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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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1981 No. 936

**URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**The London Docklands Development Corporation  
(Area and Constitution) Order 1980**

*Made* - - - - - 21st November 1980

*Laid before Parliament* 27th November 1980

*Coming into Operation* 2nd July 1981

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 134 and 135 of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 26 to, the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. This order may be cited as the London Docklands Development Corporation (Area and Constitution) Order 1980 and shall come into operation on the day after the day on which it is approved by resolution of each House of Parliament.

*Interpretation*

2. In this order “the maps” means the set of maps numbered 1 to 6, entitled “Maps referred to in the London Docklands Development Corporation (Area and Constitution) Order 1980”, of which set one print, signed by an Under Secretary in the Department of the Environment, has been deposited and is available for inspection at each of the following offices, that is to say, the offices of the Secretary of State for the Environment, the Greater London Council, and the councils of the London boroughs of Newham, Southwark and Tower Hamlets.

*Designation of urban development area*

3. The area shown on the maps bounded externally by a black line edged internally with a stippled band is hereby designated as an urban development area (in this order referred to as “the development area”).

*Establishment of the London Docklands Development Corporation*

4. For the purposes of regenerating the development area there is hereby established an urban development corporation named “The London Docklands Development Corporation”.

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(a) 1980 c. 65.

*Members of the London Docklands Development Corporation*

5. The number of the members of the London Docklands Development Corporation, other than the chairman and deputy chairman, shall be eleven.

21st November 1980.

*Michael R. D. Heseltine,*  
Secretary of State for the Environment.

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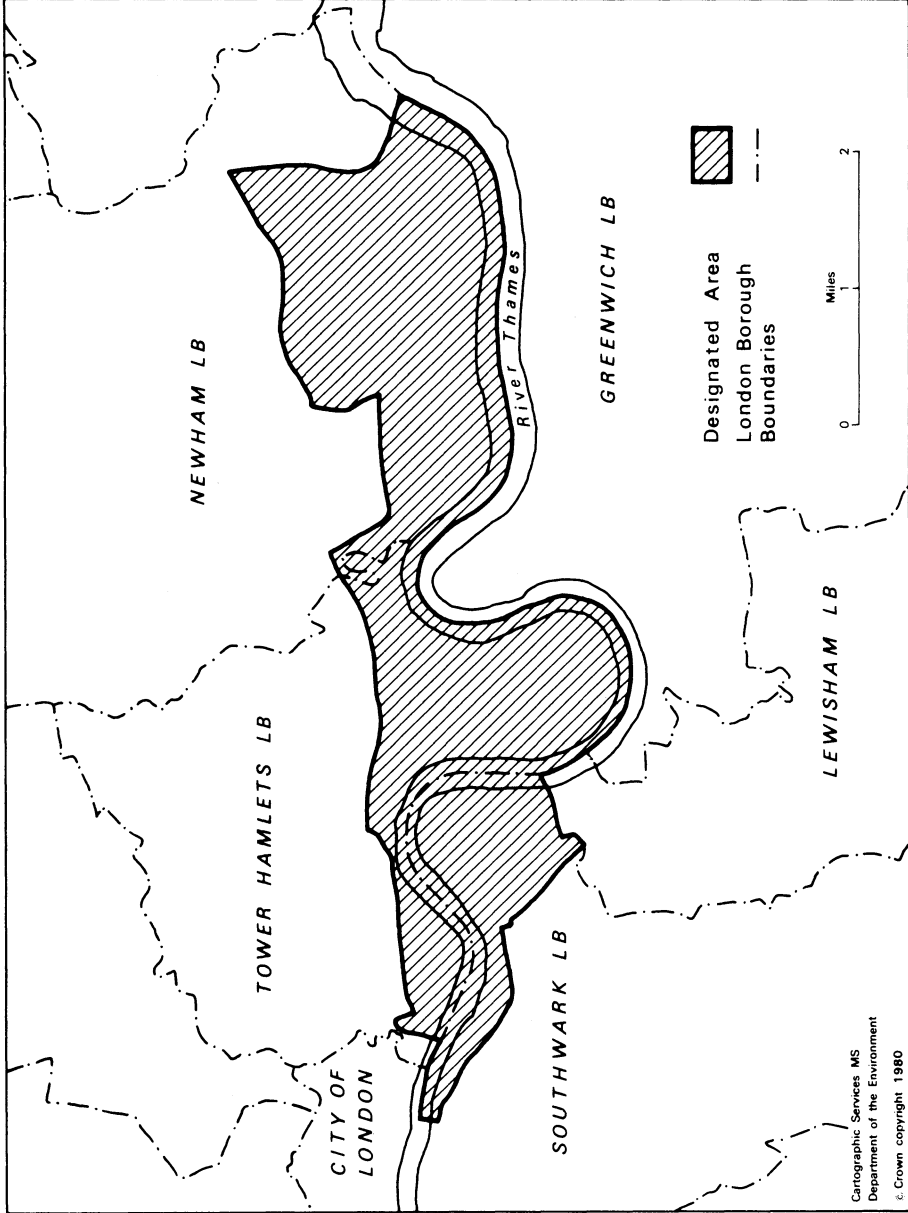
EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order designates an area of about 5,120 acres lying within Greater London and comprising parts of the London boroughs of Newham, Southwark and Tower Hamlets as an urban development area under Part XVI (Urban Development) of the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980, and establishes an urban development corporation under that Act for the purposes of regenerating the area. The area is shown hatched black on the map forming part of this Note.

The order provides that the development corporation shall be called the London Docklands Development Corporation, and that it shall have 11 members other than the chairman and deputy chairman.

The constitution, proceedings and staffing of the development corporation are governed by Schedule 26 to the Act.



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