



Energy Act 1976

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Permanent and reserve powers for energy conservation and control

- 1 General control by order
- 2 Reserve power to control by government directions
- 3 Implementation of reserve powers
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- 5 Temporary relief from restrictive practices law

Maintenance of fuel reserves

- 6 Bulk stocks of petroleum, etc.
- 7 Fuel stocks at power stations

Offshore natural gas

- 8 Supply of offshore natural gas
- 9 Use and liquefaction of offshore natural gas
- 10 Supplementary provisions as to consents
- 11 Interpretation of ss.8 to 10

Other measures for controlling energy sources and promoting economy

- 12 Disposal of gas by flaring, etc.
- 13 Restriction on obligation to supply gas
- 14 Fuelling of new and converted power stations
- 15 Passenger car fuel consumption

Miscellaneous and general

- 16 Finance for power projects

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- 17 Orders and directions
- 18 Administration, enforcement and offences
- 19 Penalties
- 20 Financial provision
- 21 Interpretation
- 22 Repeals and savings
- 23 Citation, commencement and extent

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1 — Relaxations of Road Traffic and Transport Law Permissible under Section 4(2)

- 1 (1) A person acting under and in accordance with a...
- 2 A person acting under and in accordance with such an...
- 3 A person acting under and in accordance with such an...
- 4 (1) A person charged under section 143 of the Road...

SCHEDULE 2 — Administration and other matters

Power to obtain information

- 1 (1) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph, the Secretary...

Power to call for documents

- 2 (1) The powers of this paragraph are exercisable—

Access to premises etc. for enforcement purposes

- 3 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) below, a person authorised by...

Entry with warrant

- 4 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (4) below, if a justice of...

Price control enforcement

- 5 (1) The Secretary of State may designate a local weights...

Proceedings

- 6 (1) Proceedings for an offence of contravening or failing to...

Non-disclosure of information

- 7 No information obtained by virtue of this Act shall be...

Proof of documents

- 8 (1) Every document purporting to be an instrument made by...

SCHEDULE 3 — Community Obligations of which Breach is Punishable under this Act

SCHEDULE 4 — Repeals and Savings

PART I — ENACTMENTS REPEALED

PART II — SAVINGS FOR NORTHERN IRELAND, CHANNEL ISLANDS AND ISLE
OF MAN

- 1 Section 4 of the Fuel and Electricity (Control) Act 1973,...
- 2 The 1973 Act remains in force— (a) in its application...

PART III — ORDERS UNDER 1973 ACT WHICH CONTINUE IN FORCE