



# Environment (Wales) Act 2016

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## PART 1

### SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

#### *Introduction*

#### **2 Natural resources**

In this Part, “natural resources” includes (but is not limited to)—

- (a) animals, plants and other organisms;
- (b) air, water and soil;
- (c) minerals;
- (d) geological features and processes;
- (e) physiographical features;
- (f) climatic features and processes.

**Changes to legislation:**

Environment (Wales) Act 2016, Section 2 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 02 August 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. 6(10)(d) substituted by [S.I. 2024/706 reg. 22\(a\)](#)
- s. 6(10)(d) substituted by [S.I. 2024/706 reg. 22\(b\)](#)