



Local Government (Wales) Measure 2009

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Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 (c. 65)

1 Amend the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 as...

2 In section 2, insert the following at the end of...

Social Security Administration Act 1992 (c. 5)

3 Amend the Social Security Administration Act 1992 as follows.

4 In section 139A(2)(b), insert the following at the end— “...

5 In section 139C(1)(b), insert the following at the end— “...

6 In section 139D(1), for paragraph (ca) substitute the following—

Audit Commission Act 1998 (c. 18)

7 Amend the Audit Commission Act 1998 as follows.

8 In section 47A (reports relating to performance of English local...

Local Government Act 1999 (c. 27)

9 Amend the Local Government Act 1999 as follows.

10 In section 1 (best value authorities) omit subsections (1)(k), (6)...

11 In section 2 (power to extend or disapply: Secretary of...

12 In section 3A (involvement of local representatives) omit subsection (3)
(b)....

13 In section 10 (inspections) omit subsection (5)(a).

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- 14 In section 10A (inspections: Auditor General for Wales) omit subsections...
- 15 In section 13A (reports of inspections under section 10A) omit...
- 16 In section 15 (Secretary of State's powers) omit subsection (2)(aa)....
- 17 In section 16 (power of Secretary of State to modify...
- 18 In section 19(5) (contracts: exclusion of non-commercial considerations), insert the...
- 19 In section 23(4)(za) (accounts) omit the words “Welsh best value...
- 20 In section 25(2) (coordination of inspections etc) omit paragraph (d)....
- 21 In section 28(2) (orders and regulations) omit “6, 7”.
- 22 In section 29 (modifications for Wales)— (a) in subsection (1A)...

Local Government Act 2003 (c. 26)

- 23 Amend the Local Government Act 2003 as follows.
- 24 In section 36(1) (grants in connection with designation for service...
- 25 In section 36A (grants by Ministers of the Crown in...
- 26 In section 36B (grants by Welsh Ministers in respect of...
- 27 In section 93(9) (power to charge for discretionary services) after...
- 28 In section 95(7) (power to trade in function-related activities through...
- 29 In section 97(11) (power to modify enactments in connection with...
- 30 In section 101 (staff transfer matters: general)—
- 31 In section 124 (general interpretation) after the definition of “valuation...

Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004 (c. 21)

- 32 Amend section 24 of the Fire and Rescue Services Act...
- 33 After subsection (2) insert the following— (3) Subsection (1) does...

Public Audit (Wales) Act 2004 (c. 23)

- 34 Amend the Public Audit (Wales) Act 2004 as follows.
- 35 In section 41(1) (studies for improving economy etc in services)...
- 36 In section 54 (restriction on disclosure of information)—

SCHEDULE 2 — MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS: PART 2

Local Government Act 2000 (c. 22)

- 1 Amend the Local Government Act 2000 as follows.
- 2 In section 2 (promotion of well-being)— (a)
- 3 In section 4 (strategies for promoting well-being)—

Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (c. 5)

- 4 Amend section 62 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act...
- 5 For subsection (5)(d) and (e) substitute— (d) any relevant community...
- 6 For subsection (7) substitute— A community strategy is relevant if—...

SCHEDULE 3 — TRANSITIONAL PROVISION AND SAVINGS

Local Government Act 2000 (c. 22)

- 1 TRANSITIONAL PROVISION AND SAVINGS
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SCHEDULE 4 — REPEALS

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- s. 1(c) omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 4(3)(c) omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 4(4)(b) omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 10 omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 11(1)(d) omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(d\)](#)
- s. 16(2)(c) omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(e\)](#)
- s. 35 words omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(f\)](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 32 33 and cross-heading omitted by [2021 asc 1 s. 168\(1\)\(g\)\(ii\)](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Measure associated Parts and Chapters:

- Measure repealed by [2021 asc 1 s. 170\(1\)](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Measure (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. para. 10 omitted by [2018 anaw 2 Sch. 1 para. 16](#)