

Pipe-Lines Act 1962

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Exclusion of certain Pipe-lines and Works from Scope of Act

[^{F1}58A Avoidance of damage by buildings etc to pipe-lines of a public gas transporter.

- (1) Notwithstanding subsection (4) of section 58 of this Act, but subject to subsection (2) of this section, the references to a pipe-line in sections 27(1) and 31(1) of this Act (protection of pipe-lines imperilled by buildings, structures or deposits) shall include references to any pipe-line operated by a public gas transporter other than one laid in a street or a service pipe.
- (2) The application by virtue of subsection (1) of this section of sections 27(1) and 31(1) of this Act to a particular part of any pipe-line shall be dependent upon there having been previously deposited with every local authority in whose area the part lies by the public gas transporter a map (drawn to an appropriate scale) showing the route taken by the part.
- (3) A local authority holding a map relating to a pipe-line operated by a public gas transporter shall keep the map at their offices, and shall secure that it is open to inspection by any person at all reasonable times free of charge.
- (4) In this section—

"local authority" means-

- (a) in England, the council of a county, district or London borough, and the Common Council of the City of London;
- (b) in Wales, the council of a county or county borough; and
- (c) in Scotland, a council constituted under section 2 of the ^{M1}Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994;

"public gas transporter" and "service pipe" have the same meanings as in Part I of the ^{M2}Gas Act 1986;

"street" has the same meaning as in Part III of the ^{M3}New Roads and Street Works Act 1991.

(5) In relation to any time before 1st April 1996, the definition of "local authority" in subsection (4) of this section shall have effect as if—

- (a) in paragraph (b), for the words "county borough" there were substituted the word "district"; and
- (b) in paragraph (c), for the words "a council constituted under section 2 of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994" there were substituted the words "an islands or district council".
- (6) In its application to Scotland this paragraph shall have effect with the substitution for any reference to a street of a reference to a road within the meaning of Part IV of the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991.]

Textual Amendments

F1 Ss. 58A, 58B inserted (1.3.1996) by 1995 c. 45, s. 16(1), Sch. 4 para. 6(2); S.I. 1996/218, art. 2

Marginal Citations

- M1 1994 c.39.
- **M2** 1986 c.44.
- **M3** 1991 c.22.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Pipe-Lines Act 1962, Section 58A.