



# Utilities Act 2000

## 2000 CHAPTER 27

### PART I

#### NEW REGULATORY ARRANGEMENTS

#### **1 Gas and Electricity Markets Authority**

- (1) There shall be a body corporate to be known as the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority (in this Act referred to as “the Authority”) for the purpose of carrying out—
  - (a) functions transferred to the Authority from the Director General of Gas Supply and the Director General of Electricity Supply; and
  - (b) the other functions of the Authority under this Act.
- (2) The functions of the Authority are performed on behalf of the Crown.
- (3) The offices of Director General of Gas Supply and Director General of Electricity Supply are abolished.
- (4) Schedule 1 has effect with respect to the Authority.