



Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984

1984 CHAPTER 22

PART I

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

Port health districts and authorities

3 Jurisdiction and powers of port health authority

- (1) An order under section 2 above constituting a port health district—
 - (a) shall confer on the port health authority jurisdiction over all waters and land within the port health district, and
 - (b) may assign to the port health authority any of the functions, rights and liabilities of a local authority under any enactment relating to public health, waste disposal or the control of pollution, whether passed before or after, and whether or not contained in, this Act.
- (2) Any such order may also assign to the port health authority any of the functions, rights and liabilities—
 - (a) of a local authority or food and drugs authority under the Food and Drugs Act 1955,
 - (b) of a local authority under Part I of the Slaughterhouses Act 1974, or
 - (c) of a local authority under any of the following provisions of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976—
 - (i) section 16 (power of local authorities to obtain particulars of persons interested in land),
 - (ii) section 32 (power of local authorities to execute works outside their areas),
 - (iii) section 41 (evidence of resolutions and minutes of proceedings etc.).

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (3) Section 241 of the Local Government Act 1972 (which enables any of the provisions of that Act to be applied to a joint board of which the constituent members are local authorities) shall apply in relation to a port health authority constituted under section 2 above, notwithstanding that it may consist of a single local authority or may be a joint board of which not all the constituent members are local authorities.