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Ground 4

The tenancy is a fixed term tenancy for a term...

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- Where paragraph 8(1) above has effect in relation to a...
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Tenancies containing exclusionary provision

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- 8 An assured tenancy which comes into being by virtue of...

Assured agricultural occupancies

9 (1) An assured tenancy— (a) in the case of which...

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(1) In this Schedule— "the 1976 Act" means the Rent...

The conditions

- 2 The agricultural worker condition is fulfilled with respect to a...
- 3 (1) The agricultural worker condition is also fulfilled with respect...
- 4 The agricultural worker condition is also fulfilled with respect to...
- 5 (1) This paragraph applies where—(a) by virtue of any...

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- 1 In paragraph 1 the words "or, as the case may...
- 2 At the end of paragraph 2 there shall be inserted...
- 3 In paragraph 3— (a) after the words "residing with him"...
- 4 In paragraph 4 the words "or 3" shall be omitted....
- 5 In paragraph 5— (a) for the words from "or, as...
- 6 For paragraph 6 there shall be substituted the following paragraph—...
- 7 Paragraph 7 shall be omitted.
- 8 In paragraph 10(1)(a) for the words "paragraphs 6 or 7"...
- 9 At the end of paragraph 11 there shall be inserted...

Part II — AMENDMENTS OF SECTION 4 OF RENT (AGRICULTURE) ACT 1976

- 10 In subsection (2) the words "or, as the case may...
- 11 In subsection (4)—(a) in paragraph (b) after the words...
- 12 In subsection (5) for the words "subsections (1), (3) and...

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- 13 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) below, in relation to the...
- 14 If by virtue of section 39(8) of this Act, the...
- 15 (1) In relation to the assured tenancy to which the...

SCHEDULE 5 —

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1 (1) Housing for Wales is a body corporate and is...

Membership

- 2 (1) The members of the Corporation shall be—
- 3 (1) The appointed members shall hold and vacate office in...

Chairman and Deputy Chairman

4 (1) The Secretary of State shall appoint one of the...

Remuneration and allowances

5 (1) The Corporation may pay the Chairman, Deputy Chairman and...

Pensions

6 (1) The Secretary of State may, with the consent of...

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Staff

- (1) There shall be a chief executive of the Corporation....
- (1) The Corporation may appoint, on such terms and conditions...
- (1) Not later than such date as the Secretary of...
- 10 (1) Where a person becomes an employee of the Corporation...
- (1) Any dispute as to whether an offer of employment... 11

Proceedings

- 12 (1) The quorum of the Corporation and the arrangements relating...
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23 24	In section 33 (recognition of central association), in subsection (1) After section 33 there shall be inserted the following section—
25	In section 39 (minor definitions) before the definition of "
26	In section 40 (index of defined expressions in Part I)—
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28	(1) In section 69 (power to vary or terminate certain
29	In section 69 A (land subject to housing management agreement) for
30	(1) In Part I of Schedule 5 (residual subsidies)—
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- In section 75 (general functions), in subsection (1)(c) for the...
- 33 At the end of section 77 (advisory service) there shall...

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- 34 (1) In section 83 (power to guarantee loans), in subsection...
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- In section 106(1) (minor definitions: general) for the definition of...
- 37 In Schedule 6, paragraph 3(3)(b) shall be omitted.

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Members

- 1 A housing action trust (in this Schedule referred to as...
- 2 (1) In appointing members of a trust the Secretary of...
- 3 Subject to the following provisions of this Schedule, each member...
- 4 If the chairman or deputy chairman ceases to be a...
- 5 Any member of the trust may, by notice in writing...
- 6 If the Secretary of State is satisfied that a member...
- 7 A member of the trust who ceases to be a...

Remuneration

- 8 The trust may pay to each member such remuneration and...
- 9 The trust may pay or make provision for paying, to...
- 10 Where a person ceases to be a member of a...

Staff

- 11 (1) There shall be a chief officer of the trust...
- 12 (1) Employees of the trust shall be appointed at such...

Meetings and proceedings

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- 14 The validity of any proceedings of the trust shall not...

Instruments, etc.

- 15 The fixing of the seal of the trust shall be...
- 16 Any document purporting to be a document duly executed under...
- 17 A document purporting to be signed on behalf of a...

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Financial duties

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Government grants

3 (1) The Secretary of State may (out of moneys provided...

Borrowing

4 (1) A trust may borrow temporarily, by way of overdraft...

Guarantees

5 (1) The Treasury may guarantee, in such manner and on...

