



Energy Act 2008

2008 CHAPTER 32

PART 1

GAS IMPORTATION AND STORAGE

CHAPTER 3

STORAGE OF CARBON DIOXIDE

Termination of the licence

31 Termination of licence: regulations

- (1) The licensing authority may by regulations make provision—
 - (a) about the circumstances in which a licence may be terminated;
 - (b) imposing obligations on the licensing authority in respect of a carbon storage facility on or after the termination of a licence relating to the facility.
- (2) Regulations under this section may, in particular, make provision about financial arrangements to be made in relation to a closed carbon storage facility on or after the termination of a licence relating to the facility.
- (3) A licence has effect subject to any regulations under this section.

[^{F1}(3A) Where the licensing authority is the OGA—

- (a) regulations under this section are to be made by the Secretary of State (and not by the OGA), and
- (b) the Secretary of State must consult the OGA before making the regulations.]

[^{F2}(4) In subsection (1) “licensing authority” does not include the Welsh Ministers or the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment in Northern Ireland.]

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Energy Act 2008, Section 31. (See end of Document for details)

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Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 31(3A) inserted (1.10.2016) by Energy Act 2016 (c. 20), s. 84(3), **Sch. 1 para. 60**; S.I. 2016/920, reg. 2(a)
- F2** S. 31(4) inserted (16.11.2011) by The Storage of Carbon Dioxide (Amendment of the Energy Act 2008 etc.) Regulations 2011 (S.I. 2011/2453), **reg. 12**
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Commencement Information

- I1** S. 31 in force at 6.4.2009 by S.I. 2009/45, **art. 4(a)(ii)**

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