

Building Safety Act 2022

2022 CHAPTER 30

PART 4

HIGHER-RISK BUILDINGS

Miscellaneous and general

108 Guidance

- (1) The regulator may issue guidance about any of the following matters—
 - (a) the performance of any duties under section 87 (mandatory reporting requirements);
 - (b) the performance of any duties under section 88 or 89 (duty to keep or give information);
 - (c) the performance of any duties under section 92 (duty to give further information to residents);
 - (d) the performance of any duties under section 93 (complaints procedure).
- (2) The regulator may revise or withdraw any issued guidance.
- (3) Where in any proceedings it is alleged that a person has contravened a provision mentioned in subsection (1)—
 - (a) proof of a failure to comply with any applicable guidance may be relied on as tending to establish that there was such a contravention, and
 - (b) proof of compliance with any applicable guidance may be relied on as tending to establish that there was no such contravention.
- (4) In any proceedings, a document purporting to be guidance under this section is to be taken to be such guidance unless the contrary is proved.
- (5) Guidance under this section may be issued, revised or withdrawn only with the consent of the Secretary of State.

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(6) In this section any reference to a provision includes regulations made under the provision.

Commencement Information

- I1 S. 108 in force at Royal Assent for specified purposes, see s. 170(2)(a)
- I2 S. 108 in force at 6.4.2023 in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2023/362, reg. 3(1)(z7)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 120(4A) inserted by 2024 c. 22 s. 114(3)
- s. 123(2)(a)(b) and words substituted for words by 2024 c. 22 s. 115(2)
- s. 123(8)(9) inserted by 2024 c. 22 s. 115(4)
- s. 124(2A)(2B) inserted by 2024 c. 22 s. 116(3)
- s. 124(4)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 22 s. 116(5)(b)
- Sch. 3 para. 3(5)(e) and word inserted by 2024 c. 22 Sch. 13 para. 7(b)