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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1995 No. 3198**

**The Local Government (Wales) Act 1994  
(Commencement No. 6) Order 1995**

**Commencement of certain provisions of Part VII of the 1994 Act**

6.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) the provisions of Part VII of, and Schedules 16 and 18 to, the 1994 Act which are specified in Schedule 4 to this Order shall come into force on 1st January 1996.

(2) Until 1st April 1996 the meaning of “local authority” in paragraph 5A(4) of Schedule 2 to the European Parliamentary Elections Act 1978(1) shall, in relation to Wales, be interpreted as including the district and county councils created as a result of the Local Government Act 1972(2), as originally enacted.

(3) The provisions of Part VII of, and Schedule 17 to, the 1994 Act which are specified in Schedule 5 to this Order shall come into force on 1st April 1996.

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(1) 1978 c. 10; paragraph 5A was inserted by the Parliamentary Constituencies Act 1986 (c. 56), section 7 and Schedule 3, paragraph 5(6).  
(2) 1972 c. 70.