
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 1154

The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016

PART 5

Public registers

Duty of the regulator to maintain a public register

46.—(1) Subject to regulations 47 and 48, the regulator must maintain a register (a “public register”) containing the information in paragraph 1 of Schedule 27 (public registers).

(2) Nothing in paragraph (1) requires a public register to contain information relating to criminal proceedings, or anything which is the subject matter of criminal proceedings, before those proceedings are finally disposed of.

(3) In paragraph (2), “criminal proceedings” includes prospective criminal proceedings.

(4) The regulator must enter information on its public register as soon as reasonably practicable after it comes within the regulator's possession.

(5) Where information of any description is excluded from any public register under regulation 48, a statement must be entered on the register indicating the existence of information of that description.

(6) The regulator must—

- (a) make its public register available for public inspection at all reasonable times, free of charge, and
- (b) enable members of the public to obtain copies of entries on its public register on payment of a reasonable charge.

(7) A public register may be kept in any form.

Changes to legislation:

The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016, Section 46 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 31 May 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 Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:

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

- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 2(3) inserted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(6\)](#)
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- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 8 inserted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(12\)](#)
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- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 7(4)(f)-(h) omitted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(11\)\(c\)\(vi\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 7(5) omitted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(11\)\(d\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 2(2)(a) substituted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(5\)\(b\)](#)
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- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 5(8) substituted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(8\)\(g\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 6(1)(b) substituted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(9\)\(c\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 6(1)(f) substituted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(9\)\(f\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 4(6)(a)-(j) substituted for Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 4(6)(a)-(d) by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(7\)\(d\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 4(8)(9) substituted for Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 4(8) by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(7\)\(g\)](#)
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- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 6(1)(g) word inserted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(9\)\(g\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 4(6) word omitted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(7\)\(d\)\(i\)\(bb\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 5(7) word omitted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(8\)\(e\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 6(1)(g) word omitted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(9\)\(g\)\(iii\)](#)
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- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 7(3)(c) words inserted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(11\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 7(4)(c) words inserted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(11\)\(c\)\(iv\)](#)
- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 7(4)(e) words inserted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(11\)\(c\)\(v\)](#)
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- Sch. 9 Pt. 2 para. 2(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2023/1156 reg. 2\(4\)\(h\)\(i\)](#)
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