STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 683

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING, ENGLAND

The Town and Country Planning (Revocations) Order 2014

Made - - - - 17th March 2014
Laid before Parliament 20th March 2014
Coming into force - - 14th April 2014

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 254 of the Local Government Act 1972(1), sections 134(3A) and (5), 148(2), 149 and 170(3)(b) of the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980(2), sections 59, 60 and 333(7) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990(3), and section 67(2) of the Coal Industry Act 1994(4), makes the following Order:

Citation, commencement and application

- 1. (1) This Order may be cited as the Town and Country Planning (Revocations) Order 2014 and comes into force on 14th April 2014.
 - (2) This Order applies in relation to England only.

^{(1) 1972} c. 70, to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order. The functions under section 254 are, so far as exercisable in relation to Wales, vested in the Welsh Ministers. They were previously transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by article 2 of, and Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672); see the entry in Schedule 1 for the Local Government Act 1972 (c. 70). By virtue of paragraphs 30 and 32 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), they were transferred to the Welsh Ministers.

^{(2) 1980} c. 65. Subsection (3A) was inserted into section 134 by section 179 of the Leasehold Reform, Housing and Urban Development Act 1993 (c. 28). The powers in sections 134, 148, 149 and 170(3)(b) are now vested in the Welsh Ministers so far as they are exercisable in relation to Wales. They were previously transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by article 2 of, and Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672); see the entry in Schedule 1 for the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 (c. 65). By virtue of paragraphs 30 and 32 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), they were transferred to the Welsh Ministers.

^{(3) 1990} c. 8, to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order. The functions under sections 59 and 333(7) are, so far as exercisable in relation to Wales, vested in the Welsh Ministers. They were previously transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by article 2 of, and Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672); see the entry in Schedule 1 for the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (c. 8) as substituted by article 4 of, and Schedule 3 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 2000 (S.I. 2000/253). By virtue of paragraphs 30 and 32 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32) they were transferred to the Welsh Ministers.

^{(4) 1994} c. 21, to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order. The functions under section 67(2) are, so far as exercisable in relation to Wales, vested in the Welsh Ministers. They were previously transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by article 2 of, and Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (1999/672); see the entry in Schedule 1 for the Coal Industry Act 1994 (c. 21). By virtue of paragraphs 30 and 32 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32) they were transferred to the Welsh Ministers.

Revocations

2. The Orders listed in column 1 of the table in the Schedule are revoked to the extent specified in the corresponding entry in column 3 of that table.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government

Nick Boles
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State
Department for Communities and Local
Government

17th March 2014

SCHEDULE Article 2

Order revoked	Reference	Extent of revocation
The Town and Country Planning (Development Plans) Order 1974		The whole Order in England
The Town and Country Planning (Telecommunication Networks) (Railway Operational Land) Special Development Order 1982		The whole Order in England
The Urban Development Corporations (Appropriate Ministers) Order 1988		The whole Order in England
The Coal Industry Act 1994 (Consequential Modifications of Subordinate Legislation) Order 1994		The entry relating to the Urban Development Corporations (Appropriate Ministers) Order 1988 in the Schedule.
The London Docklands Development Corporation (Planning Functions) Order 1997		The whole Order
The Urban Development Corporations in England (Planning Functions) Order 1998		The whole Order
The Town and Country Planning (London Borough of Camden) Special Development (Amendment) Order 2004		The whole Order

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order revokes the following statutory instruments to the extent specified in the Schedule—

- (a) the Town and Country Planning (Development Plans) Order 1974;
- (b) the Town and Country Planning (Telecommunication Networks) (Railway Operational Land) Special Development Order 1982;
- (c) the Urban Development Corporations (Appropriate Ministers) Order 1988;
- (d) the Coal Industry Act 1994 (Consequential Modifications of Subordinate Legislation) Order 1994;

- (e) the London Docklands Development Corporation (Planning Functions) Order 1997;
- (f) the Urban Development Corporations in England (Planning Functions) Order 1998; and
- (g) the Town and Country Planning (London Borough of Camden) Special Development (Amendment) Order 2004.

The Town and Country Planning (Development Plans) Order 1974 made transitional provisions consequential on the Local Government Act 1972 in relation to development plans made under the Town and Country Planning Act 1971 (as amended). This Order is now redundant.

The Town and Country Planning (Telecommunication Networks) (Railway Operational Land) Special Development Order 1982 granted planning permission, for a period of 25 years and subject to conditions, for the carrying out of development for the purpose of installing and maintaining telecommunication networks on operational land of the British Railways Board. The Order is now redundant.

The Urban Development Corporations (Appropriate Ministers) Order 1988 provided that for the purposes of Part 16 of the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 the Secretary of State for Energy was the appropriate Minister for the British Coal Corporation and the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry was the appropriate Minister for British Shipbuilders and the British Steel Corporation. This Order is now redundant.

The Coal Industry Act 1994 (Consequential Modifications of Subordinate Legislation) Order 1994 made modifications to subordinate legislation in consequence of the enactment of the Coal Industry Act 1994. One of those modifications was to the Urban Development Corporations (Appropriate Ministers) Order 1988 (mentioned above). Insofar as the 1994 Order refers to the 1988 Order it is revoked.

The London Docklands Development Corporation (Planning Functions) Order 1997 revoked the London Docklands Development Corporation (Planning Functions) Order 1990, so that the development corporation ceased to be the local planning authority. It also revoked the Town and Country Planning (London Docklands Urban Development Area) Special Development Order 1981. The council of the London borough of Newham became the local planning authority for the urban development area. The Order also made transitional provision in relation to the transfer of planning functions and liability for compensation (articles 3, 4 and 5) and amended the transitional provisions in the alteration of boundaries orders which de-designated former parts of the urban development area (article 6 and the Schedule). This Order is now redundant.

The Urban Development Corporations in England (Planning Functions) Order 1998 revoked planning functions orders and special development orders for certain urban development corporations. It also made transitional provisions in relation to the transfer of functions from the corporations to local authorities. This Order is now redundant.

The Town and Country Planning (London Borough of Camden) Special Development Order 2004 made provision for publicity of certain planning applications within that borough. The Town and Country Planning (London Borough of Camden) Special Development (Amendment) Order 2004 amended that Order. The Town and Country Planning (London Borough of Camden) Special Development Order 2004 was revoked in 2010. The Amendment Order is therefore redundant.

A full regulatory impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as no impact on the private or voluntary sectors is foreseen.