 1

#### WASTE

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#### WASTE SENT TO LANDFILLS

##### *Landfill targets*

- 1 Target years
- 2 Non-target years
- 3 Non-target years: default rules

##### *Landfill allowances scheme (Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland)*

- 4 Allocation of landfill allowances
- 5 Alteration of allocations under section 4
- 6 Borrowing and banking of landfill allowances
- 7 Trading and other transfer of landfill allowances
- 8 Offences under regulations under sections 6 and 7
- 9 Duty not to exceed allowances

##### *Scheme operation and monitoring etc*

- 10 Monitoring authorities
- 11 Scheme regulations
- 12 Powers in relation to waste disposal authorities
- 13 Powers in relation to landfill operators
- 14 Disclosure of information by monitoring and allocating authorities

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- 15 Monitoring information: registers
- 16 Registers: public access

*Strategies for reducing landfilling of biodegradable waste*

- 17 Strategy for England
- 18 Strategy for Scotland
- 19 Strategy for Wales
- 20 Plan for Northern Ireland

*Interpretation of Chapter 1*

- 21 “Biodegradable waste”, “municipal waste” and “local authority collected municipal waste”
- 22 “Landfill”
- 23 “Scheme year” and “target year”
- 24 Other definitions

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