Assumed debt

6 (1) On any acquisition to which this paragraph applies, a...

Surplus funds

7 (1) Where it appears to the Secretary of State, after...

Financial limits

8 (1) The aggregate amount of the sums mentioned in sub-paragraph...

Grants and loans: accounts

9 (1) The Secretary of State shall prepare in respect of... Part III — GENERAL ACCOUNTS ETC.

Accounts

10 (1) A trust shall keep proper accounts and other records...

Audit

11 (1) The trust's accounts and statements of accounts shall be...

Transmission to Secretary of State

12 As soon as the accounts and statement of accounts of...

Reports

13 (1) As soon as possible after the end of each...

Information

14 Without prejudice to paragraph 13 above, a trust shall provide...

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In this Part of this Schedule "the principal section" means...

- 2 (1) In the principal section and paragraph 3 below, "statutory...
- 3 (1) In subsection (3) of the principal section the reference...
- 4 In the principal section and, except where the context otherwise...
- 5 An order under any provision of this Part of this...

Part II — MODIFICATIONS OF ENACTMENTS

Land Compensation Act 1961

- 6 The Land Compensation Act 1961 shall have effect in relation...
- 7 References to the date of service of a notice to...
- 8 Section 17(2) shall be treated as if for the words...

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- 9 In section 22— (a) subsection (2) shall be treated as...
- 10 Any reference to a notice to treat in section 39(2)...
- 11 In Schedule 2, paragraph 1(2) shall be treated as if...

Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981

12 (1) In Schedule 2 to the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations)...

SCHEDULE 10 — Housing Action Trusts: Land

- Part I MODIFICATIONS OF ACQUISITION OF LAND ACT 1981
- 1 The Acquisition of Land Act 1981 (in this Part referred...
- 2 (1) Where a compulsory purchase order authorising the acquisition of...
- 3 The reference in section 17(3) of the 1981 Act to...

Part II — LAND: SUPPLEMENTARY

Extinguishment of rights over land

4 (1) Subject to this paragraph, on an order under section...

Power to override easements

5 (1) The erection, construction or carrying out, or maintenance of...

Consecrated land and burial grounds

6 (1) Any consecrated land, whether including a building or not,...

Open spaces

7 (1) Any land being, or forming part of, a common,...

Displacement of persons

8 If the Secretary of State certifies that possession of a...

Extinguishment of public rights of way

- 9 (1) Where any land has been vested in or acquired...
- 10 (1) In this paragraph any reference to making a final...

Telegraphic lines

11 (1) Where an order under paragraph 9 above extinguishing a...

Statutory undertakers

- 12 (1) Where any land has been acquired by a housing...
- 13 (1) Before making an order under paragraph 12(4) above the...
- 14 (1) Subject to this paragraph, where any land has been...
- 15 (1) The powers conferred by this paragraph shall be exercisable...
- 16 (1) As soon as may be after making such a...
- 17 (1) Where, on a representation made by statutory undertakers, the...
- 18 (1) For the purposes of paragraphs 15 and 17 above,...

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19 Land: Supplementary
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- 22 Section 8(1) of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965 has effect...
- 23 (1) The following provisions of the 1965 Act (which state...

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Repayment of discount on early disposal

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Increase in value of house attributable to home improvements

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Obligation to repay a charge on the house

2 (1) The liability that may arise under the covenant required...

Right of first refusal for housing action trust

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Consideration payable for disposal under paragraph 2A

2B (1) The consideration for a disposal made in respect of...

Relevant disposals

3 (1) A disposal, whether of the whole or part of...

Exempted disposals

4 (1) A disposal is an exempted disposal for the purposes...

Compulsory disposal

5 In this Schedule a "compulsory disposal" means a disposal of...

Exempted disposals ending obligation under covenants

6 Where there is a relevant disposal which is an exempted...

Treatment of options

7 For the purpose of this Schedule, the grant of an...

Treatment of deferred resale agreements

8 (1) If a purchaser or his successor in title enters...

SCHEDULE 12 —

Interpretation

1 In this Schedule— "transferred property" means property which is the...

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Acquisitions under section 104(1)(a)

2 (1) Where a landlord makes a grant of transferred property,...

Procedures on termination of leases granted under section 104(1)(b)

3 (1) If a lease granted under section 104(1)(b) of this...

