



# Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016

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## PART 3

### PROVISIONS APPLYING TO ALL OCCUPATION CONTRACTS

#### CHAPTER 8

##### DEALING

###### *Transfer*

#### **70 Effect of authorised transfer**

- (1) If an occupation contract is transferred by the contract-holder to a person (“P”) in accordance with the contract and section 69, on the transfer date—
  - (a) P becomes entitled to all the rights and subject to all the obligations of the contract-holder under the contract, and
  - (b) the contract-holder ceases to be entitled to any rights or subject to any obligations under the contract.
- (2) If a joint contract-holder’s rights and obligations under an occupation contract are transferred to a person (“P”) in accordance with the contract and section 69, on the transfer date—
  - (a) P becomes entitled to all the rights and subject to all the obligations of the joint contract-holder under the contract, and
  - (b) the joint contract-holder ceases to be entitled to any rights or subject to any obligations under the contract.
- (3) Subsection (2)(a) is subject to any term included in the contract because of section 141(3) or 142(3) (fixed term standard contracts: transfers of joint contract-holder’s interest).

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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- (4) Nothing in subsection (1)(b) or (2)(b) removes any right or waives any liability accruing before the transfer date.
- (5) The transfer date is the day agreed by the contract-holder and P as the day on which the transfer takes effect.