



Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023

2023 CHAPTER 55

PART 3

PLANNING

CHAPTER 1

PLANNING DATA

86 Power to require certain planning data to be made publicly available

- (1) Planning data regulations may make provision requiring a relevant planning authority to make such of its planning data as is specified or described in the regulations available to the public under an approved open licence.
- (2) The power under [subsection \(1\)](#) does not include power to require a relevant planning authority to make planning data available in breach of—
 - (a) any obligation of confidence owed by the authority, or
 - (b) any other restriction on making the planning data available (however imposed).
- (3) An “approved open licence”, in relation to a planning authority’s planning data, means a licence—
 - (a) which sets out terms and conditions under which the planning data may be used by the public free of charge, and
 - (b) which is in such form and has such content as is, for the time being, specified or described in a document published by the Secretary of State.

Commencement Information

11 S. 86 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 255\(3\)\(b\)](#)

12 S. 86 in force at 31.3.2024 by [S.I. 2024/389](#), [reg. 2\(c\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023, Section 86.