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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2006 No. 1972 (C. 67)**

**REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE  
ELECTORAL COMMISSION  
REGISTRATION OF POLITICAL PARTIES  
POLITICAL PARTIES  
NATIONAL ELECTION EXPENDITURE  
REFERENDUMS**

The Electoral Administration Act 2006 (Commencement  
No. 1 and Transitional Provisions) Order 2006

*Made* - - - - *20th July 2006*

**THE ELECTORAL ADMINISTRATION  
ACT 2006 (COMMENCEMENT NO. 1 AND  
TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS) ORDER 2006**

1. Citation and interpretation
  2. In this Order “the Act” means the Electoral Administration Act...
  3. Commencement of provisions
  4. Transitional provisions
- Signature

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SCHEDULE 1 — Provisions coming into force on 11th September 2006

1. Section 9 (Registration officers: duty to take necessary steps).
2. Section 15 (Offences as to false registration information).
3. Section 23(1) and (3) (Offences as to false statements in...
4. Section 25 (Amount of expenses which may be incurred by...
5. Section 27 (Meaning of election expenses for purposes of the...
6. Section 39 (Undue influence).
7. Section 40 (Offences relating to applications for postal and proxy...
8. So far as it relates to the provision specified in...
9. Section 48 (Registered names of parties).

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10. Section 50 (Confirmation of registered particulars).
11. Section 51 (Removal from register of registered parties).
12. Section 52(1) to (3) (Time for registration of parties fielding...
13. Section 52(4) to (6), for the purposes of the parliamentary...
14. Section 53 (Requirements as to statements of account).
15. Section 54 (Time for delivery of unaudited accounts to Electoral...
16. Section 55 (Policy development grants to be donations).
17. Section 56 (Exemption from requirement to prepare quarterly donation reports)....
18. Section 57 (Repeal of section 68 of the 2000 Act)....
19. Section 60 (Northern Ireland: disapplication of Part 4 of the...
20. In relation to England and Wales and Scotland—
21. Section 64 (Campaign expenditure: standing for more than one party)....
22. Section 65 (Time limit for claims in respect of campaign...
23. Section 67 (Performance of local authorities in relation to elections...
24. So far as it relates to the provisions specified in...
25. In Schedule 1— (a) paragraph 71; (b) paragraph 104;
26. (1) The entries in Schedule 2 to the extent specified...

#### SCHEDULE 2 — Transitional provisions

1. Election expenses
2. (1) This paragraph applies to section 27 of, and paragraphs...
3. Regulation of loans etc.
4. In the period beginning on 11th September 2006 and ending...
5. (1) This paragraph applies to the first transaction report prepared...
6. (1) In the period beginning on 11th September 2006 and...
7. (1) This paragraph applies to a transaction report made in...
8. In section 62(3A) of the 2000 Act, as inserted by...

#### Explanatory Note