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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2012 No. 2075**

The Protection of Freedoms Act 2012  
(Commencement No. 2) Order 2012

**Provisions coming into force on 1st November 2012**

**4.** The day appointed for the coming into force of the following provisions of the Act is 1st November 2012—

- (a) section 37 (judicial approval for obtaining or disclosing communications data);
- (b) section 38 (judicial approval for directed surveillance and covert human intelligence sources);
- (c) section 115(1) (consequential amendments, repeals and revocation) insofar as it relates to the provisions of Schedule 9 specified in paragraphs (d) and (e) below;
- (d) paragraphs 6 to 14 and 16 to 17 of Schedule 9 (consequential amendments);
- (e) paragraph 15 of Schedule 9 (consequential amendments) except insofar as it inserts the words “or 32A” into section 77A(1) of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000<sup>(1)</sup> and the heading preceding that section.