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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2008 No. 222**

**The Legal Services Act 2007 (Commencement  
No.1 and Transitory Provisions) Order 2008**

**Transitory provision**

7.—(1) Until section 13 (Entitlement to carry on a reserved legal activity) comes into force a reference to an authorised person in section 1 and in the definition of “consumers” in section 207 is to be treated as a reference to a person who will be an authorised person on the coming into force of section 13.

(2) Until section 1159 of the Companies Act 2006<sup>(1)</sup> comes into force for all purposes, the reference to “wholly owned subsidiary” in section 79 of the Solicitors Act 1974<sup>(2)</sup>, as substituted by paragraph 71 of Schedule 16, is to be read as a reference to that term as defined in section 736 of the Companies Act 1985<sup>(3)</sup>.

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(1) 2006 c.46; section 1159 is brought into force for limited purposes only by article 3(4) of S.I. 2007/3495.  
(2) 1974 c.47; section 79 was substituted by section 97 of the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990 (c.41).  
(3) 1985 c. 6; section 736 was substituted by section 144(1) of the Companies Act 1989 (c. 40).