



Public Bodies Act 2011

2011 CHAPTER 24

PART 1

GENERAL ORDER-MAKING POWERS

Powers of Welsh Ministers

13 Powers relating to environmental bodies

- (1) The Welsh Ministers may by order modify—
 - (a) the functions of the Countryside Council for Wales (“the CCW”),
 - (b) the Welsh devolved functions of the Environment Agency, [^{F1}or]
 - (c) the Welsh devolved functions of the Forestry Commissioners, ^{F2}...
 - ^{F2}(d)
- (2) The Welsh Ministers may by order transfer any function of the CCW to—
 - (a) a new body,
 - (b) the Welsh Ministers,
 - (c) the Environment Agency or the Forestry Commissioners, or
 - (d) any other person exercising Welsh devolved functions.
- (3) The Welsh Ministers may by order transfer any Welsh devolved function of the Environment Agency or the Forestry Commissioners to—
 - (a) a new body,
 - (b) the Welsh Ministers,
 - (c) the CCW, or
 - (d) any other person exercising Welsh devolved functions.
- ^{F3}(4)
- (5) The Welsh Ministers may by order transfer any function of theirs relating to the environment to—
 - (a) a new body,

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- (b) the CCW, or
 - (c) the Environment Agency or the Forestry Commissioners.
- (6) The Welsh Ministers may by order transfer any Welsh environmental function from the person whose function it is to—
- (a) a new body,
 - (b) the CCW, or
 - (c) the Environment Agency or the Forestry Commissioners.
- (7) The Welsh Ministers may by order establish a body corporate for the purposes of this section; and in this section references to a “new body” are to any body so established.

^{F4}(8)

^{F4}(9)

Textual Amendments

F1 Word in s. 13(1)(b) inserted (E.W.) (14.7.2017) by [Environment \(Wales\) Act 2016 \(anaw 3\)](#), s. 88(3)(c), **Sch. 2 para. 26(2)(a)(i)**; S.I. 2017/714, art. 2

F2 S. 13(1)(d) and word omitted (E.W.) (14.7.2017) by virtue of [Environment \(Wales\) Act 2016 \(anaw 3\)](#), s. 88(3)(c), **Sch. 2 para. 26(2)(a)(ii)**; S.I. 2017/714, art. 2

F3 S. 13(4) omitted (E.W.) (14.7.2017) by virtue of [Environment \(Wales\) Act 2016 \(anaw 3\)](#), s. 88(3)(c), **Sch. 2 para. 26(2)(b)**; S.I. 2017/714, art. 2

F4 S. 13(8)(9) omitted (E.W.) (14.7.2017) by virtue of [Environment \(Wales\) Act 2016 \(anaw 3\)](#), s. 88(3)(c), **Sch. 2 para. 26(2)(c)**; S.I. 2017/714, art. 2

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