



Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009

2009 CHAPTER 23

PART 10

MISCELLANEOUS

Natural England

311 Area in which functions of Natural England exercisable

- (1) Section 1 of the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 (c. 16) (constitution of Natural England) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (3) (area in which functions exercisable) after “in relation to England” insert “ (including, where the context requires, the territorial sea adjacent to England) ”.
- (3) After subsection (3) insert—
 - “(3A) An order or Order in Council made—
 - (a) under section 158(3) of the Government of Wales Act 2006 for the purposes of determining which waters are treated as being adjacent to Wales, or
 - (b) under section 126(2) of the Scotland Act 1998 for the purposes of determining which waters are treated as being adjacent to Scotland,applies for the purposes of this section as it applies for the purposes of the Act under which it is made.”.

Commencement Information

II S. 311 in force at 12.1.2010 by S.I. 2009/3345, art. 2, Sch. para. 25

Changes to legislation:

Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009, Section 311 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 23 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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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. 72A(2A) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 232\(2\)\(d\)](#)
- s. 72A(6)(a) words in s. 72A(6) renumbered as s. 72A(6)(a) by [2023 c. 55 s. 232\(2\)\(f\)\(i\)](#)
- s. 72A(6)(a) words inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 232\(2\)\(f\)\(ii\)](#)
- s. 72A(6)(b) and word inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 232\(2\)\(f\)\(iii\)](#)
- Sch. 6 para. 1(2)(da) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 8 para. 31\(2\)\(a\)](#)