



Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009

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PART 5

REGIONAL STRATEGY

Effect of strategy

82 Regional strategy as part of the development plan

- (1) In section 38 of the [Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 \(c. 5\)](#) (development plan), in subsection (3)(a), for “regional spatial strategy” substitute “regional strategy”.
- (2) For the purposes of that section, during the interim period a regional strategy is to be regarded as consisting solely of the matters referred to section 70(6)(a).
- (3) In subsection (2) “interim period” means the period after the coming into force of this section and before whichever is the earlier of—
 - (a) publication of a revision to the strategy under section 78(5), or
 - (b) publication of a revised strategy under section 79.