#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2007 No. 3376 (C. 142)

## REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE

# The Electoral Administration Act 2006 (Commencement No. 5) Order 2007

*Made - - - 28th November 2007* 

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 77(2) of the Electoral Administration Act 2006(a).

#### Citation and interpretation

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Electoral Administration Act 2006 (Commencement No. 5) Order 2007.
  - (2) In this Order "the Act" means the Electoral Administration Act 2006.

## Record of electoral registration arrangements of service personnel

**2.** The day appointed for the coming into force of section 13(2) and (3) of the Act is 30th November 2007.

#### Access to election documents after Greater London Authority elections

**3.** The day appointed for the coming into force in England and Wales of sections 42 to 44 of the Act for the purposes of Authority elections (as defined by section 203(1) of the Representation of the People Act 1983(b)), is 1st January 2008.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

Bridget Prentice
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State
Ministry of Justice

28th November 2007

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order brings section 13(2) and (3) of the Electoral Administration Act 2006 (c.22) into force on 30th November 2007. Section 13(2) and (3) amend section 59 of the Representation of the People Act 1983 (c.2), making provision about the registration of voters with a service qualification.

<sup>(</sup>a) 2006 c.22.

<sup>(</sup>b) 1983 c.2. The definition of "local government election" in section 203(1) was amended, and the definition of "Authority election" in section 203(1) was inserted, by the Greater London Authority Act 1999 (c.29).

The Order also brings sections 42 to 44 of the Electoral Administration Act 2006 into force, in relation to elections to the Greater London Authority. Sections 42 to 44 regulate access to election documents after a poll that is not a poll at a Parliamentary election or local government election in Northern Ireland or Scotland.

### NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

(This note is not part of the Order)

Provision	Date of Commencement	S.I. No.
Section 9	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 10	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 11	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 12 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 13(partially, England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 14	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 15	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 16 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 17	01.01.2007 (for	2006/3412 and
	England, Wales and Scotland) and 07.02.2007 (for Northern Ireland)	2007/230
Section 18 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 19 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 20 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 21 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 22 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 23 (partially for Northern Ireland and	11.09.2006 and	2006/1972 and
in its entirety for England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 24 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 25	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 26 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 27	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 28 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 29 (England, Wales and Scotland)	31.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 30 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 31(partially, England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 32	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 33	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 34	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 35	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 36 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 37 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 38 (partially, England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 39	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 40	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 41 (partially, England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 42 (partially, England and Wales)	01.01.2007	2006/3412

Section 43 (partially, England and Wales)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 44 (partially, England and Wales)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 45 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 46 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 47 (partially)	11.09.2006 and	2006/1972 and
partially)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 48	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 49	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 50		
	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 51	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 52 (partially)	11.09.2006,	2006/1972,
	01.01.2007 and	2006/3412 and
G	07.02.2007	2007/230
Section 53	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 54	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 55	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 56	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 57	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 58	30.06.2007	2007/1847
Section 60	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 61 (partially, England, Wales and	11.09.2006	2006/1972,
Scotland)		(amended by
		2006/2268)
Section 62 (England, Wales and Scotland)	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 64	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 65	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 66 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 67	11.09.2006	2006/1972
Section 68 (England and Wales)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 69 (England, Wales and Scotland)	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 70	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 71	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 72	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Section 73 (partially, England, Wales and	01.01.2007	2006/3412
Scotland)		
Section 74 (partially)	11.09.2006 and	2006/1972 and
	2006/3412	2006/3412
Schedule 1 (partially)	11.09.2006,	2006/1972,
<u> </u>	01.01.2007 and	(amended by
	07.02.2007	2006/2268),
		2006/3412 and
		2007/230
Schedule 2 (partially)	11.09.2006,	2006/1972,
	01.01.2007 and	2006/3412 and
	07.02.2007	2007/230

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