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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2010 No. 1278 (C. 80)**

**PARLIAMENT**

**The Parliamentary Standards Act 2009  
(Commencement No. 4) Order 2010**

*Made - - - - 15th April 2010*

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(3) of the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009<sup>(1)</sup>:

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009 (Commencement No. 4) Order 2010.

**Commencement**

2. Section 7 (information and guidance)<sup>(2)</sup> of the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009 comes into force on 7th May 2010.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Justice

15th April 2010

*Bridget Prentice*  
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State  
Ministry of Justice

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(1) 2009 c. 13.

(2) Section 7 is amended by section 31(6) of the [Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010 \(c.25\)](#).

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made).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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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings into force on 7th May 2010 section 7 of the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009 which, as amended by the Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010 (c.25), makes provision about the general duties of the Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority.

A regulatory impact assessment has not been prepared for this Order as no impact on the private or voluntary sectors is foreseen.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009 have been (or, in the case of certain of the provisions commenced by S.I. 2010/1033, will be) brought into force by commencement orders made before the date of this order.

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Sections 1 and 2	12th October 2009	2009/2500
Section 3(1) and (2)	12th October 2009	2009/2500
Section 3(5) and (6)	26th October 2009	2009/2612
Section 4	7th May 2010	2010/1033
Section 5	29th March 2010	2010/1033
Section 6	29th March 2010	2010/1033
Section 10	7th May 2010	2010/1033
Schedule 1: paragraphs 1 to 8	26th October 2009	2009/2612
Schedule 1: paragraphs 9 to 16 and 19 to 29	12th October 2009	2009/2500
Schedule 1: paragraphs 17 and 18 (partially)	7th May 2010	2010/1033
Schedule 3	26th October 2009	2009/2612