
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2021 No. 131

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
MARINE MANAGEMENT**

**The Red Rocks and Longay Urgent
Marine Conservation Order 2021**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>at 11.00 a.m. on 10th</i>
		<i>March 2021</i>
<i>Laid before the Scottish</i>		<i>at 3.00 p.m. on 10th</i>
<i>Parliament</i>	- - - -	<i>March 2021</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>17th March 2021</i>

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 85(1)(a), (2) and (4), 86(1) and (3), 92(1) and 93(1) of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010⁽¹⁾ and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 85(1)(a) of that Act, this Order is made for the purpose of furthering the stated conservation objectives for the Red Rocks and Longay MPA⁽²⁾.

In accordance with section 88(1) of that Act, the Scottish Ministers consider there is an urgent need to protect the area as respects which this Order is made (and so an urgent need to make this Order).

(1) 2010 asp 5.

(2) The Red Rocks and Longay MPA was designated as a nature conservation marine protected area by, and described in article 3 of, the Red Rocks and Longay Nature Conservation Marine Protected Area Order 2021 (“the MPA Order”). The MPA Order is available at <https://www.gov.scot/policies/marine-environment/marine-protected-areas/>. The conservation objectives are stated in article 5 of the MPA Order.