
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 1685

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Borough of Ogwr (Electoral Arrangements) Order 1985

Made - - - - 29th October 1985

Coming into Operation in accordance with Article 2

Whereas in pursuance of section 58(1) of the Local Government Act 1972 (a), the Local Government Boundary Commission for Wales on 12th April 1983 submitted to me proposals for the future electoral arrangements for the Borough of Ogwr:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred upon me by sections 58(2) and 67 of that Act, I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Borough of Ogwr (Electoral Arrangements) Order 1985.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 1987 (within the meaning of section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983(b)) except that for the purpose of all proceedings preliminary or relating to an election to be held on or after that day it shall come into operation on 10th October 1986.

3.—(1) The existing wards of the Borough of Ogwr shall be abolished and that borough shall be divided into twenty-nine wards which shall bear the names set out in column 1 of the Schedule to this Order, and each such ward shall comprise the existing areas specified in column 2 of that Schedule opposite to the name of the ward as given in column 1, except that the areas of the Caerau, Maesteg East, Maesteg West, Morfa, Nantylffyllon, Newcastle, Oldcastle, Porthcawl East and Porthcawl West wards are the areas demarcated by green lines on the boundary map referred to in the Ogwr (Communities) Order 1984 (c) and designated on that map by reference to the names of the wards of the Communities of Bridgend, Maesteg and Porthcawl as set out in column 2 of Schedule 1 to that Order.

(2) The number of councillors to be elected for each such ward shall be the number specified in column 3 of the Schedule to this Order opposite to the name of the ward as given in column 1 of that Schedule.

4. The ordinary elections of all councillors for the Borough of Ogwr shall be held simultaneously on the ordinary day of election of non-metropolitan district councillors in 1987 and every fourth year thereafter.

Douglas Hurd,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

Home Office.
29th October 1985.

(a) 1972 c.70.

(b) 1983 c.2.

(c) S.I. 1984/1562.

SCHEDULE

Article 3.

NAMES AND AREAS OF AND NUMBERS OF COUNCILLORS FOR NEW WARDS

| 1 Name of New Ward | 2 Area of New Ward | 3 Number of Councillors |
|-----------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Bettws | The Bettws ward of the Community of Garw Valley | 1 |
| Blackmill | The Blackmill and Evanstown wards of the Community of Ogmore Valley | 1 |
| Blaengarw | The Blaengarw ward of the Community of Garw Valley | 1 |
| Brackla | The Community of Brackla | 1 |
| Caerau | The Caerau ward of the Community of Maesteg | 2 |
| Cefn Cribwr | The Community of Cefn Cribwr | 1 |
| Coity Higher | The Community of Coity Higher | 2 |
| Cornelly | The Cornelly ward of the Community of Cynffig | 2 |
| Coychurch Lower | The Communities of Coychurch Lower and Ewenny | 1 |
| Laleston | The Community of Laleston | 3 |
| Llangeinor | The Llangeinor ward of the Community of Garw Valley | 1 |
| Llangynwyd | The Community of Llangynwyd Middle | 1 |
| Maesteg East | The East ward of the Community of Maesteg | 2 |
| Maesteg West | The West ward of the Community of Maesteg | 2 |
| Morfa | The Morfa ward of the Community of Bridgend | 2 |
| Nant-y-ffyllon | The Nant-y-ffyllon ward of the Community of Maesteg | 1 |
| Nant-y-moel | The Nant-y-moel ward of the Community of Ogmore Valley | 1 |
| Newcastle | The Newcastle ward of the Community of Bridgend | 2 |
| Newcastle Higher | The Communities of Llangynwyd Lower and Newcastle Higher | 1 |
| Ogmore Vale | The Ogmore Vale ward of the Community of Ogmore Valley | 1 |
| Oldcastle | The Oldcastle ward of the Community of Bridgend | 2 |
| Pencoed | The Communities of Coychurch Higher and Pencoed | 3 |

SCHEDULE (Continued)

| ¹ Name of New Ward | ² Area of New Ward | ³ Number of Councillors |
|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| Pontycymmer | The Pontycymmer ward of the Community of Garw Valley | 1 |
| Porthcawl East | The East Central and Newtown wards of the Community of Porthcawl | 3 |
| Porthcawl West | The West Central, Nottage and Rest Bay wards of the Community of Porthcawl | 4 |
| Pyle | The Pyle ward of the Community of Cynffig | 3 |
| St. Bride's Major | The Communities of Merthyr Mawr, St. Bride's Major and Wick | 1 |
| St. Bride's Minor | The Community of St. Bride's Minor | 2 |
| Ynysawdre | The Community of Ynysawdre | 1 |

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