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WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Environmental Noise (Wales) Regulations 2006

**PART 5**

COOPERATION WITH EXTERNAL COMPETENT AUTHORITIES

**Cooperation with external competent authorities**

**22.**—(1) When necessary in order to meet its obligations under these Regulations, a competent authority must use all reasonable endeavours to secure the cooperation of an external competent authority.

(2) A competent authority—

- (a) when requested to do so by an external competent authority; and
- (b) if necessary to meet that external competent authority's obligations arising under the Directive,

must cooperate with that external competent authority.

(3) In this Part “external competent authority” (“*awdurdod cymwys allanol*”) means a competent authority in Northern Ireland, Scotland or England designated for the purposes of Article 4 of the Directive.