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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND  
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The North East Mayoral Combined Authority  
(Establishment and Functions) Order 2024

*Made - - - - 20th March 2024  
Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)  
and (3)*

**THE NORTH EAST MAYORAL COMBINED AUTHORITY  
(ESTABLISHMENT AND FUNCTIONS) ORDER 2024**

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General

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2. Interpretation

PART 2

Establishment

3. Dissolution of the combined areas of Durham, Gateshead, South Tyneside and Sunderland and Newcastle Upon Tyne, North Tyneside and Northumberland and the abolition of their respective combined authorities
4. Abolition of the Joint Transport Committee
5. Establishment of the North East Mayoral Combined Authority
6. Constitution of the Combined Authority

PART 3

Transfer of Functions, Property, Rights, Assets and Liabilities and associated provision

7. Transfer of property, assets, rights and liabilities
8. Transfer of functions
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10. Extension of financial year of the Durham, Gateshead, South Tyneside and Sunderland Combined Authority and the Newcastle Upon Tyne, North Tyneside and Northumberland Combined Authority
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## SCHEDULE 2 — Adaptation of certain transport-related legislation

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1. Amendments to the Transport Act 1968
2. Amendments to the Transport Levying Bodies Regulations 1992
3. Amendment of the Sub-national Transport Body (Transport for the North) Regulations 2018

### PART 2 — Permit schemes: modification of Part 3 of the TMA

4. (1) Part 3 of the TMA is modified as follows....

## SCHEDULE 3 — Modification of provisions in ASCLA in their application in relation to the Combined Authority

1. All references to provisions in this Schedule are to provisions...
2. Section 86 has effect as if— (a) in subsection (1),...
3. Section 87 has effect as if for each reference to...

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4. Section 88 has effect as if in subsections (1), (2)(b),...
5. Section 90 has effect as if— (a) in subsection (1),...
6. Section 100 has effect as if— (a) in subsection (1),...
7. Section 101 has effect as if for each reference to...
8. Section 103 has effect as if— (a) for the reference...
9. Section 115 has effect as if— (a) for the reference...
10. Section 121 has effect as if— (a) in subsection (1),...

SCHEDULE 4 — Modification of the 2008 Act

PART 1 — Modification of the application of Chapter 1 and Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the 2008 Act

1. (1) Chapter 1 and Chapter 2 of Part 1 of...  
PART 2 — Modification of the application of Schedules 2 to 4 to the 2008 Act
2. (1) Schedules 2 to 4 to the 2008 Act apply...

SCHEDULE 5 — Spatial development strategy

PART 1 — Modification of the application of Part 8 of the 1999 Act

1. (1) Part 8 of the 1999 Act (planning) is modified...  
PART 2 — Modification of the application of the 2004 Act
2. (1) Sections 19 (preparation of local development documents), 24 (conformity...

SCHEDULE 6 — Modification of the application of Part 8 of the 2011 Act

1. Modification of the application of Part 8 of the 2011 Act

Explanatory Note