



Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009

2009 CHAPTER 20

PART 6

ECONOMIC PROSPERITY BOARDS AND COMBINED AUTHORITIES

Combined authorities and their areas

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- (1) The Secretary of State may by order establish as a body corporate a combined authority for an area that meets the following conditions.
- (2) Condition A is that the area consists of the whole of two or more local government areas in England.
- ^{F1}(3)
- ^{F1}(4)
- (5) Condition D is that no part of the area forms part of—
 - (a) the area of another combined authority,
 - ^{F2}(aa) the area of a combined county authority,
 - (b) the area of an EPB, or
 - (c) an integrated transport area.
- ^{F3}(6)
- (7) An order under this section must specify the name by which the combined authority is to be known.

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Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 103(3)(4) omitted (28.1.2016 for specified purposes, 28.3.2016 in so far as not already in force) by virtue of [Cities and Local Government Devolution Act 2016 \(c. 1\)](#), [ss. 12\(2\)](#), [25\(2\)](#)
- F2** S. 103(5)(aa) inserted (26.12.2023) by [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023 \(c. 55\)](#), s. 255(2)(c), [Sch. 4 para. 189](#) (with s. 247)
- F3** S. 103(6) omitted (28.1.2016 for specified purposes, 28.3.2016 in so far as not already in force) by virtue of [Cities and Local Government Devolution Act 2016 \(c. 1\)](#), [ss. 14\(2\)](#), [25\(2\)](#)
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Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 103 power to transfer functions conferred by 2008 c. 26, s. 89A (as inserted (17.12.2009) by [Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 148(6), [Sch. 6 para. 127](#); [S.I. 2009/3318](#), art. 2(c))
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Commencement Information

- I1** S. 103 in force at 17.12.2009 by [S.I. 2009/3318](#), [art. 2\(a\)](#)

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- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/414 art. 5Sch. 1 para. 16](#)