



National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949

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PART II

NATIONAL PARKS

9 Development plans relating to National Parks.

- (1) In preparing a development plan, or proposals for any alterations of or additions to a development plan, for any area being or including the whole or any part of a National Park, [^{F1}the authority or authorities who are required to prepare the plan or, as the case may be, who are entitled to alter or add to it] shall consult with [^{F2}Natural England] and take into consideration any observations made by [^{F2}Natural England].

^{F3}(2)

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 9(1) substituted (23.11.1996) by 1995 c. 25, s. 78, **Sch. 10 para. 2(3)** (with ss. 7(6), 115, 117, **Sch. 8 para. 7**); S.I. 1995/2950, **art. 2**
- F2** Words in s. 9(1) substituted (1.10.2006) by Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 (c. 16), s. 107, **Sch. 11 para. 10(d)**; S.I. 2006/2541, art. 2 (with Sch.)
- F3** S. 9(2) repealed (1.10.2006) by Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 (c. 16), ss. 60(4), 107(3)(b), **Schs. 12**; S.I. 2006/2541, art. 2 (with Sch.)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 9 applied (1.4.2001 for E. and 1.5.2001 for W.) by 2000 c. 37, s. **84(1)(b)** (with s. 84(4)-(6)); S.I. 2001/114, **art. 2(2)(e)**; S.I. 2001/1410, **art. 2(g)**
- C2** S. 9: power to amend conferred by Levelling-Up and Regeneration Act 2023 (2023 c. 55), **ss. 132**, 255(3)(a) (with s. 247)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949, Section 9.