

# Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988

## **1988 CHAPTER 48**

#### PART III

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**EXCEPTIONS TO RIGHTS OF DESIGN RIGHT OWNERS** 

#### General

# 245 Power to provide for further exceptions.

- (1) The Secretary of State may if it appears to him necessary in order to—
  - (a) comply with an international obligation of the United Kingdom, or
  - (b) secure or maintain reciprocal protection for British designs in other countries, by order provide that acts of a description specified in the order do not infringe design right.
- (2) An order may make different provision for different descriptions of design or article.
- (3) An order shall be made by statutory instrument and no order shall be made unless a draft of it has been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

## **Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/04/2014.

## **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988, Cross Heading: General.