



Flood and Water Management Act 2010

2010 CHAPTER 29

PART 1

FLOOD AND COASTAL EROSION RISK MANAGEMENT

2. Strategies, co-operation and funding

17 Levies

- (1) The Environment Agency may issue levies to the lead local flood authority for an area^[F1] in England] in respect of the Agency's flood and coastal erosion risk management functions in that area.
- [F2](1A) The Natural Resources Body for Wales may issue levies to the lead local flood authority for an area in Wales in respect of the Natural Resources Body for Wales' flood and coastal erosion risk management functions in that area.]
- (2) A levy issued under this section shall be issued in accordance with regulations under section 74 of the Local Government Finance Act 1988.
- (3) The [F3]Agency and the Natural Resources Body for Wales shall each] be treated as a levying body within the meaning of that section.
- (4) This section is subject to the requirement in section 23(3) [F4]for the Agency] to obtain the consent of the appropriate Regional Flood and Coastal Committee.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 17(1) inserted (1.4.2013) by [The Natural Resources Body for Wales \(Functions\) Order 2013 \(No. 755\), art. 1\(2\), Sch. 2 para. 458\(2\)](#) (with Sch. 7)
- F2** S. 17(1A) inserted (1.4.2013) by [The Natural Resources Body for Wales \(Functions\) Order 2013 \(No. 755\), art. 1\(2\), Sch. 2 para. 458\(3\)](#) (with Sch. 7)
- F3** Words in s. 17(3) substituted (1.4.2013) by [The Natural Resources Body for Wales \(Functions\) Order 2013 \(No. 755\), art. 1\(2\), Sch. 2 para. 458\(4\)](#) (with Sch. 7)

*Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the
Flood and Water Management Act 2010, Section 17. (See end of Document for details)*

- F4** Words in s. 17(4) inserted (14.7.2017) by Environment (Wales) Act 2016 (anaw 3), s. 88(3)(c), **Sch. 2 para. 25(3)**; S.I. 2017/714, art. 2

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 17(1)(4) in force at 1.4.2011 by S.I. 2011/694, **art. 3(a)**
I2 S. 17(2)(3) in force at 1.10.2010 for specified purposes by S.I. 2010/2169, art. 4, **Sch.**
I3 S. 17(2)(3) in force at 1.4.2011 in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2011/694, **art. 3(a)**

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