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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1983 No. 94 (c.6)**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES**

The Local Government, Planning and Land  
Act 1980 (Commencement No. 8) Order 1983

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>26th January 1983</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>10th February 1983</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		<i>3rd March 1983</i>

The Secretary of State for Wales, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 94(2) of the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 (Commencement No. 8) Order 1983 and shall come into operation on 3rd March 1983.
2. Part X of the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 shall come into operation on 3rd March 1983 in the areas of the district councils specified in the Schedule to this order.

26th January 1983

*Nicholas Edwards*  
Secretary of State for Wales

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## SCHEDULE

Alyn and Deeside  
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### EXPLANATORY NOTE

This order brings Part X of the Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 into force in certain areas of Wales. The Schedule to this order specifies the district councils in whose areas Part X of the Act comes into operation and the order specifies the date from which it operates in those areas. Part X provides for registers to be kept of land owned by public bodies, being land which, in the opinion of the Secretary of State, is not being used or not being sufficiently used for the performance of a public body's functions or of carrying on their undertaking. Part X also provides that the Secretary of State may direct a public body who own land on a register to take steps to dispose of it.

### NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

The following provisions of the Act have been brought into force by commencement orders made before the date of this order.

<i>Provisions</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Part III on various dates	1981/341
Section 68 (partially) on 11th December 1980	1980/1893
Part VIII on various dates	1980/1893
Part X in specified areas of England on 31st December 1980	1980/1871
Sections 33, 34, 37, 44, 45(1)–(4), Part IX of Schedule 34 (partially) on 1st April 1982	1980/2014
Part X in specified areas of England on 19th March 1981	1981/194
Part X in specified areas of England on 2nd October 1981	1981/1251
Part X in the remaining areas of England not covered by the above orders on 11th December 1981.	1981/1618