



# Climate Change Act 2008

## 2008 CHAPTER 27

### PART 2

#### THE COMMITTEE ON CLIMATE CHANGE

##### *Supplementary provisions*

#### **39 General ancillary powers**

- (1) The Committee may do anything that appears to it necessary or appropriate for the purpose of, or in connection with, the carrying out of its functions.
- (2) In particular the Committee may—
  - (a) enter into contracts,
  - (b) acquire, hold and dispose of property,
  - (c) borrow money,
  - (d) accept gifts, and
  - (e) invest money.
- (3) In exercising its functions, the Committee may—
  - (a) gather information and carry out research and analysis,
  - (b) commission others to carry out such activities, and
  - (c) publish the results of such activities carried out by the Committee or others.
- (4) The Committee must have regard to the desirability of involving the public in the exercise of its functions.

**Changes to legislation:**

Climate Change Act 2008, Section 39 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 27 February 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 86(1)(a) words renumbered as s. 86(1)(a) by [2016 c. 22 s. 211\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 86(1)(b) and word inserted by [2016 c. 22 s. 211\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 86(7A)(7B) inserted by [2016 c. 22 s. 211\(5\)](#)