SCHEDULE 13 — Amendments of Landlord and Tenant Act 1987

- 1 In Part I of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1987...
- 2 (1) In section 3 of that Act (qualifying tenants), in...
- 3 (1) In section 4 of that Act (relevant disposals) after...
- 4 (1) In Part III of that Act (compulsory acquisition by...
- 5 In Part IV of that Act (variation of leases), for...
- 6 In section 40 (application for variation of insurance provisions of...
- 7 In Part VII of that Act (general), in section 58...

SCHEDULE 14 — Appointment etc. of Rent Officers

Part I — AMENDMENTS OF SECTION 63 OF RENT ACT 1977

- 1 In subsection (1), paragraph (b) and the word "and" immediately...
- 2 In subsection (2)— (a) in paragraph (a) the words "and...
- 3 After subsection (2) there shall be inserted the following subsection—...
- 4 In subsection (3) the words "and deputy rent officers" shall...
- 5 In subsection (7)— (a) in paragraph (b) the words "and...

Part II — SECTIONS TO BE INSERTED IN RENT ACT 1977 AFTER SECTION 64

Amalgamation schemes (1) If the Secretary of State is of the opinion —...

SCHEDULE 15 — Repair Notices: Amendments of Housing Act 1985, Part VI

- 1 (1) In section 189 (repair notice in respect of unfit...
- 2 (1) In section 190 (repair notice in respect of house...
- 3 (1) In section 191 (appeals against repair notices), after subsection...
- 4 (1) In section 192 (power to purchase houses found on...
- 5 (1) In section 193 (power of local housing authority to...
- 6 (1) In section 194 (notice of authority's intention to execute works),...
- 7 In section 198 (penalty for obstruction), in subsection (2) for...
- 8 After section 198 there shall be inserted the following section—...
- 9 Sections 199 to 201 (recovery by lessee of proportion of...
- 10 In section 203 (saving for rights arising from breach of...
- 11 In section 205 (application of provisions to parts of buildings...
- 12 (1) In section 207 (definitions)—(a) for the definition beginning...
- 13 (1) In Schedule 10 (recovery of expenses incurred by local...

SCHEDULE 16 — Schedule to be Inserted in the Housing (Scotland) Act 1987

SCHEDULE 17 — Minor and Consequential Amendments Part I — GENERAL AMENDMENTS

The Reserve and Auxiliary Forces (Protection of Civil Interests) Act 1951

- 1 In section 4 of the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces (Protection...
- 2 For section 16 of that Act (protection of tenure of...
- 3 For the said section 16, as it applies to Scotland,...

4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14	 (1) Section 17 of that Act (provisions in case of (1) The said section 17, as it applies to Scotland, (1) In section 18 of that Act (protection of tenure, For section 19 of that Act (limitation on application of For the said section 19, as it applies to Scotland, (1) Section 20 of that Act (modification of Rent Acts (1) The said section 20, as it applies to Scotland, In section 22 of that Act (facilities for action on In the said section 22, as it applies to Scotland, (1) Section 23 of that Act (interpretation of Part II), (1) The said section 23, as it applies to Scotland,
	The Leasehold Reform Act 1967
15 16 17 18	In section 28 of the Leasehold Reform Act 1967 (retention In section 29 of that Act (reservation of future right (1) In Schedule 4A to that Act (which is set
	The Local Government Act 1974
19	In section 25 of the Local Government Act 1974 (local
	The Consumer Credit Act 1974
20	In section 16 of the Consumer Credit Act 1974 (exempt
	The Rent (Agriculture) Act 1976
21	In section 28 of the Rent (Agriculture) Act 1976 (rehousing:
	The Rent Act 1977
22 23 24 25	In the Rent Act 1977, sections 68 and 69, Part In section 77 of that Act (which provides for the Section 89 of the Rent Act 1977 (which provides for In section 137 of the Rent Act 1977 (effect on
	The Protection from Eviction Act 1977
26	In section 7 of the Protection from Eviction Act 1977
	The Justices of the Peace Act 1979
27	
	The Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980
28 29	In Schedule 16 to the Local Government, Planning and Land In Schedule 28 to the Local Government, Planning and Land
	The Highways Act 1980
30	In Schedule 6 to the Highways Act 1980, in Part
	The New Towns Act 1981
31	In section 22 of the New Towns Act 1981 (possession

