



Water Act 2014

2014 CHAPTER 21

PART 1

WATER INDUSTRY

CHAPTER 3

REGULATION OF THE WATER INDUSTRY

Regulation of relevant undertakers, water supply licensees and sewerage licensees

26 Extension of time limit for imposing financial penalties

- (1) In section 22C of the Water Industry Act 1991 (time limits on the imposition of financial penalties), in subsection (1), for “twelve months” there is substituted “ five years ”.
- (2) But subsection (1) does not apply in relation to a contravention or failure which—
 - (a) occurred before the date on which this section comes into force, and
 - (b) is not continuing on that date.

Changes to legislation:

Water Act 2014, Section 26 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 12 May 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/1288, art. 3(c)(d) by [S.I. 2019/706 art. 2](#)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/462, arts. 4, 5 by [S.I. 2017/926 art. 2](#)