



# Environment Act 2021

## 2021 CHAPTER 30

### PART 1

#### ENVIRONMENTAL GOVERNANCE

### CHAPTER 2

#### THE OFFICE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

##### *The Office for Environmental Protection*

#### **24 The OEP's strategy: process**

- (1) The OEP must—
  - (a) arrange for the strategy prepared under section 23 to be laid before Parliament, and
  - (b) publish it.
- (2) The OEP may revise the strategy at any time (and subsection (1) applies to any revised strategy).
- (3) The OEP must review the strategy at least once in every review period.
- (4) “Review period” means—
  - (a) in relation to the first review, the period of 3 years beginning with the day on which the strategy was first published, and
  - (b) in relation to subsequent reviews, the period of 3 years beginning with the day on which the previous review was completed.
- (5) Before preparing, revising or reviewing the strategy, the OEP must consult such persons as it considers appropriate.