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SCHEDULE 4

TRANSITIONAL

Exclusion of compulsory purchase order in force before 1st April 1969

- 5 This Act shall not apply to the compulsory acquisition of land with respect to which a compulsory purchase order was in force before 1st April 1969.

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- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2020/1297 art. 26](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S.I. 2020/1297 was withdrawn following a request from the Department of Transport dated 9th August 2021 which followed the decision of the High Court of Justice to quash this Order in the judgement dated 2nd August 2021 (High Court of Justice — Planning Court — The Queen (on the application of Save Stonehenge World Heritage Site) v. Secretary of State for Transport — Case No. CO/4844/2020))
- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2021/51 art. 30](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S.I. 2021/51 removed from the website by request from the Department of Transport dated 12th July 2021 which followed the decision of the High Court of Justice to quash these Regulations in the judgement dated 8th July 2021 (High Court of Justice — Planning Court — The Queen (on the application of Mair Bain) v. Secretary of State for Transport — Case No. CO/642/2021).)
- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/174 art. 27](#)
- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/230 art. 29](#)
- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/360 art. 26](#)
- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/393 art. 33](#)
- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/436 art. 30](#)