



# Greater London Authority Act 1999

## 1999 CHAPTER 29

### PART IX

#### ENVIRONMENTAL FUNCTIONS

##### *Waste*

#### **356 Directions by the Mayor.**

(1) Where the Mayor considers that it is necessary for the purposes of the implementation of the [<sup>F1</sup>provisions of the London Environment Strategy dealing with municipal waste management], he may give to a waste collection authority in Greater London, or a waste disposal authority in Greater London, a direction requiring the authority to exercise a function in a manner specified in the direction.

(2) The Mayor may not give to an authority a direction under subsection (1) above requiring the authority—

- (a) to terminate a waste contract before the expiry of the term of the contract; or
- (b) to do anything which would result in a breach of any term of a waste contract.

<sup>F2</sup>(3) .....

[<sup>F3</sup>(3A) The Mayor may not give to an authority a direction under subsection (1) above requiring the authority to exercise a function in relation to the awarding of a waste contract if—

- (a) the authority is required to comply with the [<sup>F4</sup>Public Procurement Regulations] in awarding that contract, and
- (b) in compliance with those regulations the authority has [<sup>F5</sup>submitted] the contract notice [<sup>F6</sup>or the concession notice (as the case may require)] relating to the awarding of that contract to the [<sup>F7</sup>UK e-notification service].]

(4) The power of the Mayor to give a direction to an authority under subsection (1) above—

- (a) may be exercised either generally or specially, and

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(b) may only be exercised after consultation with the authority concerned.

(5) Where the Mayor gives an authority a direction under subsection (1) above, the authority to whom the direction is given shall comply with the direction.

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 356(1) substituted (3.5.2012) by Localism Act 2011 (c. 20), s. 240(2), **Sch. 23 para. 6(b)**; S.I. 2012/1008, art. 3(e) (with arts. 7, 9-11)
- F2** S. 356(3) omitted (18.4.2016) by virtue of The Public Procurement (Amendments, Repeals and Revocations) Regulations 2016 (S.I. 2016/275), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 1 para. 3(2)** (with reg. 5)
- F3** S. 356(3A) inserted (E.W.N.I.) (26.2.2015) by The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/102), reg. 1(2), **Sch. 6 para. 4(3)**
- F4** Words in s. 356(3A)(a) substituted (18.4.2016) by The Public Procurement (Amendments, Repeals and Revocations) Regulations 2016 (S.I. 2016/275), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 1 para. 3(3)(a)** (with reg. 5)
- F5** Word in s. 356(3A)(b) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1319), regs. 1(2), **3(3)(a)** (with Sch. para. 3, 4)
- F6** Words in s. 356(3A)(b) inserted (18.4.2016) by The Public Procurement (Amendments, Repeals and Revocations) Regulations 2016 (S.I. 2016/275), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 1 para. 3(3)(b)** (with reg. 5)
- F7** Words in s. 356(3A)(b) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1319), regs. 1(2), **3(3)(b)** (with Sch. para. 3, 4)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 356(3A)(b) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/560 reg. 2\(3\)\(a\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Affecting Regulations revoked (20.11.2020) by S.I. 2020/1319, regs. 1(3), 2(a))
- s. 356(3A)(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/560 reg. 2\(3\)\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Affecting Regulations revoked (20.11.2020) by S.I. 2020/1319, regs. 1(3), 2(a))

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

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

- s. 334(2A)-(2E) substituted for s. 334(2)-(6) by [2023 c. 55 s. 95\(2\)](#)
- s. 334(9)-(11) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 95\(3\)](#)
- s. 337(1A) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 96\(1\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 337(2)(ca) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 6 para. 15](#)
- Sch. 23 para. 1(3A) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 244\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 23 para. 3A3B and cross-heading inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 244\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 23 para. 4(2A)(2B) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 244\(4\)](#)
- Sch. 23 para. 4A and cross-heading inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 244\(6\)](#)