



# Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988

## 1988 CHAPTER 48

### PART I

#### COPYRIGHT

#### CHAPTER X

##### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

##### *Transitional provisions and savings*

#### **170 Transitional provisions and savings.**

[<sup>F1</sup>(1)] Schedule 1 contains transitional provisions and savings relating to works made, and acts or events occurring, before the commencement of this Part, and otherwise with respect to the operation of the provisions of this Part.

[<sup>F2</sup>(2)] The Secretary of State may by regulations amend Schedule 1 to reduce the duration of copyright in existing works which are unpublished, other than photographs or films.

[<sup>F3</sup>(3)] .....

(4) “ Existing works ” has the same meaning as in Schedule 1.

(5) Regulations under subsection (2) may—

- (a) make different provision for different purposes;
- (b) make supplementary or transitional provision;
- (c) make consequential provision, including provision amending any enactment or subordinate legislation passed or made before that subsection comes into force.

(6) The power to make regulations under subsection (2) is exercisable by statutory instrument.

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*Changes to legislation:* There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988, Section 170. (See end of Document for details)

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- (7) A statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (2) may not be made unless a draft of the instrument has been laid before and approved by resolution of each House of Parliament.]

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 170 renumbered as s. 170(1) (25.4.2013) by [Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013 \(c. 24\)](#), **ss. 76(2), 103(1)**
- F2** S. 170(2)-(7) inserted (25.4.2013) by [Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013 \(c. 24\)](#), **ss. 76(3), 103(1)**
- F3** S. 170(3) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of [The Intellectual Property \(Copyright and Related Rights\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \(S.I. 2019/605\)](#), regs. 1(2), **17** (with reg. 38) (as amended by [S.I. 2020/1050](#), regs. 1(2), 4); [2020 c. 1](#), Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

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