



Business Rate Supplements Act 2009

2009 CHAPTER 7

Involvement of ratepayers, etc.

4 Conditions for imposing a BRS

A levying authority may not impose a BRS unless—

- (a) it has published a document that sets out the proposal for the imposition of the BRS (an “initial prospectus”),
- (b) it has consulted the relevant persons on the proposal,
- (c) [F1 a ballot] has been held and the imposition of the BRS approved, and
- (d) it has published a document that sets out the arrangements for the imposition of the BRS (a “final prospectus”).

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 4(c) substituted (15.1.2012 for E.) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), ss., [68\(2\)](#), [240\(3\)\(c\)](#) (with [s. 68\(7\)](#)); [S.I. 2012/57](#), [art. 3\(a\)](#)

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 4 in force at 19.8.2009 for E. by [S.I. 2009/2202](#), [art. 2](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made by the legislation.gov.uk editorial team to Business Rate Supplements Act 2009. Any changes that have already been made by the team appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/232 reg. 30](#)
- Act functions made exercisable by [S.I. 2023/1432 art. 27\(1\)-\(3\)](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 13(2A) inserted by [2023 c. 53 Sch. para. 13\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 14(5)(5A) substituted for s. 14(5) by [2023 c. 53 Sch. para. 13\(5\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 14(19)(b) words substituted by [2023 c. 53 Sch. para. 13\(5\)\(b\)](#)