STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2012 No. 1924

The Hinkley Point (Temporary Jetty) (Land Acquisition) Order 2012

PART 2

ACQUISITION OF LAND

Application of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981

- **5.**—(1) The Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981(1) applies as if this Order were a compulsory purchase order.
- (2) The Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981, as applied by paragraph (1), has effect with the following modifications.
 - (3) In section 3 (preliminary notices) for subsection (1) there is substituted—
 - "(1) Before making a declaration under section 4 with respect to any land which is subject to a compulsory purchase order the acquiring authority must include the particulars specified in subsection (3) in a notice which is—
 - (a) given to every person with a relevant interest in the land with respect to which the declaration is to be made (other than to a mortgagee who is not in possession); and
 - (b) published in a local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land is situated.
- (4) In that section, in subsection (2), for "(1)(b)" there is substituted "(1)" and after "given" there is inserted "and published".
 - (5) In that section, for subsections (5) and (6) there is substituted—
 - "(5) For the purposes of this section, a person has a relevant interest in land if—
 - (a) that person is for the time being entitled to dispose of the fee simple of the land, whether in possession or in reversion; or
 - (b) that person holds, or is entitled to the rents and profits of, the land under a lease or agreement, the unexpired term of which exceeds one month.".
 - (6) In section 5 (earliest date for execution of declaration)—
 - (a) in subsection (1), after "publication" there is inserted "in a local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land is situated"; and
 - (b) subsection (2) is omitted.
- (7) In section 7 (constructive notice to treat) in subsection (1)(a), the words "(as modified by section 4 of the Acquisition of Land Act 1981)" are omitted.
- (8) References to the 1965 Act are construed as references to that Act as applied to the acquisition of land under article 3 (power to acquire land).

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