

THE LAW OF NATURAL RESOURCES IN GERMAN AND EUROPEAN LAW
Contribution to the course Natural Resources Law from a Comparative Perspective

Legal sources

A. European Union law

- Treaty on European Union (EU Treaty) of 1992
- Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (FEU Treaty), originally of 1957
- Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union (ChFR) in the version of 2007
- Renewable Energy Directive (RED) of 2018 (Directive 2018/2001)
(Directive 2018/2001 on the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources)
- Environmental Impact Assessment Directive (EIA Directive) of 2011 (Directive 2011/92)
(Directive 2011/92 on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment)
- Regulation on Deforestation-free Products (EUDR) of 2023 (Regulation 2023/1115)
(Regulation 2023/1115 on the making available on the Union market and the export from the Union of certain commodities and products associated with deforestation and forest degradation)
- Water Framework Directive (WFD) of 2000 (Directive 2000/60)
(Directive 2000/60 establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy)
- Ground Water Directive of 2006 (Directive 2006/118)
(Directive 2006/118 on the protection of groundwater against pollution and deterioration)
- Surface Water Directive of 2008 (Directive 2008/105)
(Directive 2008/105 on environmental quality standards in the field of water policy)
- Drinking Water Directive of 2020 (Directive 2020/2184)
(Directive 2020/2184 on the quality of water intended for human consumption)
- Common Fisheries Policy Regulation (CFP Regulation) of 2013 (Regulation 1380/2013)
(Regulation 1380/2013 on the Common Fisheries Policy)
- Regulation on the Common Organisation of the Markets in Fishery and Aquaculture Products of 2013
(Regulation 1379/2013)
- Fisheries Control Regulation (Regulation 1224/2009)
(Regulation 1224/2009 establishing a Union control system for ensuring compliance with the rules of the common fisheries policy)
- Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing Regulation (Regulation 1005/2008)
(Regulation 1005/2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing)

B. German law

- Basic Law for the Federal Republic of Germany (BL) [Grundgesetz für die Bundesrepublik Deutschland - GG] of 1949
- Federal Climate Action Act [Bundes-Klimaschutzgesetz - KSG] of 2019
- Renewable Energy Act 2023 [Erneuerbare-Energien-Gesetz 2023 - EEG 2023]
- Federal Mining Act [Bundesberggesetz - BBergG] of 1980
- Coal-based Power Generation Termination Act [Kohleverstromungsbeendigungsgesetz - KVBG] of 2020
- Environmental Impact Assessment Act [Umweltverträglichkeitsprüfungsgesetz - UVPG] of 1990
- Ordinance on the Environmental Impact Assessment of Mining Projects [Verordnung über die Umweltverträglichkeitsprüfung bergbaulicher Vorhaben - UVP-V Bergbau] of 1990
- Federal Forestry Act [Bundeswaldgesetz] of 1975
- Water Resources Act (WRA) [Wasserhaushaltsgesetz] of 2009
- Drinking Water Ordinance [Trinkwasserverordnung] of 2023
- Marine Fisheries Act [Seefischereigesetz] of 1984
- Marine Fisheries Ordinance [Seefischereiverordnung] of 1989

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