

# Deep Sea Mining F1... Act 1981

### **CHAPTER 53**

# DEEP SEA MINING (TEMPORARY PROVISIONS) ACT 1981

- 1 Prohibition of unlicensed deep sea mining.
- 2 Exploration and exploitation licences.
- 3 Contracts granted by the Authority
- 3A Exemptions from prohibition in section 1
  - 4 Prevention of interference with licensed operations.
  - 5 Protection of the marine environment.
  - 6 Variation and revocation of licences.
  - 7 Freedom of the high seas.
  - 8 Foreign discriminatory action.
- 8A Enforcement of decisions of the Seabed Disputes Chamber
- 8B Proof and admissibility of decisions of the Seabed Disputes Chamber
- 8C Recognition and enforcement of arbitration awards
  - 9 The Deep Sea Mining Levy.
- 10 The Deep Sea Mining Fund.
- 11 Inspectors.
- 12 Regulations and orders
- 13 Disclosure of information.
- 14 Supplementary provisions relating to offences.
- 15 Civil liability for breach of statutory duty.
- 16 Exclusion of certain legislation
- 17 Interpretation
- 17A Exercise of functions by the Scottish Ministers
- 18 Short title, etc.

#### General

- 1 Form and content of applications.
- 2 Evidence to be submitted in support of applications, the form...
- 3 The safety, health or welfare of persons employed in any...
- 4 The holding of inquiries into accidents occurring in the course...
- 5 The prohibition of any method of working which in the...

## Provisions relating to inspectors

- 6 Powers of inspectors to board, and to obtain access to...
- 7 Powers of inspectors to test equipment and, in special circumstances,...
- 8 Powers of inspectors to require, in connection with the survey...
- 9 Rights of inspectors to require, on payment of reasonable costs,...
- Duties to provide inspectors with reasonable accommodation and means of...
- 11 Powers to be exercisable by inspectors in case of immediate...

## Offences

- 12 Regulations may provide that any prescribed breach of regulations shall...
- 13 Regulations may afford such defence, if any, as may be...

# **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Deep Sea Mining Act 1981.