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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1995 No. 1030**

**ANTARCTICA**

**The Antarctic Act 1994 (Overseas Territories) Order 1995**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>11th April 1995</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>25th April 1995</i> <i>15th May 1995</i> <i>subject to the</i> <i>provisions of Article</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>		<i>1(2)</i>

**THE ANTARCTIC ACT 1994 (OVERSEAS  
TERRITORIES) ORDER 1995**

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Signature

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3. Permits required for British expeditions to Antarctica
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*Status:* This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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