



# Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009

## 2009 CHAPTER 23

### PART 4

#### MARINE LICENSING

### CHAPTER 3

#### ENFORCEMENT

#### *Civil sanctions*

#### 95 Variable monetary penalties

- (1) The appropriate licensing authority for any area may by order make provision to confer on the appropriate enforcement authority for that area the power by notice to impose on a person in relation to an offence under this Part a variable monetary penalty.
- (2) Provision under this section may only confer such a power in relation to a case where the enforcement authority is satisfied beyond reasonable doubt that the person has committed the offence.
- (3) For the purposes of this Part a “variable monetary penalty” is a penalty of such amount as the enforcement authority may in each case determine.

#### Commencement Information

- I1** S. 95 partly in force; s. 95 in force for specified purposes at Royal Assent see [s. 324\(1\)\(c\)](#)
- I2** S. 95 in force at 6.4.2011 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2011/556, art. 3\(2\)\(a\)](#)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 26/12/2023.

**Changes to legislation:**

Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009, Section 95 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 14 July 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.