



# Infrastructure Act 2015

## 2015 CHAPTER 7

### PART 5

#### PLANNING, LAND AND BUILDINGS

##### *Nationally significant infrastructure projects*

#### **28 Changes to, and revocation of, development consent orders**

- (1) Schedule 6 to the Planning Act 2008 (changes to, and revocation of, orders granting development consent) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph 2 (non-material changes to orders)—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (8) (duty for Secretary of State to comply with prescribed consultation and publicity requirements) after “Secretary of State” insert “ and the person who has made the application under sub-paragraph (4) ”, and
  - (b) after that sub-paragraph insert—

“(8A) The power to make regulations under sub-paragraph (8) includes power to allow the Secretary of State or the person who has made the application under sub-paragraph (4) to exercise a discretion.”
- (3) In paragraph 3 (changes to, and revocation of, orders) after sub-paragraph (5) insert—

“(5A) The Secretary of State may refuse to exercise the power on an application made under sub-paragraph (4) or (5) if, in particular, the Secretary of State considers that the development that would be authorised as a result of the change should properly be the subject of an application under section 37 for a development consent order.”
- (4) In paragraph 4 (supplementary provisions about changes to, and revocation of, orders) after sub-paragraph (5) insert—

“(5A) The power to make regulations under sub-paragraph (4) includes power to allow a person to exercise a discretion.”

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Infrastructure Act 2015, Section 28. (See end of Document for details)

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**Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 28 partly in force; s. 28 in force for specified purposes at Royal Assent, see s. 57(5)(b)
- I2** S. 28 in force at 14.7.2015 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2015/758](#), **reg. 3** (with [reg. 4\(3\)](#))

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