

SCHEDULE 2 **E+W**

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT

**PART 1** **E+W**

Public General Acts

- 366.**—(1) Section 8 is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1)—
- (a) in the opening words—
    - (i) omit “or the Countryside Council for Wales”;
    - (ii) omit “or, as the case may be, Wales”;
  - (b) in paragraph (b), for “the Agency”, in each place where it occurs, substitute “ an appropriate agency ”;
  - (c) in the closing words—
    - (i) for “the Agency or (as the case may be) the Council” substitute “ Natural England ”;
    - (ii) for “to the Agency” substitute “ to the appropriate agency ”.
- (3) After subsection (1) insert—
- “(1A) Where the Natural Resources Body for Wales is of the opinion that any area of land in Wales—
- (a) is of special interest by reason of its flora, fauna or geological or physiographical features, and
  - (b) may at any time be affected by schemes, works, operations or activities of the Agency or by an authorisation given by the Agency,
- the Natural Resources Body for Wales shall notify the fact that the land is of special interest for that reason to the Agency.”
- (4) In subsection (2)—
- (a) in paragraph (b), for “the Agency”, in each place where it occurs, substitute “ an appropriate agency ”;
  - (b) in the closing words, for “Agency” substitute “ appropriate agency ”.
- (5) In subsection (3)—
- (a) for “the Agency”, in the first place where it occurs, substitute “ an appropriate agency ”;
  - (b) after “subsection (1)” insert “ , (1A) ”;
  - (c) for “Agency”, in the second place where it occurs, substitute “ appropriate agency ”.
- (6) In subsection (4), for “the Countryside Council for Wales” substitute “ the Natural Resources Body for Wales ”.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Natural Resources Body for Wales (Functions) Order 2013, Paragraph 366.