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*Legislation Act 2015*

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Made:

The Council of Ministers makes the following Order under section 2 of the Legislation Act 2015.

1 Title

This Order is the Legislation Act 2015 (Appointed Day) (No. 2) Order 2017.

2 Interpretation

In this Order —

- (a) “**the Act**” means the Legislation Act 2015; and
- (b) a reference to a numbered section (without more) is a reference to the section of the Act so numbered.

3 Commencement of the Legislation Act 2015

- (1) The remaining provisions of the Legislation Act 2015 come into operation on 1 January 2018, except as provided in paragraph (2).
- (2) The following are not commenced —
 - (a) in section 10(1) the words “and the time it was announced on that day”;
 - (b) section 19(4) (publication in gazette condition precedent to commencement);
 - (c) section 26(1)(a) (commencement by notice in gazette);
 - (d) section 43 (electronic gazette);
 - (e) section 44 (defence if Manx legislation not published);
 - (f) section 91 (transitional for publication requirement in existing Manx legislation to be read as requiring publication in the gazette instead);
 - (g) section 98(3) (insertion of new section 17A in the Evidence Act 1871);

(h) in Schedule 2 the definition of “electronic gazette”.

4 Transitional provision for the numbering of Synod Measures

In the case of a Measure which is in operation on 1 January 2018, the reference in section 39A(1) (numbering of Measures to take place within 7 days of announcement) to its announcement day is to be read as a reference to 1 January 2018.

MADE 20 DECEMBER 2017

W GREENHOW
Chief Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order brings into operation the bulk of the Legislation Act 2015 (“the 2015 Act”).

Certain formal provisions commenced on the announcement of Assent, along with section 80 (a declaratory provision about the status of notes in the text of statutes), 92 (which concerns the status of existing reprints of Manx Statutes published by Juta & Co. Limited or Blackhall Publishing) and section 99(8) which amended the Building Control Act 1991.

The first Appointed Day Order (SD 2015/266) brought into operation the remainder of section 99 (a miscellaneous collection of minor amendments to statutes).

The only provisions of the 2015 Act which are not being commenced now relate to the operation of the electronic gazette (see section 43 and the provisions of sections 19(4), 26(1), 44, 91 and 98 and Schedule 2 so far as they relate to the gazette) and section 10(1) so far as it requires a certificate of the announcement of Royal Assent to include a reference to the time of announcement.