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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2001 No. 439**

**The Disability Discrimination Act 1995  
(Commencement No. 8) Order (Northern Ireland) 2001**

**Appointed days**

2.—(1) The day appointed for the coming into operation of the following provisions of the Disability Discrimination Act 1995 is 31st December 2001—

- (a) section 27(3) (definitions);
- (b) section 27(5) so far as it relates to the provisions referred to in sub-paragraph (c);
- (c) in Schedule 4—
  - (i) paragraph 8 (regulations), and
  - (ii) paragraph 9(1) (sub-leases etc.).

(2) The day appointed for the coming into operation of the following provisions of the Disability Discrimination Act 1995 is 1st October 2004—

- (a) section 21(2) (duty of providers of services to make adjustments) to the extent that it is not already in operation;
- (b) section 27(1), (2), (4) and, to the extent that it is not already in operation, (5);
- (c) the remaining provisions of Schedule 4 not already in operation, namely—
  - (i) paragraph 5 (failure to obtain consent to an alteration);
  - (ii) paragraph 6 (reference to court); and
  - (iii) paragraph 7 (joining lessors in proceedings under section 25).