



# Planning (Wales) Act 2015

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## PART 6

### DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ETC

#### *Stopping up or diversion of public paths*

#### **38 Stopping up or diversion of public paths where application for planning permission made**

- (1) TCPA 1990 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 257 (footpaths, bridleways and restricted byways affected by other development: orders by other authorities), in subsection (1A), omit “in England”.
- (3) In section 259 (confirmation of orders)—
  - (a) in each of subsections (1), (1A) and (2), for “Secretary of State” substitute “appropriate national authority”;
  - (b) after subsection (4) insert—
    - “(5) The appropriate national authority, for the purposes of this section, is—
      - (a) in relation to England, the Secretary of State;
      - (b) in relation to Wales, the Welsh Ministers.”

#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 38 partly in force; s. 38 in force for specified purposes at 6.9.2015, see s. 58(2)(b)(4)(b)
- I2** S. 38 in force at 16.3.2016 in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2016/52, art. 5(b)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Planning (Wales) Act 2015, Cross  
Heading: Stopping up or diversion of public paths.