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32 (1) In section 12(2) of the Acquisition of Land Act
The Matrimonial Homes Act 1983
33
The County Courts Act 1984
35 (1) In section 66 of the County Courts Act 1984
The Matrimonial and Family Proceedings Act 1984
36 In section 22 of the Matrimonial and Family Proceedings Act
The Local Government Act 1985
37 In section 101 of the Local Government Act 1985 (power
The Housing Act 1985
In section 115 of that Act (meaning of "long tenancy"), In section 155 of that Act (repayment of discount on In section 171F of that Act (subsequent dealings after disposal In section 236 of that Act at the end of In section 238 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 247 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 263 of that Act (index of defined expressions In Part IX of that Act (slum clearance) in the In section 309 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 323 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 323 of that Act (means of escape from In section 381 of that Act (general effect of control (1) In section 382 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 400 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 429A of that Act (housing management: financial assistance In section 434 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 533 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 533 of that Act (grant of tenancy In section 554 of that Act (grant of tenancy In section 577 of that Act (index of defined expressions In section 612 of that Act (exclusion of Rent Act In section 622 of that Act (definitions: general) before the In Schedule 2 to that Act, in Part IV (grounds

The Landlord and Tenant Act 1985

67 (1) In section 5 of the Landlord and Tenant Act...

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68	In section 26 of that Act (tenants of certain public
	The Agricultural Holdings Act 1986
69 70	(1) In Schedule 3 to the Agricultural Holdings Act 1986 In Schedule 5 to that Act (notice to quit where
	The Drug Trafficking Offences Act 1986
71 72	
	The Insolvency Act 1986
73 74 75	In section 308 of the Insolvency Act 1986 (vesting in In section 335 of that Act (adjustment between earlier and In section 351 of that Act (definitions), in paragraph (a),
	The Social Security Act 1986
76	In section 31 of the Social Security Act 1986 (information
	The Housing (Scotland) Act 1987
77 78 79	In section 12 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1987 (which In section 13 of that Act (power of Secretary of In section 61(4)(b) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1987 after
	The Access to Personal Files Act 1987
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	The Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1987
81 82	In section 33 of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1987 In section 34 of that Act (bankruptcy in England and
	The Criminal Justice Act 1988
83 84	In section 84 of the Criminal Justice Act 1988 (bankruptcy In section 85 of that Act (sequestration in Scotland of
	The Housing (Scotland) Act 1988
85 86 87 88 89 90	In section 19 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1988 (notice In section 36 of that Act (damages for unlawful eviction)— In section 38 of that Act (further offence of harassment)— In section 36 of that Act (damages for unlawful eviction)— In section 63 of that Act (consent for subsequent disposals) In Schedule 4 to that Act (tenancies which cannot be Part II — AMENDMENTS CONSEQUENTIAL ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOUSING FOR WALES
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In section 57 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...

In section 117 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...

In section 188 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...

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- In section 238 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...
- In section 459 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...
- In section 577 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...

The Landlord and Tenant Act 1987

In section 58(1) of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1987...

The Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988

- In section 376(4) of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act...
- In section 560(2)(e) of that Act (persons who are sub-contractors...

SCHEDULE 18 — Enactments Repealed

- 1 The repeal of sections 19 to 21 of the Rent...
- 2 The repeal of section 52 of the Housing Act 1980...
- 3 The repeal of sections 56 to 58 of the Housing...
- 4 The repeals in section 80 of the Housing Act 1985—...

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- s. 5(1)(b) word omitted by 2016 c. 22 s. 63(a)
- s. 5(1)(c) and word inserted by 2016 c. 22 s. 63(b)
- s. 6A(4)(a) words substituted by 2006 c. 48 Sch. 14 para. 15(2) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Sch. 14 para. 15 repealed without ever being in force by 2014 c. 12, Sch. 11 para. 50)
- s. 6A(10A) inserted by 2006 c. 48 Sch. 14 para. 15(3) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Sch. 14 para. 15 repealed without ever being in force by 2014 c. 12, Sch. 11 para. 50)
- s. 5455 repealed by 2001 asp 10 Sch. 10 para. 15(5)
- s. 81(8)(ab) words omitted by 2018 anaw 1 Sch. 1 para. 2(2)
- Sch. 1 para. 12A(1) words omitted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 11 para. 2(b)(vi)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 Ground 2A inserted by 2014 anaw 7 s. 138
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 Ground 7B words omitted by S.I. 2019/745 reg. 9 (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 9 omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1309, regs. 1(2)(a), 48)
- specified provision(s) savings for amendments by 2018 anaw 1, s. 6, Sch. 6 by S.I.
 2019/110 reg. 5

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

Act savings and transitional provisions for amendments by S.I. 2022/1166 by S.I. 2022/1172 Regulations