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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1986 No. 624**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES**  
**SEA FISHERIES**

**The Local Government Reorganisation (Property  
Etc.) (Local Fisheries Committees) Order 1986**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>26th March 1986</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>27th March 1986</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		<i>1st April 1986</i>

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, being the appropriate Minister within the meaning of section 270(1) of the Local Government Act 1972, and the Secretary of State, in exercise of the power conferred on them by section 100 of the Local Government Act 1985 and, in the case of the Minister, by section 103(6) of that Act and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf hereby make the following order:

1. This order may be cited as the Local Government Reorganisation (Property etc.) (Local Fisheries Committees) Order 1986 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1986.

2. On 1st April 1986 all property, rights and liabilities to which a metropolitan county council was immediately before that date entitled or subject in its capacity as a constituent council of a committee established by an order under section 1 of the Sea Fisheries Regulation Act 1966 shall vest in the constituent councils of the committee as constituted on that date.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 26th March 1986.

L.S.

*Michael Jopling*  
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

25th March 1986

*Nicholas Edwards*  
Secretary of State for Wales

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This order, which applies to England and Wales, makes provision in connection with the property, rights and liabilities of local fisheries committees affected by the abolition of metropolitan county councils by the Local Government Act 1985. The order vests all property, rights and liabilities to which a metropolitan county council was immediately before 1st April 1986 entitled or subject, in its capacity as a constituent council of a local fisheries committee, in the constituent councils of the committee as constituted on that date.