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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2013 No. 216 (C.14)**

**DISABLED PERSONS**

The Disability Discrimination (2006 Order)  
(Commencement No.5) Order (Northern Ireland) 2013

Made - - - - 2nd September 2013

The Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 1(2) of the Disability Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 2006<sup>(1)</sup>.

**Citation and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Disability Discrimination (2006 Order) (Commencement No.5) Order (Northern Ireland) 2013.

(2) In this Order—

“the Order” means the Disability Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 2006; and

“the Act” means the Disability Discrimination Act 1995<sup>(2)</sup>.

**Appointed day**

2. The appointed day for the coming into operation of the following provisions of the Order is 2nd September 2013—

- (a) Article 8 (Rail vehicle: application of accessibility regulations);
- (b) paragraph 21(a) and (b) of Schedule 1 (minor and consequential amendments) and Article 19(1) in so far as it relates to those entries;
- (c) the entries in Schedule 2 (repeals) in respect of sections 46 (3), (4), (6), (8), (9) and (10) of the Act and Article 19(2) in so far as it relates to those entries.

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(1) S.I. 2006/312 (N.I.1)  
(2) 1995 c.50

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Sealed with the Official Seal of the Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister on 2nd September 2013.



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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This is the fifth Commencement Order to be made under the Disability Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 2006 (“the Order”). The Order extensively amends the Disability Discrimination Act 1995 (“the Act”).

Article 2 brings into operation Article 8 (Rail vehicles: application of accessibility regulations); paragraph 21(a) and (b) of Schedule 1 (minor and consequential amendments) and Article 19(1) in so far as it relates to those entries; and the entries in Schedule 2 (repeals) in respect of sections 46 (3), (4), (6), (8), (9) and (10) of the Act and Article 19(2) in so far as it relates to those entries on 1st July 2011.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The provisions of the Disability Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 2006 listed in the table below have been brought into operation by Commencement Orders made before the date of this Order.

| <i>Provision</i>       | <i>Date of Commencement</i> | <i>S.R. No.</i>                    |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Article 3              | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 4 (partially)  | 3rd July 2006               | <a href="#">2006 No.289 (C.16)</a> |
| Article 4 (partially)  | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 5              | 23rd November 2006          | <a href="#">2006 No.470 (C.29)</a> |
| Article 6              | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 7              | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 11             | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 12             | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 13 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | <a href="#">2006 No.289 (C.16)</a> |
| Article 13 (partially) | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 14 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | <a href="#">2006 No.289 (C.16)</a> |
| Article 14 (partially) | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 15             | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 16 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | <a href="#">2006 No.289 (C.16)</a> |
| Article 16 (partially) | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |
| Article 17 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | <a href="#">2006 No.289 (C.16)</a> |
| Article 17 (partially) | 9th November 2007           | <a href="#">2007 No.466 (C.31)</a> |

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| <i>Provision</i>       | <i>Date of Commencement</i> | <i>S.R. No.</i>    |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Article 18 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | 2006 No.289 (C.16) |
| Article 18 (partially) | 31st October 2007           | 2007 No.430 (C.28) |
| Article 19 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | 2006 No.289 (C.16) |
| Article 19 (partially) | 31st October 2007           | 2007 No.430 (C.28) |
| Schedule 1 (partially) | 3rd July 2006               | 2006 No.289 (C.16) |
| Schedule 1 (partially) | 31st October 2007           | 2007 No.430 (C.28) |
| Schedule 1 (partially) | 9th November 2007           | 2007 No.466 (C.31) |
| Schedule 2 (partially) | 31st October 2007           | 2007 No.430 (C.28) |
| Schedule 2 (partially) | 9th November 2007           | 2007 No.466 (C.31) |