



## 2015 CHAPTER 5

### **PART 7**

#### FINAL PROVISIONS

##### **Commencement**

**53.**—(1) Subject to the following provisions of this section, this Act comes into operation on such day or days as the Department may by order appoint.

(2) The following come into operation on the day after this Act receives Royal Assent—

- (a) Part 3;
- (b) section 28;
- (c) sections 33 and 34;
- (d) section 40;
- (e) section 46;
- (f) section 49; and
- (g) this Part.

(3) Part 1 comes into operation on 6 April 2016, so far as not brought into operation earlier by an order under subsection (1).

(4) The Department may by order—

- (a) amend subsection (3) so as to replace the reference to 6 April 2016 with a later date, and
- (b) make corresponding amendments in Part 1 or any statutory provision amended by it.

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(5) The Department may by order make transitional, transitory or saving provision in connection with the coming into operation of any provision of this Act.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- specified provision(s) transitional provisions for effects of commencing S.I. 2017/297, art. 2 by [S.R. 2017/58](#) Order