

# New Roads and Street Works Act 1991

## **1991 CHAPTER 22**

#### PART III

#### STREET WORKS IN ENGLAND AND WALES

General requirements as to execution of street works

#### Qualifications of supervisors and operatives.

- (1) It is the duty of an undertaker executing street works involving—
  - (a) breaking up the street, or any sewer, drain or tunnel under it, or
  - (b) tunnelling or boring under the street,

to secure that, except in such cases as may be prescribed, the execution of the works is supervised by a person having a prescribed qualification as a supervisor.

- (2) It is the duty of an undertaker executing street works involving—
  - (a) breaking up or opening the street, or any sewer, drain or tunnel under it, or
  - (b) tunnelling or boring under the street,

to secure that, except in such cases as may be prescribed, there is on site at all times when any such works are in progress at least one person having a prescribed qualification as a trained operative.

- (3) An undertaker who fails to comply with his duty under subsection (1) or (2) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding [F1]level 5] on the standard scale.
- (4) Regulations made by the Secretary of State for the purposes of this section may include provision with respect to—
  - (a) the approval of bodies conferring qualifications (and the withdrawal of such approval), and
  - (b) the circumstances in which a qualification may be conferred.

Status: Point in time view as at 04/10/2004. This version of this provision has been superseded.

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## **Textual Amendments**

**F1** Words in s. 67(3) substituted (4.10.2004 for E.) by Traffic Management Act 2004 (c. 18), ss. 40(1)(2), 99(1), **Sch. 1**; S.I. 2004/2380, art. 2(d)(i) (with art. 3)

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