

# Land Registration Act 2002

# **2002 CHAPTER 9**

## PART 10

## LAND REGISTRY

#### Administration

## 99 The land registry

- (1) There is to continue to be an office called Her Majesty's Land Registry which is to deal with the business of registration under this Act.
- (2) The land registry is to consist of-
  - (a) the Chief Land Registrar, who is its head, and
  - (b) the staff appointed by him;

and references in this Act to a member of the land registry are to be read accordingly.

- (3) The [<sup>F1</sup>Secretary of State] shall appoint a person to be the Chief Land Registrar.
- (4) Schedule 7 (which makes further provision about the land registry) has effect.

#### **Textual Amendments**

F1 Words in s. 99(3) substituted (9.11.2011) by The Transfer of Functions (Her Majesty's Land Registry, the Meteorological Office and Ordnance Survey) Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/2436), art. 1(2), Sch. 2 para. 4(2)

#### 100 Conduct of business

(1) Any function of the registrar may be carried out by any member of the land registry who is authorised for the purpose by the registrar.

- (2) The [<sup>F2</sup>Secretary of State] may by regulations make provision about the carrying out of functions during any vacancy in the office of registrar.
- [<sup>F3</sup>(2A) Subsections (1) and (2) apply to all functions of the registrar, whether or not conferred by this Act.]
  - (3) The [<sup>F4</sup>Secretary of State] may by order designate a particular office of the land registry as the proper office for the receipt of applications or a specified description of application.
  - (4) The registrar may prepare and publish such forms and directions as he considers necessary or desirable for facilitating the conduct of the business of registration under this Act.

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F2 Words in s. 100(2) substituted (9.11.2011) by The Transfer of Functions (Her Majesty's Land Registry, the Meteorological Office and Ordnance Survey) Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/2436), art. 1(2), Sch. 2 para. 4(2)
- **F3** S. 100(2A) inserted (12.4.2015) by Infrastructure Act 2015 (c. 7), s. 57(5)(e), Sch. 5 para. 18
- F4 Words in s. 100(3) substituted (9.11.2011) by The Transfer of Functions (Her Majesty's Land Registry, the Meteorological Office and Ordnance Survey) Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/2436), art. 1(2), Sch. 2 para. 4(2)

#### 101 Annual report

- (1) The registrar must make an annual report on the business of the land registry to the [<sup>F5</sup>Secretary of State].
- (2) The registrar must publish every report under this section and may do so in such manner as he thinks fit.
- (3) The [<sup>F6</sup>Secretary of State] must lay copies of every report under this section before Parliament.

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F5 Words in s. 101(1) substituted (9.11.2011) by The Transfer of Functions (Her Majesty's Land Registry, the Meteorological Office and Ordnance Survey) Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/2436), art. 1(2), Sch. 2 para. 4(2)
- F6 Words in s. 101(3) substituted (9.11.2011) by The Transfer of Functions (Her Majesty's Land Registry, the Meteorological Office and Ordnance Survey) Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/2436), art. 1(2), Sch. 2 para. 4(2)

# Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Land Registration Act 2002, Cross Heading: Administration.