



# Data Retention and Investigatory Powers Act 2014

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### DATA RETENTION AND INVESTIGATORY POWERS ACT 2014

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**Changes to legislation:**

Data Retention and Investigatory Powers Act 2014 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 15 May 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 3(1)(2) repealed by [2016 c. 25 Sch. 10 Pt. 8](#)
- s. 3(3)(4) repealed by [2016 c. 25 Sch. 10 Pt. 8](#)
- s. 4(2)-(7) repealed by [2016 c. 25 Sch. 10 Pt. 8](#)
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- s. 6 repealed by [2016 c. 25 Sch. 10 Pt. 8](#)