



Investigatory Powers Act 2016

2016 CHAPTER 25

PART 9

MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

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- (1) The Secretary of State must, within the period of 6 months beginning with the end of the initial period, prepare a report on the operation of this Act.
- (2) In subsection (1) “the initial period” is the period of 5 years and 6 months beginning with the day on which this Act is passed.
- (3) In preparing the report under subsection (1), the Secretary of State must, in particular, take account of any report on the operation of this Act made by a Select Committee of either House of Parliament (whether acting alone or jointly).
- (4) The Secretary of State must—
 - (a) publish the report prepared under subsection (1), and
 - (b) lay a copy of it before Parliament.