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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 10

MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL PROVISION

PART 1

GENERAL AMENDMENTS

Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000

- 6 (1) Section 81(1) (general definitions) is amended as follows.
- (2) For the definition of “apparatus” substitute—
- ““apparatus” has the same meaning as in the Investigatory Powers Act 2016 (see section 263(1) of that Act);”.
- (3) In paragraph (a) of the definition of “communication” omit “(except in the definition of “postal service” in section 2(1))”.
- (4) In the definition of “interception” and cognate expressions, for “section 2” substitute “sections 4 and 5 of the Investigatory Powers Act 2016 ”.
- (5) For the definitions of “postal service” and “public postal service” substitute—
- ““postal service” has the same meaning as in the Investigatory Powers Act 2016 (see section 262(7) of that Act);”.
- (6) Omit the definitions of “private telecommunication system”, “public telecommunications service” and “public telecommunication system”.
- (7) In the definitions of “telecommunication system” and “telecommunications service”, for “the meanings given by section 2(1)” substitute “ the same meanings as in the Investigatory Powers Act 2016 (see section 261(11) to (13) of that Act) ”.

Commencement Information

- 11** Sch. 10 para. 6(1)(2) in force at 5.2.2019 by [S.I. 2019/174](#), [reg. 2\(p\)\(i\)](#)
- 12** Sch. 10 para. 6(3)(6)(7) in force at 27.12.2018 by [S.I. 2018/940](#), [reg. 5\(b\)](#)
- 13** Sch. 10 para. 6(4) in force at 27.6.2018 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2018/652](#), [reg. 12\(g\)\(ii\)\(aa\)](#)
- 14** Sch. 10 para. 6(4) in force at 22.7.2020 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2020/766](#), [reg. 2\(e\)\(i\)](#)
- 15** Sch. 10 para. 6(5) in force at 27.6.2018 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2018/652](#), [reg. 12\(g\)\(ii\)\(bb\)](#)
- 16** Sch. 10 para. 6(5) in force at 22.7.2020 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2020/766](#), [reg. 2\(e\)\(i\)](#)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 58(4)(e) inserted by [2023 c. 41 Sch. 13 para. 9](#)