



# Climate Change Act 2008

## 2008 CHAPTER 27

### PART 1

#### CARBON TARGET AND BUDGETING

##### *Targeted greenhouse gases*

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- (1) In this Part a “targeted greenhouse gas” means—
  - (a) carbon dioxide,
  - (b) methane,
  - (c) nitrous oxide,
  - (d) hydrofluorocarbons,
  - (e) perfluorocarbons,
  - (f) sulphur hexafluoride, and
  - (g) any other greenhouse gas designated as a targeted greenhouse gas by order made by the Secretary of State.
- (2) The order may make such consequential amendments of the provisions of this Act as appear to the Secretary of State to be necessary or expedient.
- (3) Before making an order under this section, the Secretary of State must—
  - (a) consult the other national authorities, and
  - (b) obtain, and take into account, the advice of the Committee on Climate Change.
- (4) As soon as is reasonably practicable after giving its advice to the Secretary of State, the Committee must publish that advice in such manner as it considers appropriate.
- (5) If the order makes provision different from that recommended by the Committee, the Secretary of State must publish a statement setting out the reasons for that decision.
- (6) The statement may be published in such manner as the Secretary of State thinks fit.

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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(7) An order under this section is subject to affirmative resolution procedure.