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## 1986 No. 573

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

**The Local Government Reorganisation (Croxteth Hall and Park)  
Order 1986**

*Made* - - - 22nd March 1986

*Laid before Parliament* 25th March 1986

*Coming into Operation* 1st April 1986

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 52, 62(4) and 100 of the Local Government Act 1985(a), 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 Reorganisation (Croxteth Hall and Park) Order 1986 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1986.

2. Article 8(1) of the Local Government Reorganisation (Property etc.) (No. 2) Order 1986(b) is amended by the substitution for the words “Liverpool City Council” of the words “the Merseyside Residuary Body”.

3. The powers exercisable by the Merseyside County Council in respect of Croxteth Hall and Park under —

sections 7 (except subsection (4)), 8, 41 and 43 of the Countryside Act 1968(c),

subsections (1)(b) to (f) and (2) of section 19 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976(d), and

sections 12, 13, 19 and 20 of the Public Libraries and Museums Act 1964(e), shall be so exercisable by the Merseyside Residuary Body.

4. All employees of Merseyside County Council engaged both at the making of this order and immediately before 1st April 1986 solely on duties to be discharged at Croxteth Hall or Park are designated for transfer to the Merseyside Residuary Body.

Signed by authority of  
the Secretary of State

*Elton,*  
Minister for Planning and Regional Affairs,  
Department of the Environment.

22nd March 1986.

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(a) 1985 c.51.  
(d) 1976 c.57.

(b) S.I. 1986/413.  
(e) 1964 c.75.

(c) 1968 c.41.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Local Government Reorganisation (Property etc.) (No. 2) Order 1986, which makes provision for the transfer of property, rights, and liabilities of the Greater London Council and the metropolitan county councils on the abolition of those councils on 1st April 1986, transfers Croxteth Hall and Park, Liverpool, to Liverpool City Council.

By article 2 of this order the Merseyside Residuary Body is substituted as the transferee of the Hall and Park, and statutory powers in relation to country parks, recreational facilities and museums are conferred on them by article 3. Article 4 effects the transfer to the Body of the contracts of employment of staff engaged on duties at Croxteth.

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