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SCHEDULE 7

FURTHER AMENDMENTS

Water Industry Act 1991 (c. 56)

- 12 (1) Section 17D (the threshold requirement) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1) (purpose of section 17D)—
- (a) for “section 17A(3)(b) above” there is substituted “ paragraph 7(b) of Schedule 2A ”;
 - (b) after “the supply of water to any premises” there is inserted “ in accordance with a restricted retail authorisation ”.
- (3) In subsection (2) (description of the requirement), for “licensed water supplier” there is substituted “ water supply licensee ”.
- (4) In subsection (3) (guidance on making estimate)—
- (a) after “guidance issued” there is inserted “ from time to time ”;
 - (b) for “the Secretary of State” there is substituted “ the Welsh Ministers ”.
- (5) Subsection (5) (duty of Secretary of State to consult the National Assembly for Wales before issuing guidance) is repealed.
- (6) Subsection (6) (application of guidance provision to threshold requirement) is repealed.
- (7) In subsection (7) (regulations as to entering into an undertaking to supply water)—
- (a) for “The Secretary of State” there is substituted “ The Welsh Ministers ”;
 - (b) for “licensed water supplier” there is substituted “ water supply licensee ”;
 - (c) the words “(subject to subsection (12) below)” are repealed.
- (8) In subsection (8) (regulations to alter the threshold)—
- (a) for “The Secretary of State” there is substituted “ The Welsh Ministers ”;
 - (b) the words “(subject to subsection (12) below)” are repealed.
- (9) In subsection (10) (procedure), for “each House of Parliament” there is substituted “ the Assembly ”.
- (10) In subsection (11) (consultation before making regulations)—
- (a) for “the Secretary of State”, in the first place where those words occur, there is substituted “ the Welsh Ministers ”;
 - (b) for “the Secretary of State thinks” there is substituted “ the Welsh Ministers think ”.
- (11) Subsections (12) and (13) (exercise of powers by Welsh Ministers) are repealed.

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Commencement Information

- I1** Sch. 7 para. 12(1) in force at 1.1.2016 for specified purposes by S.I. 2015/1938, **art. 3(f)(iii)**
- I2** Sch. 7 para. 12(1) in force at 1.4.2016 for specified purposes by S.I. 2016/465, art. 2(m), **Sch. 1 para. 1(g)** (with Sch. 2)
- I3** Sch. 7 para. 12(1) in force at 1.4.2017 in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2017/462, **art. 3(k)(iv)**
- I4** Sch. 7 para. 12(2) in force at 1.1.2016 by S.I. 2015/1938, **art. 3(f)(ii)** (with art. 4)
- I5** Sch. 7 para. 12(3) in force at 1.4.2016 by S.I. 2016/465, art. 2(m), **Sch. 1 para. 1(g)** (with Sch. 2)
- I6** Sch. 7 para. 12(4)-(11) in force at 1.4.2017 by S.I. 2017/462, **art. 3(k)(iv)** (with art. 11)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/1288, art. 3(c)(d) by [S.I. 2019/706 art. 2](#)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/462, arts. 4, 5 by [S.I. 2017/926 art. 2](#)