

KEY STAGES OF RESERVOIRS LEGISLATION - TIMELINE

Key Stages	Period required within Bill	Estimated date	Comments
Bill receives Royal Assent.		December 2014	Articles that come into operation on Royal Assent are listed at Article 120.
Registration Section commenced.		April 2015	Secondary legislation required. Articles 9(2) & 10(2) refer.
Reservoir managers register their reservoir.	6 months after registration commences.	October 2015	Article 11(1) refers.
Department gives risk designation.	As soon as is reasonably practicable.	December 2015	Article 17 refers.
Reservoir manager of high or medium risk reservoir commission supervising engineer.	Not later than 6 months from notice of risk designation.	June 2016	Article 24(2) refers.
Reservoir manager of high or medium risk reservoir commission inspecting engineer.	Within 1 year from notice of risk designation.	December 2016	Article 28(1) refers.
Inspecting engineer gives Inspection report to reservoir manager.	6 months from completion of inspection	June 2017	Article 33(1)(b) refers.
Inspecting engineer gives Inspection report to the Department.	Within 28 days of giving the inspection report to the reservoir manager	July 2017	Article 33(5)(a) refers.