

1987 No. 1762 (C. 54)

**FIRE PRECAUTIONS
SPORTS GROUNDS AND SPORTING EVENTS**

**The Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987
(Commencement No. 1) Order 1987**

Made - - - - *6th October 1987*

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 50(2) of the Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987(a), I hereby make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1987.
2. The provisions of the Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987 specified in the Schedule to this Order shall come into force on 1st January 1988.

Home Office
6th October 1987

Douglas Hurd
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State

SCHEDULE

Article 2

**PROVISIONS OF THE FIRE SAFETY AND SAFETY OF PLACES OF SPORT
ACT 1987 COMING INTO FORCE ON 1st JANUARY 1988**

<i>Provisions of the Act</i>	<i>Subject matter of provisions</i>
In Part I:	
Section 3	Charges for fire certification work
Section 4	Means of escape: scope of regulation
Section 8	Duties as regards safety pending determination of applications for fire certificates
Section 9	Special procedure in case of serious risk: prohibition notices
Section 11	Disclosure of information obtained in premises
Section 12	Civil and other liability
Section 13	Removal of exemption for premises used for public religious worship

(a) 1987 c.27.

<i>Provisions of the Act</i>	<i>Subject matter of provisions</i>
Section 14 In section 16, subsection (1), subsection (2) to the extent necessary to give effect to the provisions of Schedule 1 specified in this Schedule, and subsection (3)	Breaches of fire certificate requirements: restriction of defence Special provision for certain premises
Section 17 In section 18, so much of subsections (1), (2) and (3) as amends section 40 of the Fire Precautions Act 1971 by providing— (a) that in subsection (1)(a) of that section after “4” there shall be inserted “5(2A)”; and (b) that in subsection (1)(b) of that section after “8” there shall be inserted “8B” and after “10” there shall be inserted “10B”	Extension of power to apply the Fire Precautions Act 1971(a) Application to the Crown
Part II In Part V: Section 46 Section 49, to the extent necessary to give effect to such of the repeals in Schedule 4 and provisions of Schedule 5 as are specified in this Schedule and the Appendix to this Schedule	Safety of sports grounds Entertainment licences: fees for variation Repeals and transitional and saving provisions
In section 50, subsections (1), (2) and (3) and so much of subsections (4) to (7) as has effect in relation to Part II of the Act	Short title, commencement and extent
In Schedule 1, Part I of Schedule 2 to the Fire Precautions Act 1971 and, in Part II of Schedule 2 to that Act, in paragraph 3, sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) and so much of sub-paragraph (3) as has effect in relation to the references to the occupier in sections 5(2A), 7(3A), 7(4) and 8B(1) of that Act	Fire precautions: special provision for certain premises
Schedule 2	Extension of application of Safety of Sports Grounds Act 1975(b) to sports grounds
In Schedule 4, so much of the entries as is specified in the Appendix to this Schedule	Repeals
In Schedule 5, paragraphs 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9	Transitional and saving provisions

(a) 1971 c.40.

(b) 1975 c.52.

APPENDIX TO THE SCHEDULE
REPEALS TAKING EFFECT ON 1st JANUARY 1988

<i>Chapter</i>	<i>Short title</i>	<i>Extent of repeal</i>
1971 c.40	Fire Precautions Act 1971	In section 2, the words from "of any of the following" to "any premises" where last occurring In section 12(1), the words "other than paragraph (d)" In section 43(1), in the definition of "the court", the words "and the Schedule thereto" Section 43(2)
1975 c.52	Safety of Sports Grounds Act 1975	Section 5(4), (6), (7) and (8) In section 7, in subsection (3), the words ", subject to subsection (4) below," and subsections (4) and (5) In section 12(2), the words "stadium or other" Section 15 In section 17(1), the definition of "sports stadium"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order brings into force on 1st January 1988 the provisions of the Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987 specified in the Schedule to the Order.