



Wireless Telegraphy Act 1949

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WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY ACT 1949

PART I

Regulation of Wireless Telegraphy

- 1 Licensing of wireless telegraphy.
- 1A Offence of keeping wireless telegraphy station or apparatus available for unauthorised use.
- 1B Offence of allowing premises to be used for purpose of unlawful broadcasting.
- 1C Prohibition of acts facilitating unauthorised broadcasting.
- 1D Procedures for the grant of licences providing a telecommunications service
- 1E Variation or revocation of a licence
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 - 2 Fees and charges for wireless telegraphy licences
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- 3A Restriction on revocation or variation of certain wireless telegraphy licences
- 4 Experimental licenses.
- 5 Misleading messages and interception and disclosure of messages.
- 6 Territorial extent of preceding provisions.
- 7 †Powers of Postmaster General as to wireless personnel.
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PART II

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Special provisions as to interference

- 9 Advisory committee and appeal tribunal.
- 10 Regulations as to radiation of electromagnetic energy, etc.
- 11 Enforcement of regulations as to use of apparatus.
- 12 Enforcement of regulations as to sales, etc., by manufacturers and others.
- 12A Regulations with respect to resistance to interference.
- 13 Deliberate interference.

PART III

Supplemental

- 14 Penalties and legal proceedings.
- 15 Entry and search of premises, etc.
- 16 Regulations and orders.
- 17 Financial provisions.
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- 19 Interpretation.
- 20 Short title and extent.

SCHEDULES

FIRST SCHEDULE — Procedure in Relation to Suspension and Revocation of Authorities to Wireless Personnel

- 1 The Secretary of State shall, on suspending the authority, serve...
- 2 (1) If, within such time and in such manner as...
- 3 (1) There shall be paid by the Secretary of State...

SECOND — Provisions as to the Appeal Tribunal
SCHEDULE

- 1 (1) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph, the members...
- 2 If any member of the tribunal is, by reason of...
- 3 (1) The provisions of the Arbitration Act 1950, with respect...
- 4 The power of the tribunal to award costs or expenses...
- 5 The assessors shall give their opinions to the president on...
- 6 Subject to the provisions of this Schedule and of part...
- 7 Without prejudice to any method available by law for the...

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