



# Customs and Excise Management Act 1979

## 1979 CHAPTER 2

### PART III

#### CUSTOMS AND EXCISE CONTROL AREAS

##### [<sup>F1</sup>20B Approval of aerodromes

- (1) The Commissioners may approve an aerodrome for the purposes of the customs and excise Acts.
- (2) In any case where they consider it would facilitate the administration, collection or enforcement of any duty of customs, the Commissioners may by regulations—
  - (a) specify conditions which must be met before an approval is granted, or
  - (b) specify other conditions which they may, in any particular case, require to be met before an approval is granted.
- (3) In any other case, an approval has effect subject to such conditions and restrictions as the Commissioners think fit.
- (4) The Commissioners may at any time for reasonable cause revoke or vary the terms of an approval.
- (5) This section does not apply in relation to an aerodrome which is a customs and excise airport.]

##### Textual Amendments

**F1** S. 20B inserted (11.7.2023) by Finance (No. 2) Act 2023 (c. 30), s. 339(2)

**Changes to legislation:**

Customs and Excise Management Act 1979, Section 20B is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 19 July 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.

[View outstanding changes](#)

**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. 95(1A)(1B) inserted by [2023 c. 30 s. 110\(2\)](#)
- s. 119(7) inserted by [S.I. 2022/109 reg. 2\(3\)\(f\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). The affecting statutory instrument has no legal effect. It was made under a procedure which meant that it ceased to have effect 28 days after signing unless it was debated and approved in Parliament within that time. It was not debated and approved within 28 days, so it has expired with no effect.)
- s. 160(2A) inserted by [2023 c. 30 Sch. 13 para. 26\(3\)](#)