



# Water Resources Act 1991

## 1991 CHAPTER 57

### PART VII

#### LAND AND WORKS POWERS

### CHAPTER III

#### PROVISIONS SUPPLEMENTAL TO LAND AND WORK POWERS

#### *Interpretation of Part VII*

#### **186 Interpretation of Part VII.**

(1) In this Part—

“discharge pipe” means a pipe from which discharges are or are to be made under section 163 above;

[<sup>F1</sup>“relevant transferred functions” means any functions which—

- (a) were exercisable by the Agency before 1 April 2013, and
- (b) are functions of the NRBW by virtue of the Natural Resources Body for Wales (Functions) Order 2013,

but this is subject to subsection (1A).]

“resource main” means any pipe, not being a trunk main within the meaning of the <sup>M1</sup>Water Industry Act 1991, which is or is to be used for the purpose of—

- (a) conveying water from one source of supply to another, from a source of supply to a regulating reservoir or from a regulating reservoir to a source of supply; or
- (b) giving or taking a supply of water in bulk.

[<sup>F2</sup>(1A) For the purposes of the definition of “relevant transferred functions”—

- (a) a function of the Agency was exercisable before 1 April 2013 whether or not the enactment conferring it had come into force before that date, but

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- (b) a function is only a relevant transferred function when the enactment conferring the Agency function transferred to or conferred on the NRBW has come into force.]
- (2) In subsection (1) above—  
“source of supply” shall be construed without reference to the definition of that expression in section 221 below; and  
“supply of water in bulk” has the same meaning as in section 3 above.
- (3) The powers conferred by Chapter I of this Part shall be without prejudice to the powers conferred on the Agency [<sup>F3</sup>or on the NRBW] by any other enactment or by any agreement.

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in s. 186(1) inserted (1.4.2013) by [The Natural Resources Body for Wales \(Functions\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/755\)](#), art. 1(2), **Sch. 2 para. 297(2)** (with Sch. 7)
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- F3** Words in s. 186(3) inserted (1.4.2013) by [The Natural Resources Body for Wales \(Functions\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/755\)](#), art. 1(2), **Sch. 2 para. 297(4)** (with Sch. 7)

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