
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No. 2897

**The Adoption and Children Act 2002 (Commencement
No. 10 Transitional and Savings Provisions) Order 2005**

PART 3

TRANSITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

Pending applications for freeing orders

10. Nothing in the 2002 Act affects any application for an order under section 18 of the 1976 Act (freeing for adoption) where—

- (a) the application has been made and has not been disposed of immediately before the appointed day; and
- (b) the child in relation to whom the application is made is not immediately before the appointed day placed for adoption by the adoption agency.