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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2006 No. 2238**

The Environmental Noise (England) Regulations 2006

PART 8

INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC AND GUIDANCE

**Availability of strategic noise maps, consolidated noise map and action plans**

**29.**—(1) Any—

- (a) strategic noise map that is made available to the public before it is adopted pursuant to regulation 23; or
- (b) action plan that is made available to the public before it is adopted pursuant to regulation 24,

must include prominently displayed wording identifying it as a draft subject to adoption by the Secretary of State.

(2) Any—

- (a) strategic noise map adopted pursuant to regulation 23;
- (b) consolidated noise map compiled pursuant to regulation 14(2); or
- (c) action plan adopted pursuant to regulation 24,

must be published by the Secretary of State and accompanied by a summary setting out the most important points.

**Guidance**

**30.** A competent authority, in exercising any of its functions under these Regulations, must have regard to any guidance issued by the Secretary of State under this regulation.