



Regional Development Agencies Act 1998

1998 CHAPTER 45

PART I

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES

Development agencies

2 Constitution.

- (1) A regional development agency shall consist of not less than 8 nor more than 15 members appointed by the Secretary of State.
- (2) In appointing a person to be a member of a regional development agency the Secretary of State shall have regard to the desirability of appointing a person who has experience of, and has shown capacity in, some matter relevant to the functions of the agency.
- (3) Before appointing a person to be a member of a regional development agency, the Secretary of State shall consult—
 - (a) such persons as appear to him to represent local authorities whose areas fall to any extent within the agency's area,
 - (b) such persons as appear to him to represent employers in the agency's area,
 - (c) such persons as appear to him to represent employees in the agency's area,
 - (d) such persons as appear to him to represent the interests of those who live, work or carry on business in rural parts of the agency's area, and
 - (e) such other persons as he considers appropriate.
- (4) The Secretary of State—
 - (a) shall designate one of the members of a regional development agency as the chairman of the agency, and
 - (b) may designate another of them as the deputy chairman of the agency.
- (5) Schedule 2 (which makes further provision about the constitution of regional development agencies) shall have effect.

Status: Point in time view as at 25/11/1998. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Regional Development Agencies Act 1998, Section 2. (See end of Document for details)

Commencement Information

- II** S. 2 partly in force; s. 2 not in force at Royal Assent see s. 43; s. 2 in force for certain purposes at 25.11.1998 by S.I. 1998/2952, art. 2(2)

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