



Climate Change Act 2008

2008 CHAPTER 27

PART 5

OTHER PROVISIONS

Miscellaneous

87 Power of Ministers and departments to offset greenhouse gas emissions

- (1) An authority to which this section applies may acquire and dispose of units or interests in units representing—
 - (a) a reduction in an amount of greenhouse gas emissions,
 - (b) the removal of an amount of greenhouse gas from the atmosphere, or
 - (c) an amount of greenhouse gas emissions allowed under a scheme or arrangement imposing a limit on such emissions.
- (2) This section applies to—
 - (a) any Minister of the Crown or government department;
 - (b) the Scottish Ministers;
 - (c) the Welsh Ministers;
 - (d) any Northern Ireland department.
- (3) If the Treasury acquire such units or interests in units, until they are disposed of they shall be treated as held by the persons for the time being constituting the Treasury.