STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 1964

PROBATION

The Combined Probation Areas (Berkshire) Order 1985

Made - - - -

6th December 1985

Coming into Operation

1st January 1986

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 54(4) of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 3 to, the Powers of Criminal Courts Act 1973(a) and after the consultation required by that paragraph, I hereby make the following Order:—

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Combined Probation Areas (Berkshire) Order 1985 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1986.
- 2. That part of Schedule 2 to the Combined Probation Areas Order 1974(b) which relates to the Berkshire Probation Committee shall be amended by—
 - (a) omitting the entries in respect of the petty sessions areas of Hungerford and Lambourn and of Newbury; and
 - (b) inserting in alphabetical order in column 1 "West Berkshire" and corresponding to this in column 3 "3".
- 3. The three justices appointed to be members of the Berkshire Probation Committee by the justices for the petty sessional divisions of Hungerford and Lambourn and of Newbury before those divisions were combined to form a new division known as the West Berkshire division shall continue to hold office as members of that Committee, as if they had been appointed by the justices for the new division, until 30th November 1986 and shall then cease to hold office but shall be eligible for re-appointment.

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

Home Office. 6th December 1985.

⁽a) 1973 c. 62; paragraph 1 of Schedule 3 was extended by Article 3 of the Combined Probation Areas Order 1974 (S.I. 1974/529; the designation "Probation and After-Care Areas" was changed by section 65(1) of the Criminal Justice Act 1982 (c. 48)).

⁽b) S.I. 1974/529; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1980/1828.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Combined Probation Areas Order 1974 to take account of the combination of the petty sessional divisions of Hungerford and Lambourn and of Newbury in the new petty sessional division of West Berkshire effected by the Petty Sessional Divisions (Berkshire) Order 1985 (S.I. 1985/1863) which comes into operation on 1st January 1986.

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