



# Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006

## 2006 CHAPTER 51

### PART 1

#### ORDER-MAKING POWERS

##### *Procedure*

#### **18 Super-affirmative resolution procedure**

- (1) For the purposes of this Part the “super-affirmative resolution procedure” in relation to the making of an order pursuant to a draft order laid under section 14 is as follows.
- (2) The Minister must have regard to—
  - (a) any representations,
  - (b) any resolution of either House of Parliament, and
  - (c) any recommendations of a committee of either House of Parliament charged with reporting on the draft order,made during the 60-day period with regard to the draft order.
- (3) If, after the expiry of the 60-day period, the Minister wishes to make an order in the terms of the draft, he must lay before Parliament a statement—
  - (a) stating whether any representations were made under subsection (2)(a); and
  - (b) if any representations were so made, giving details of them.
- (4) The Minister may after the laying of such a statement make an order in the terms of the draft if it is approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.
- (5) However, a committee of either House charged with reporting on the draft order may, at any time after the laying of a statement under subsection (3) and before the draft order is approved by that House under subsection (4), recommend under this subsection that no further proceedings be taken in relation to the draft order.

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- (6) Where a recommendation is made by a committee of either House under subsection (5) in relation to a draft order, no proceedings may be taken in relation to the draft order in that House under subsection (4) unless the recommendation is, in the same Session, rejected by resolution of that House.
- (7) If, after the expiry of the 60-day period, the Minister wishes to make an order consisting of a version of the draft order with material changes, he must lay before Parliament—
- (a) a revised draft order; and
  - (b) a statement giving details of—
    - (i) any representations made under subsection (2)(a); and
    - (ii) the revisions proposed.
- (8) The Minister may after laying a revised draft order and statement under subsection (7) make an order in the terms of the revised draft if it is approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.
- (9) However, a committee of either House charged with reporting on the revised draft order may, at any time after the revised draft order is laid under subsection (7) and before it is approved by that House under subsection (8), recommend under this subsection that no further proceedings be taken in relation to the revised draft order.
- (10) Where a recommendation is made by a committee of either House under subsection (9) in relation to a revised draft order, no proceedings may be taken in relation to the revised draft order in that House under subsection (8) unless the recommendation is, in the same Session, rejected by resolution of that House.
- (11) Subsections (3) to (5) of section 14 shall apply in relation to the disclosure of representations under subsections (3)(b) and (7)(b)(i) of this section as they apply in relation to the disclosure of representations under subsection (2)(f)(ii) of that section.
- (12) For the purposes of subsections (4) and (8) an order is made in the terms of a draft order if it contains no material changes to the provisions of the draft order.
- (13) In this section the “60-day period” means the period of 60 days beginning with the day on which the draft order was laid before Parliament under section 14.

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** Ss. 15-19 applied (with modifications) (18.2.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\), ss. 7\(3\), 240\(2\)](#); S.I. 2012/411, art. 2(b)
- C2** Ss. 15-19 applied (with modifications) by 2004 c. 21, s. 5E(3) (as inserted (18.2.2012) for specified purposes) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\), ss.9\(1\), 240\(4\)\(b\)](#); S.I. 2012/411, art. 2(c))

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Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 23A inserted by [2016 c. 12 s. 15](#)