

# Energy Act 2016

# **2016 CHAPTER 20**

#### PART 6

#### FINAL PROVISIONS

### 82 Regulations

- (1) A power to make regulations under this Act is exercisable by statutory instrument.
- (2) A power to make regulations under this Act includes power—
  - (a) to make different provision for different purposes (including areas);
  - (b) to make provision generally or in relation to specific cases.
- (3) A power to make regulations under this Act (except the power conferred by section 84) includes power to make incidental, consequential, supplemental, transitional or transitory provision or savings.
- (4) A statutory instrument containing—
  - (a) regulations under section 2 which amend or repeal any Act or provision of an Act,
  - (b) regulations under section 45(7),
  - (c) regulations under section 63(6) or,
  - (d) regulations under section 66(1),

may not be made unless a draft of the instrument has been laid before, and approved by a resolution of, each House of Parliament.

- (5) A statutory instrument containing any other regulations under this Act is subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.
- (6) Subsection (5) does not apply to a statutory instrument containing regulations under section 84.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

### 83 Regulations and orders: disapplication of requirements to consult the OGA

- (1) This section applies where the Secretary of State is required by this Act, the Petroleum Act 1998 or the Energy Act 2008 to consult the OGA before exercising a power to make regulations or an order.
- (2) The requirement does not apply in relation to the first exercise of the power in the period of one year beginning with the date on which section 1 comes into force.

#### 84 Commencement

- (1) Sections 79 to 81 and this Part come into force on the day on which this Act is passed.
- (2) Part 4 comes into force two months after the day on which this Act is passed.
- (3) The remaining provisions of this Act come into force on such day or days as the Secretary of State may by regulations appoint.
- (4) Regulations under subsection (3) may include transitional or transitory provision or savings.

## 85 Short title and extent

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Energy Act 2016.
- (2) An amendment (other than an amendment of Part 1A of the Petroleum Act 1998) or repeal made by this Act has the same extent as the provision to which it relates.
- (3) Subject to subsection (2), this Act extends to the whole of the United Kingdom.