



Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004

2004 CHAPTER 5

PART 1

REGIONAL FUNCTIONS

RSS revision

8 RSS: examination in public

- (1) This section applies if the Secretary of State decides that an examination in public is to be held of a draft revision of the RSS.
- (2) The examination must be held before a person appointed by the Secretary of State.
- (3) No person has a right to be heard at an examination in public.
- (4) The Secretary of State may, after consultation with the Lord Chancellor, make regulations with respect to the procedure to be followed at an examination in public.
- (5) The person appointed under subsection (2) must make a report of the examination to the Secretary of State.
- (6) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision as to the procedure to be followed in connection with the recommendations of the person appointed under subsection (2).
- (7) An examination in public—
 - (a) is a statutory inquiry for the purposes of section 1(1)(c) of the Tribunals and Inquiries Act 1992 (c. 53) (report on administrative procedures);
 - (b) is not a statutory inquiry for any other purpose of that Act.