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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2007 No. 3538**

The Environmental Permitting  
(England and Wales) Regulations 2007

PART 1

General

**Citation, commencement and extent**

1.—(1) These Regulations—

- (a) may be cited as the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2007;
- (b) come into force on 6th April 2008; and
- (c) extend to England and Wales only.

(2) For the purposes of this regulation—

- (a) England and Wales includes the sea adjacent to England and Wales out as far as the seaward boundary of the territorial sea; and
- (b) the sea adjacent to Wales has the same meaning as in section 158 of the Government of Wales Act 2006<sup>(1)</sup>.

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<sup>(1)</sup> 2006 c. 32; the boundary between the sea adjacent to Wales and that adjacent to England is described by article 6 and Schedule 3 of the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I.1999/672). By virtue of section 162 of and paragraph 26 of Schedule 11 to the 2006 Act, S.I. 1999/672 continues to have effect.